

***Proposed agenda items received 24 hours before the
scheduled meeting will be added to the agenda at the meeting.**

**TENTATIVE
REGULAR MEETING
BOARD AGENDA**

**September 8, 2025
7:30 PM**

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Public Comment
3. Reports and Information from Administration
 - 3.A. Superintendent's Report
 - 3.B. Principal Report
4. Action Items (Discuss, Consider, May take action on the following)
 - 4.A. Routine Business - Consent Agenda
 - 4.A.1. Excuse Absent Board Members (as necessary)
 - 4.A.2. Minutes
 - 4.A.3. Treasurers Report
 - 4.A.4. Claims
 - 4.B. Approve the 2025-26 school district budget, as presented.
 - 4.C. Approve the 2025-2026 tax request resolution.
 - 4.D. Approve the purchase of a skid loader.
5. Future Meeting Dates
6. Adjournment

NEBRASKA OPEN MEETINGS ACT

84-1407. Act, how cited. Sections 84-1407 to 84-1414 shall be known and may be cited as the Open Meetings Act.

84-1408. Declaration of intent; meetings open to public. It is hereby declared to be the policy of this state that the formation of public policy is public business and may not be conducted in secret.

Every meeting of a public body shall be open to the public in order that citizens may exercise their democratic privilege of attending and speaking at meetings of public bodies, except as otherwise provided by the Constitution of Nebraska, federal statutes, and the Open Meetings Act.

84-1409. Terms, defined. For purposes of the Open Meetings Act, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1)(a) Public body means (i) governing bodies of all political subdivisions of the State of Nebraska, (ii) governing bodies of all agencies, created by the Constitution of Nebraska, statute, or otherwise pursuant to law, of the executive department of the State of Nebraska, (iii) all independent boards, commissions, bureaus, committees, councils, subunits, or any other bodies created by the Constitution of Nebraska, statute, or otherwise pursuant to law, (iv) all study or advisory committees of the executive department of the State of Nebraska whether having continuing existence or appointed as special committees with limited existence, (v) advisory committees of the bodies referred to in subdivisions (i), (ii), and (iii) of this subdivision, and (vi) instrumentalities exercising essentially public functions; and

(b) Public body does not include (i) subcommittees of such bodies unless a quorum of the public body attends a subcommittee meeting or unless such subcommittees are holding hearings, making policy, or taking formal action on behalf of their parent body, except that all meetings of any subcommittee established under section 81-15,175 are subject to the Open Meetings Act, (ii) entities conducting judicial proceedings unless a court or other judicial body is exercising rulemaking authority, deliberating, or deciding upon the issuance of administrative orders, and (iii) the Judicial Resources Commission or subcommittees or subgroups of the commission;

(2) Meeting means all regular, special, or called meetings, formal or informal, of any public body for the purposes of briefing, discussion of public business, formation of tentative policy, or the taking of any action of the public body; and

(3) Virtual conferencing means conducting or participating in a meeting electronically or telephonically with interaction among the participants subject to subsection (2) of section 84-1412.

84-1410. Closed session; when; purpose; reasons listed; procedure; right to challenge; prohibited acts; chance meetings, conventions, or workshops.

(1) Any public body may hold a closed session by the affirmative vote of a majority of its voting members if a closed session is clearly necessary for the protection of the public interest or for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual and if such individual has not requested a public meeting. The subject matter and the reason necessitating the closed session shall be identified in the motion to close. Closed sessions may be held for, but shall not be limited to, such reasons as:

(a) Strategy sessions with respect to collective bargaining, real estate purchases, pending litigation, or litigation which is imminent as evidenced by communication of a claim or threat of litigation to or by the public body;

(b) Discussion regarding deployment of security personnel or devices;

(c) Investigative proceedings regarding allegations of criminal misconduct;

(d) Evaluation of the job performance of a person when necessary to prevent needless injury to the reputation of a person and if such person has not requested a public meeting;

(e) For the Community Trust created under section 81-1801.02, discussion regarding the amounts to be paid to individuals who have suffered from a tragedy of violence or natural disaster; or

(f) For public hospitals, governing board peer review activities, professional review activities, review and discussion of medical staff investigations or disciplinary actions, and any strategy session concerning transactional negotiations with any referral source that is required by federal law to be conducted at arms length.

