

MINUTES
AUBURN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #10
606 W. North Street Auburn IL
July 15, 2026
REGULAR MEETING
District Office
7:00 pm

The following members answered roll call at the regular meeting of the Auburn Board of Education on July 15, 2026. Present: Brad Smith, Jamie Kuhlmann, Michael Bates, Lynde Pavich, and Tyler Berola. Absent: Carl Kessler and Jeff Miller. Also present were Darren Root, Christy Bailey, and Seth McCoy. Present: Melinda Marques, Sam Talavera, Jill Talavera, Jodi O'Dell, Aidan Beck, Jacob Barth, Abby Fritz, Wyatt Thurman, Greg Thurman, Erin Bidleman, and Ruby Howard, secretary to the board.

Bates moved to adopt the agenda. Smith seconded the motion. The voting was as follows:

Bates	yea	Miller	absent
Berola	yea	Pavich	yea
Kessler	absent	Smith	yea
Kuhlmann	yea		

There being 5 "yeas", 0 "nays", the vice-president declared the motion carried.

Recognitions

- Track

Superintendent Report

- District Updates
 - Summer Projects

Smith moved to approve the consent agenda items, which consisted of:

- Approved Minutes of Regular Board Meeting of 6/17/2026
- Approved Minutes of Committee of the Whole 7/1/2026
- Approved SASED Action Items
- Approved School District Accounts Payable / Payroll
- Approved School Activity Accounts Payable
- Approved Monthly Financial Report
- Approved Monthly Activity Accounts Report
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 2:230 - Public Participation at School Board Meetings and Petitions to the Board
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 3:70 - Succession of Authority
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 4:175 - Convicted Sex Offender; Screening; Notifications
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 5:40 - Communicable and Chronic Infectious Disease
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 5:70 - Religious Holidays
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 5:110 - Recognition for Service
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 5:140 - Solicitations By or From Staff
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 5:240 - Suspension

- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 6:70 - Teaching About Religions
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 6:80 - Teaching About Controversial Issues
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 6:190 - Extracurricular and Co-Curricular Activities
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 7:30 - Student Assignment and Intra-District Transfer
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 7:80 - Release Time for Religious Instruction/ Observance
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 7:130 - Student Rights and Responsibilities
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 7:330 - Student Use of Buildings – Equal Access
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 8:10 - Connection with the Community
- Approved First Reading of Board Policy 8:70 - Accommodating Individuals with Disabilities
- Employed 6th Grade Girls Volleyball Coach - Alyssa Burglund
- Accepted Resignation of Bus Driver - Bonnie Craig
- Employed HS Para Pro - Sarah Sawyer
- Employed JH Para Pro - Sami Eaker
- Employed JH Cafeteria Cashier / Playground Duty Supervisor - Pamela Tarr
- Employed HS Individual Aide - Sawyer Henson
- Employed JH Cheerleading Coach - Addison Ladage
- Employed Girls Golf Head Coach - George Knight
- Employed JH Softball Head Coach - Shane Butler
- Employed JH Softball Assistant Coach - Kelsey Stark
- Employed JH Softball Volunteer Assistant Coach - Michelle Curby
- Employed Bus Driver - Shannon Chizmar
- Employed Bus Driver - Tamara Lee

Bates seconded the motion. The voting was as follows:

Bates	yea	Miller	absent
Berola	yea	Pavich	yea
Kessler	absent	Smith	yea
Kuhlmann	yea		

There being 5 “yeas”, 0 “nays”, the vice-president declared the motion carried.

Bates moved to adjourn at 7:13 pm. Smith seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous, and the vice-president declared the motion carried.

* All employment is contingent on background check/EHR check/license verification.

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Auburn, IL 62615

 President

 Secretary