



MINUTES

Troy Bier, Chair
Kathi Stebbins-Hintz
Elizabeth St.Myers
John Krings, President

June 1, 2026

Location: Board of Education, 510 Peach Street, Wisconsin Rapids, WI
Conference Room A/B

Time: Immediately following the Educational Services Committee meeting, but not before 6:15 p.m.

Committee Members Present: Kathi Stebbins-Hintz, Elizabeth St.Myers, Troy Bier, John Krings

Others Present: Brian Oswald, Ronald Rasumssen

I. Call to Order

Troy Bier called the meeting to order at 7:23 p.m.

II. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

III. Actionable Items

A. Appointments

PS – 1 Motion by Elizabeth St.Myers to approve the following professional staff appointments:

Alex Walli	Location:	Lincoln High School
	Position:	Teacher – Cross Categorical (1.0 FTE)
Grace Heuss	Location:	Howe Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – Cross Categorical (1.0 FTE)
Ruth Durrant	Location:	Wisconsin Rapids Area Middle School
	Position:	Teacher- English Language Learner (1.0 FTE)
Kayla Ellenbecker	Location:	Washington Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – 4 th Grade (1.0 FTE)
Taylor Heath	Location:	Grove Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – 1 st Grade (1.0 FTE)
Maria Stake	Location:	Howe Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – 4 th Grade (1.0 FTE)
Robin Anderson	Location:	Grant Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – 2 nd Grade (1.0 FTE)

Gavin Dinges	Secondary	Erin Cleveland	Secondary
Sean Sayles	Secondary	Emily Trzinski	Secondary
Garrett Junemann	Secondary- Strength & Fitness	Justin Pyan	Secondary – Strength & Fitness
Faith Buzelli	Secondary- Strength & Fitness	Jacob Hintz	Secondary – Strength & Fitness
Mike Krenz	Secondary- Strength & Fitness	Zachary Toelle	Secondary – Strength & Fitness
Tayla Palacios	Secondary/Advanced Swim	Christina Hilgers	Secondary/Running & Fitness
Leslie Benitz	Gymnastics Coach		

Motion carried on a vote of 2-1. Elizabeth St.Myers voted no. Kathi Stebbins-Hintz abstained.

PS - 4 Motion by Troy Bier to approve the following 2026 summer support staff appointments:

Name	Position	Name	Position
Cindy Bell	Food Service	Miranda Behr	Food Service
Letty Schmick	Food Service	Jenny Williams	Food Service
Angie Wirth	Food Service	Kaydance Bikowski	Food Service
Lisa Gamboa	Food Service	Tricia Hofer	Food Service
Nicole Herzberg Crowley	Instructional Aide	Christiann Curley	Instructional Aide
Holly McMiller	Instructional Aide	Keegan Crowley	Instructional Aide
Kelly Deitz	Instructional Aide	Lita Rosenow	Instructional Aide
Jennifer Lukaszewski	Instructional Aide	Heather Michels	Instructional Aide
Drew Glinski	Instructional Aide	Hannah Smith	Instructional Aide
Damara Hudnell	Instructional Aide	Joanne Dachel	Instructional Aide
Megan Kreuser	Instructional Aide	Lisa Gray	Instructional Aide
Kellie Garski	Instructional Aide	Tania Halbersma	Instructional Aide
Machelle Anderson	Secretary	August Bambenek	Technology Support
Holly Zwicke	Secretary	Aydon Birge	Technology Support
Nicholas Caffaro	Technology Support	Haley Casper	Technology Support
Avery Brandl	Summer Gymnastics	Mackenzie Alarie	Summer Gymnastics
Devon Carter	Summer Gymnastics	MacKenzie Rehberg	Summer Gymnastics
Zadie Williams	Summer Gymnastics	Jessia Honeycutt	Summer Swim Coordinator
Tayla Palacios	Swim Instructor	Rebecca Hamann	Swim Instructor
Chelsea Klutterman	Swim Instructor	Sarah Korte	Swim Instructor
Logan Maciejewski	Lifeguard/Instructor	Carli Swan	Lifeguard
Foster Michels	Swim Instructor	Logan Depto	Lifeguard
Morgan Lee	Lifeguard	Hailey Hohmann	Lifeguard
Isabelle Kardash	Lifeguard/Instructor	Willow Lee	Lifeguard/Instructor
Tanner Peters	B & G Cleaner	Jonah Rasmussen	B & G Helper

Motion carried unanimously.

B. Resignations

PS – 5 Motion by Kathi Stebbins-Hintz to approve the following professional staff resignations:

Brittany Handrich	Location:	Howe Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – Cross Categorical (1.0 FTE)
Anna Tuuri	Location:	Washington Elementary School
	Position:	Teacher – Cross Categorical (1.0 FTE)

E. Wisconsin Rapids Area Middle School Cheer Coach Stipend

Mr. Oswal shared the Middle School Cheer ran this year with a volunteer coach. Team Rapids sponsored shirts and leggings for uniforms. The team practiced 2-3 times per week and cheered for home basketball games. There were approximately 15-20 students who attended consistently. They want to expand next year to include home football games as well.

PS – 9 Motion by Kathi Stebbins-Hintz to approve a 2% co-curricular contract for the Middle School Cheer Coach

Motion carried unanimously.

IV. Consent Agenda

Motions: PS – 1 Professional Staff Appointments
PS – 2 Support Staff Appointments
PS – 3 2026 Summer Professional Staff Appointments
PS - 4 2026 Summer Support Staff Appointments
PS – 5 Professional Staff Resignations
PS – 6 Support Staff Resignations
PS – 7 Support Staff Retirements
PS – 8 Athletic Worker Compensation
PS – 9 Wisconsin Rapids Area Middle School Cheer Coach Stipend

V. Adjournment

Mr. Bier adjourned the meeting at 8:07 pm