Nothing in this section shall permit a closed meeting for discussion of the appointment or election of a new member to any public body.

(2) The vote to hold a closed session shall be taken in open session. The entire motion, the vote of each member on the question of holding a closed session, and the time when the closed session commenced and concluded shall be recorded in the minutes. If the motion to close passes, then the presiding officer immediately prior to the closed session shall restate on the record the limitation of the subject matter of the closed session. The public body holding such a closed session shall restrict its consideration of matters during the closed portions to only those purposes set forth in the motion to close as the reason for the closed session. The meeting shall be reconvened in open session before any formal action may be taken. For purposes of this section, formal action shall mean a collective decision or a collective commitment or promise to make a decision on any question, motion, proposal, resolution, order, or ordinance or formation of a position or policy but shall not include negotiating guidance given by members of the public body to legal counsel or other negotiators in closed sessions authorized under subdivision (1) (a) of this section.

(3) Any member of any public body shall have the right to challenge the continuation of a closed session if the member determines that the session has exceeded the reason stated in the original motion to hold a closed session or if the member contends that the closed session is neither clearly necessary for (a) the protection of the public interest or (b) the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual. Such challenge shall be overruled only by a majority vote of the members of the public body. Such challenge and its disposition shall be recorded in the minutes.

(4) Nothing in this section shall be construed to require that any meeting be closed to the public. No person or public body shall fail to invite a portion of its members to a meeting, and no public body shall designate itself a subcommittee of the whole body for the purpose of circumventing the Open Meetings Act. No closed session, informal meeting, chance meeting, social gathering, email, fax, or other electronic communication shall be used for the purpose of circumventing the requirements of the act.

(5) The act does not apply to chance meetings or to attendance at or travel to conventions or workshops of members of a public body at which there is no meeting of the body then intentionally convened, if there is no vote or other action taken regarding any matter over which the public body has supervision, control, jurisdiction, or advisory power.

84-1411. Meetings of public body; notice; method; contents; when available; right to modify; duties concerning notice; virtual conferencing authorized; requirements; emergency meeting without notice; appearance before public body.

(1) Until January 1, 2025:

(a) Each public body shall give reasonable advance publicized notice of the time and place of each meeting as provided in this subsection. Such notice shall be transmitted to all members of the public body and to the public.

(b)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (1)(b)(ii) of this section, in the case of a public body described in subdivision (1)(a)(i) of section 84-1409 or such body's advisory committee, such notice shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction and, if available, on such newspaper's website.

(ii) In the case of the governing body of a city of the second class or village or such body's advisory committee or the governing body of a rural or suburban fire protection district, such notice shall be published by:

(A) Publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction and, if available, on such newspaper's website; or

(B) Posting written notice in three conspicuous public places in such city, village, or district. Such notice shall be posted in the same three places for each meeting.

(iii) In the case of a public body not described in subdivision (1) (b)(i) or (ii) of this section, such notice shall be given by a method designated by the public body.

(iv) In case of refusal, neglect, or inability of the newspaper to timely publish the notice, the public body shall (A) post such notice on its website, if available, and (B) post such notice in a conspicuous public place in such public body's jurisdiction. The public body shall keep a written record of such posting. The record of such posting shall be evidence that such posting was done as required and shall be sufficient to fulfill the requirement of publication.

(c) In addition to a method of notice required by subdivision (1)(b) (i) or (ii) of this section, such notice may also be provided by any other appropriate method designated by such public body or such advisory committee.

(d) Each public body shall record the methods and dates of such notice in its minutes.

(e) Such notice shall contain an agenda of subjects known at the time of the publicized notice or a statement that the agenda, which shall be kept continually current, shall be readily available for public inspection at the principal office of the public body during normal business hours. Agenda items shall be sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting. Except for items of an emergency nature, the agenda shall not be altered later than (i) twenty-four hours before the scheduled commencement of the meeting or (ii) forty-eight hours before the scheduled commencement of a meeting of a city council or village board scheduled outside the corporate limits of the municipality. The public body shall have the right to modify the agenda to include items of an emergency nature only at such public meeting.

(2) Beginning January 1, 2025:

(a) Each public body shall give reasonable advance publicized notice of the time and place of each meeting as provided in this subsection. Such notice shall be transmitted to all members of the public body and to the public.

(b)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (2)(b)(ii) of this section, in the case of a public body described in subdivision (1)(a)(i) of section 84-1409 or such body's advisory committees, such notice shall be given by:

(A)(I) Publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction that is finalized for printing prior to the time and date of the meeting, (II) posting on such newspaper's website, if available, and (III) posting on a statewide website established and maintained as a repository for such notices by a majority of Nebraska newspapers. Such notice shall be placed in the newspaper and on the websites by the newspaper; or

(B)(I) Posting to the newspaper's website, if available, and (II) posting to a statewide website established and maintained as a repository for such notices by a majority of Nebraska newspapers if no edition of a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction is to be finalized for printing prior to the time and date of the meeting. Such notice shall be placed in the newspaper and on the websites by the newspaper.

(ii) In the case of the governing body of a city of the second class or village, any advisory committee of such governing body, or the governing body of a rural or suburban fire protection district, such notice shall be given by:

(A)(I) Publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction that is finalized for printing prior to the time and date of the meeting, (II) posting on such newspaper's website, if available, and (III) posting on a statewide website established and maintained as a repository for such notices by a majority of Nebraska newspapers. Such notice shall be placed in the newspaper and on the websites by the newspaper;

(B)(I) Posting to the newspaper's website, if available, and (II) posting on a statewide website established and maintained as a repository for such notices by a majority of Nebraska newspapers if no edition of a newspaper of general circulation within the public body's jurisdiction is to be finalized for printing prior to the time and date of the meeting. Such notice shall be placed in the newspaper and on the websites by the newspaper; or

(C)(III) Posting written notice in three conspicuous public places in such city, village, or district. Such notice shall be posted by the public body in the same three places for each meeting.

(iii) In the case of a public body not described in subdivision (2) (b)(i) or (ii) of this section, such notice shall be given by a method designated by the public body.

(iv) In case of refusal, neglect, or inability of the newspaper to publish the notice, the public body shall (A) post such notice on its website, if available, (B) submit a post on a statewide website established and maintained as a repository for such notices by a majority of Nebraska newspapers, and (C) post such notice in a conspicuous public place in such public body's jurisdiction. The public body shall keep a written record of such posting. The record of such posting shall be evidence that such posting was done as required and shall be sufficient to fulfill the requirement of publication.

(3)(a) The following entities may hold a meeting by means of virtual conferencing if the requirements of subdivision (3)(b) of this section are met:

(i) A state agency, state board, state commission, state council, or state committee, or an advisory committee of any such state entity;

(ii) An organization, including the governing body, created under the Interlocal Cooperation Act, the Joint Public Agency Act, or the Municipal Cooperative Financing Act;

(iii) The governing body of a public power district having a chartered territory of more than one county in this state;

(iv) The governing body of a public power and irrigation district having a chartered territory of more than one county in this state;

(v) An educational service unit;

(vi) The Educational Service Unit Coordinating Council;

(vii) An organization, including the governing body, of a risk management pool or its advisory committees organized in accordance with the Intergovernmental Risk Management Act;

(viii) A community college board of governors;

(ix) The Nebraska Brand Committee;

(x) A local public health department;

(xi) A metropolitan utilities district;

(xii) A regional metropolitan transit authority; and

(xiii) A natural resources district.

(b) The requirements for holding a meeting by means of virtual conferencing are as follows:

(i) Reasonable advance publicized notice is given as provided in subsections (1) and (2) of this section, including providing access to a dial-in number or link to the virtual conference;

(ii) In addition to the public's right to participate by virtual conferencing, reasonable arrangements are made to accommodate the public's right to attend at a physical site and participate as provided in section 84-1412, including reasonable seating, in at least one designated site in a building open to the public and identified in the notice, with: At least one member of the entity holding such meeting, or his or her designee, present at each site; a recording of the hearing by audio or visual recording devices; and a reasonable opportunity for input, such as public comment or questions, is provided to at least the same extent as would be provided if virtual conferencing was not used;

(iii) At least one copy of all documents being considered at the meeting is available at any physical site open to the public where individuals may attend the virtual conference. The public body shall also provide links to an electronic copy of the agenda, all documents being considered at the meeting, and the current version of the Open Meetings Act; and

(iv) Except as otherwise provided in this subdivision or subsection (4) of section 79-2204, no more than one-half of the meetings of the state entities, advisory committees, boards, councils, organizations, or governing bodies are held by virtual conferencing in a calendar year. In the case of (a) an organization created under the Interlocal Cooperation Act that sells electricity or natural gas, (b) an organization created under the Municipal Cooperative Financing Act, (C) a governing body of a risk management pool and any advisory committee of such governing body, or (D) any advisory committee of any state entity created in response to the Opioid Prevention and Treatment Act, such organization, governing body, or committee may hold more than one-half of its meetings by virtual conferencing if such organization holds at least one meeting each calendar year that is not by virtual conferencing.

(4) Virtual conferencing, emails, faxes, or other electronic communication shall not be used to circumvent any of the public government purposes established in the Open Meetings Act.

(5) The secretary or other designee of each public body shall maintain a list of the news media requesting notification of meetings and shall make reasonable efforts to provide advance notification to them of the time and place of each meeting and the subjects to be discussed at that meeting.

(6) When it is necessary to hold an emergency meeting without reasonable advance public notice, the nature of the emergency shall be stated in the minutes and any formal action taken in such meeting shall pertain only to the emergency. Such emergency meetings may be held by virtual conferencing. The provisions of subsection (5) of this section shall be complied with in conducting emergency meetings. Complete minutes of such emergency meetings specifying the nature of the emergency and any formal action taken at the meeting shall be made available to the public by no later than the end of the next regular business day.

(7) A public body may allow a member of the public or any other witness to appear before the public body by means of virtual conferencing.

(8)(a) Notwithstanding subsections (3) and (6) of this section, if an emergency is declared by the Governor pursuant to the Emergency Management Act as defined in section 81-829.39, a public body the territorial jurisdiction of which is included in the emergency declaration, in whole or in part, may hold a meeting by virtual conferencing during such emergency if the public body gives reasonable advance publicized notice as described in subsections (1) and (2) of this section. The notice shall include information regarding access for the public and news media. In addition to any formal action taken pertaining to the emergency, the public body may hold such meeting for the purpose of briefing, discussion of public business, formation of tentative policy, or the taking of any action by the public body.

(b) The public body shall provide access by providing a dial-in number or a link to the virtual conference. The public body shall also provide links to an electronic copy of the agenda, all documents being considered at the meeting, and the current version of the Open Meetings Act. Reasonable arrangements shall be made to accommodate the public's right to hear and speak at the meeting and record the meeting. Subsection (5) of this section shall be complied with in conducting such meetings.

(c) The nature of the emergency shall be stated in the minutes. Complete minutes of such meeting specifying the nature of the emergency and any formal action taken at the meeting shall be made available for inspection as provided in subsection (5) of section

84-1413.

(9) In addition to any other statutory authorization for virtual conferencing, any public body not listed in subdivision (3)(a) of this section may hold a meeting by virtual conferencing if:

(a) The purpose of the virtual meeting is to discuss items that are scheduled to be discussed or acted upon at a subsequent non-virtual open meeting of the public body;

(b) No action is taken by the public body at the virtual meeting; and

(c) The public body complies with subdivisions (3)(b)(i) and (ii) of this section.

84-1412. Meetings of public body; rights of public; public body; powers and duties.

(1) Subject to the Open Meetings Act, the public has the right to attend and the right to speak at meetings of public bodies, and all or any part of a meeting of a public body, except for closed sessions called pursuant to section 84-1410, may be videotaped, televised, photographed, broadcast, or recorded by any person in attendance by means of a tape recorder, a camera, video equipment, or any other means of pictorial or sonic reproduction or in writing. Except for closed sessions called pursuant to section 84-1410, a public body shall allow members of the public an opportunity to speak at each meeting.

(2) It shall not be a violation of subsection (1) of this section for any public body to make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations regarding the conduct of persons attending, speaking at, videotaping, televising, photographing, broadcasting, or recording its meetings, including meetings held by virtual conferencing.

(3) No public body shall require members of the public to identify themselves as a condition for admission to the meeting nor shall such body require that the name of any member of the public be placed on the agenda prior to such meeting in order to speak about items on the agenda. The body shall require any member of the public desiring to address the body to identify himself or herself, including an address and the name of any organization represented by such person unless the address requirement is waived to protect the security of the individual.

(4) No public body shall, for the purpose of circumventing the Open Meetings Act, hold a meeting in a place known by the body to be too small to accommodate the anticipated audience.

(5) No public body shall be deemed in violation of this section if it holds its meeting in its traditional meeting place which is located in this state.

(6) No public body shall be deemed in violation of this section if it holds a meeting outside of this state if, but only if:

(a) A member entity of the public body is located outside of this state and the meeting is in that member's jurisdiction;

(b) All out-of-state locations identified in the notice are located within public buildings used by members of the entity or at a place which will accommodate the anticipated audience;

(c) Reasonable arrangements are made to accommodate the public's right to attend, hear, and speak at the meeting, including making virtual conferencing available at an instate location to members, the public, or the press, if requested twenty-four hours in advance;

(d) No more than twenty-five percent of the public body's meetings in a calendar year are held out-of-state;

(e) Out-of-state meetings are not used to circumvent any of the public government purposes established in the Open Meetings Act; and

(f) The public body publishes notice of the out-of-state meeting at least twenty-one days before the date of the meeting in a legal newspaper of statewide circulation.

(7) Each public body shall, upon request, make a reasonable effort to accommodate the public's right to hear the discussion and testimony presented at a meeting.

(8) Public bodies shall make available at the meeting or the instate location for virtual conferencing as required by subdivision (6)(c) of this section, for examination and copying by members of the public, at least one copy of all reproducible written material to be discussed at an open meeting, either in paper or electronic form. Public bodies shall make available at least one current copy of the Open Meetings Act posted in the meeting room at a location accessible to members of the public. At the beginning of the meeting, the public shall be informed about the location of the posted information.

84-1413. Meetings; minutes; roll call vote; secret ballot; when; agenda and minutes; required on website; when.

(1) Each public body shall keep minutes of all meetings showing the time, place, members present and absent, and the substance of all matters discussed.

(2) Any action taken on any question or motion duly moved and seconded shall be by roll call vote of the public body in open session, and the record shall state how each member voted or if the member was absent or not voting. The requirements of a roll call or viva voce vote shall be satisfied by a public body which utilizes an electronic voting device which allows the yeas and nays of each member of such public body to be readily seen by the public.

(3) The vote to elect leadership within a public body may be taken by secret ballot, but the total number of votes for each candidate shall be recorded in the minutes.

(4) The minutes of all meetings and evidence and documentation received or disclosed in open session shall be public records and open to public inspection during normal business hours.

(5) Minutes shall be written or kept as an electronic record and shall be available for inspection within ten working days or prior to the next convened meeting, whichever occurs earlier, except that cities of the second class and villages may have an additional ten working days if the employee responsible for writing or keeping the minutes is absent due to a serious illness or emergency.

(6) Beginning July 31, 2022, the governing body of a natural resources district, the city council of a city of the metropolitan class, the city council of a city of the primary class, the city council of a city of the first class, the county board of a county with a population greater than twenty-five thousand inhabitants, and the school board of a school district shall make available on such entity's public website the agenda and minutes of any meeting of the governing body. The agenda shall be placed on the website at least twenty-four hours before the meeting of the governing body. Minutes shall be placed on the website at such time as the minutes are available for inspection as provided in subsection (5) of this section. This information shall be available on the public website for at least six months.

84-1414. Unlawful action by public body; declared void or voidable by district court; when; duty to enforce open meeting laws; citizen's suit; procedure; violations; penalties.

(1) Any motion, resolution, rule, regulation, ordinance, or formal action of a public body made or taken in violation of the Open Meetings Act shall be declared void by the district court if the suit is commenced within one hundred twenty days of the meeting of the public body at which the alleged violation occurred. Any motion, resolution, rule, regulation, ordinance, or formal action of a public body made or taken in substantial violation of the Open Meetings Act shall be voidable by the district court if the suit is commenced more than one hundred twenty days after but within one year of the meeting of the public body in which the alleged violation occurred. A suit to void any final action shall be commenced within one year of the action.

(2) The Attorney General and the county attorney of the county in which the public body ordinarily meets shall enforce the Open Meetings Act.

(3) Any citizen of this state may commence a suit in the district court of the county in which the public body ordinarily meets or in which the plaintiff resides for the purpose of requiring compliance with or preventing violations of the Open Meetings Act, for the purpose of declaring an action of a public body void, or for the purpose of determining the applicability of the act to discussions or decisions of the public body. It shall not be a defense that the citizen attended the meeting and failed to object at such time. The court may order payment of reasonable attorney's fees and court costs to a successful plaintiff in a suit brought under this section.

(4) Any member of a public body who knowingly violates or conspires to violate or who attends or remains at a meeting knowing that the public body is in violation of any provision of the Open Meetings Act shall be guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor for a first offense and a Class III misdemeanor for a second or subsequent offense.

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Superintendent Board Report September 8, 2025

1. The NASB Area membership meeting in Fremont will be held on Wednesday, September 24th; registration is due by September 18th. Registration begins at 4:30 p.m. and dinner is scheduled to start at 7:25 p.m. *Jolene, Leah, April, Chad, and Lisa will be honored during the dinner portion of the evening.*
2. The State Education Conference is being held November 19th – 21st in Omaha. *Registration opens on September 10th – room requests open on September 24th.*
3. P2T Update: After the drop and adds this fall, we have 14 students taking courses through P2T in West Point.
4. Attached you will find our current enrollment and participation numbers and projections for fall activities. *We will plan to be on our own for JH football next year.*
5. We will be hosting district One Acts on Wednesday, December 3rd. We will not have school for students on that day, staff will be helping with the event and having PD time.
6. Attached you will find the Graduation 2027 survey results on a potential day change for the future.

Bill Review: Jim is scheduled for October, Jolene is scheduled for November.

Suggested List of Motions

September 8, 2025

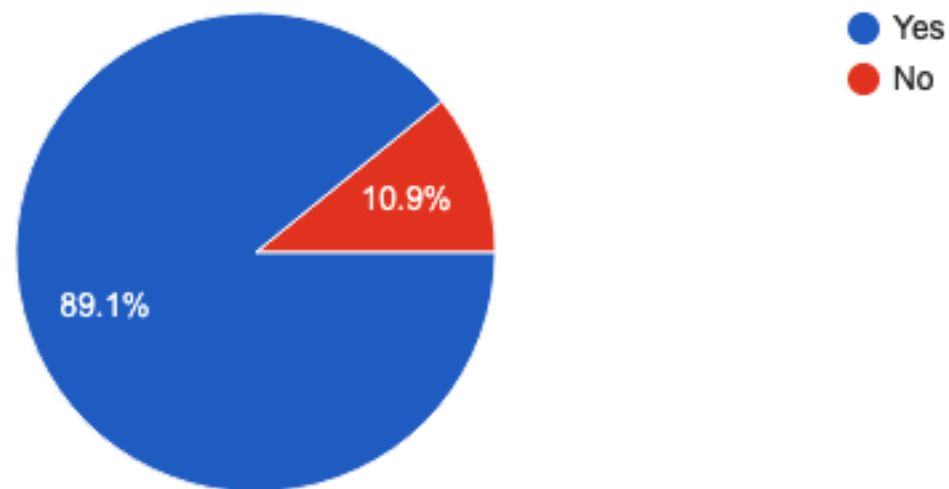
(Open meetings act rules posted on the west wall of the media center)

1. _____ opened the meeting at _____ P.M.
2. It was moved by _____, seconded by _____
To approve the Consent Agenda items:
 1. Excuse Absent Board Members (if necessary)
 2. Minutes
 3. Treasurers Report
 4. General Fund Claims
 5. Lunch Fund Claims
 6. Special Building ClaimsRoll Call: Aye: _____ Nay: _____
3. It was moved by _____, seconded by _____
to approve the 2025-2026 school district budget, as presented.
Roll Call: Aye: _____ Nay: _____
4. It was moved by _____, seconded by _____
to approve the tax request resolution for 2025-2026.
Roll Call: Aye: _____ Nay: _____
5. It was moved by _____, seconded by _____
to approve the purchase of a skid loader.
Roll Call: Aye: _____ Nay: _____
6. _____ adjourned the meeting at _____ P.M.

Would you like to see graduation moved from Sunday to Saturday?

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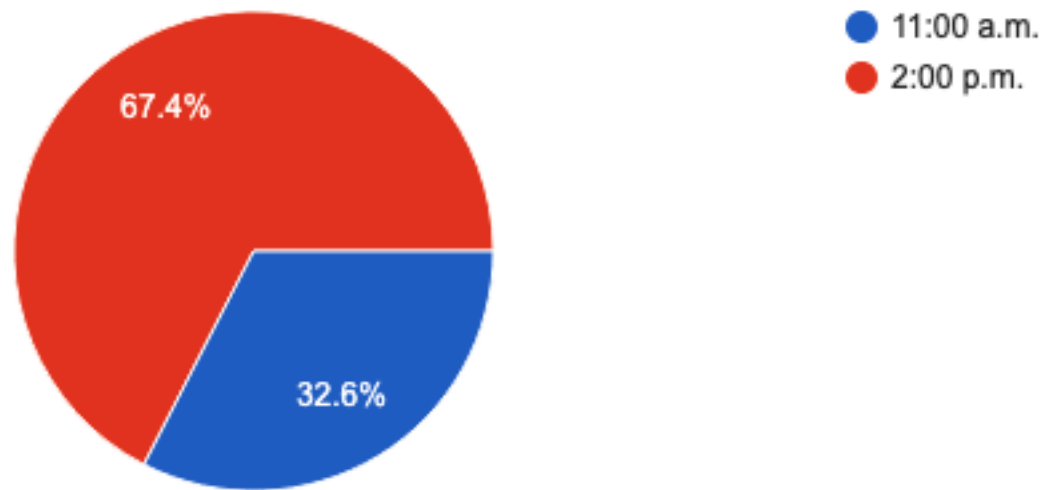
46 responses



If so, what time on Saturday would you prefer?

43 responses

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Principal Report - September 2025 Board Meeting

A. Calendar - Upcoming Events

CVA Career Day-----
2:00 Dismissal, Staff Inservice-----September 10th
PK Grandparents Day-----September 10th
Picture Retakes-----September 12th
Bio Blitz----- September 22nd
2:00 Dismissal, Staff Inservice- Cougar Culture----- September 24th
1:00 Dismissal, 2:00-7:00 Parent Teacher Conferences.....October 1st
Health Screenings-----October 2nd
No School, Fall Break.....October 3rd

B. Professional Development

- August 13th - All elementary paraprofessionals and K-3 teachers participated in a Science of Reading training presented by ESU2.
- August 28th - Reading Data meetings were held with Caryn Zietlow to determine best practices and interventions for students in K-3.
- September 8th - Mason Alitz and Alexis Beavers attended Day 1 of a 3 day 3rd-6th grade reading morphology training in Ashland.
- Kendra Boden, Alexis Beavers, Tina Ronnfeldt, and Brittney Moody volunteered and participated in Peer Teacher Observations in August.

C. Elementary and Secondary

- The PAWS Afterschool program began on Monday, August 18th. They have taken one field trip to the Miracle Park in Sioux City.
- Elementary and Secondary students completed MAP assessments during the weeks of August 25th - September 5th
- Thank you to the American Legion Post 83, VFW Post 7998, and VFW Auxiliary, Lyons for your gracious donation of school supplies. We appreciate Jerry Ludwig and Tami Westerhold representing these organizations and delivering these helpful items to the school.
- LDNE STEM Research
 - Southeast Community College- Worked with Dr. Tracy Niday, Zoe Durand, and Natyeli Martinez-Neria. Students did labs in enzymes and food fermentation.
 - Students visited the Lincoln Children's Zoo. Students learned about the conservation research being done with African condors in South Africa and Amphibians in Honduras.
- A big thank you to the Lyons-Decatur FFA and the parents who helped organize Ag Day for our elementary students! Your time and effort gave our students a fun, hands-on learning experience that they will always remember.

D. Cougar News

- Many members of the FFA competed at the State Fair.
- Volleyball, XC, Football seasons are off and rolling.
- P2T- 2 seniors, 12 juniors,
- Dual Credit/College classes- 23 seniors and 16 juniors are taking dual credit courses.
- Teacher Aides- 18 students.

F. Fall Rosters 2025

High School Football	Freshmen: Coleman, Easton, Teagan, Angel Sophomores: Carter, Brogan, Ayden C. , Malaki, Noah, Jacob, Hunter, Jaeden, Aiden F. Juniors: Kwyntin, Simon, Josh, Eric, Joseph, Jordan, Weston, Ryan Seniors: Brady, Caden, Brayden, Kaden
High School Volleyball	Freshmen: Ryanna, Dakota, Peyton, Cali, Caroline, Mckennah, Sophomores: Kenley, Brylee, Jaylynn, Izzy, Kellyn Juniors: Karsen, Kassi, Linden Seniors: Avery, Samantha, Tavyanna, Sidney, Alex, Elizabeth, Katie
High School/JH XC	Freshmen: Mia Sophomores: Juniors: Seniors: Kaylin, Adi, Belen 7th: 8th:
JH Football	7th - Keegan Anderson, William Carr, Mikhail Goodbird, Dutch Hardeman, Paxton Lane, Jhosse Sandoval, Hunter Simonsen, Connor Richardson, Chase Uehling, Connor Vacha 8th - Kade French, Archie Pond, Logan Sigaty Coach Burton
JH Volleyball	7th- Kennedy Petersen, Emma Henneman, Brynli Cooper, Harley Osten, Brooke Tomka 8th- Brooke Larson, Jenaveev Myers, Delaney Andersen, Meika Maryott , Charlotte Dolezal, Natalie Timm,

The Board of Education of the Lyons-Decatur School District No. 20 met in regular session on Monday, August 11, 2025, in the Media Center. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof in the Lyons-Mirror Sun, designated method for giving notice. Meeting notices were also posted at the Superintendent's office and on the school website. Notice of the meeting was given in advance to all members and agenda was communicated in the notice to the board of this meeting. All proceedings hereinafter were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. Present were Archer, Bacon, Brehmer, Christiansen, Miller, Myers, Petersen, Troutman, and Vlach. The open meeting laws are posted on the west wall of the Media Center.

Posted Locations: Lyons-Mirror Sun, lyonsdecaturschools.org, front door of the school.

Posted Date: 7/31/25

President, Lisa Christiansen opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Superintendent Report: The local area NASB meeting in Fremont will be held on Wednesday, September 24th. The EHA enrollment period is open for any board member interested in joining. Mr. Paul Cash will be retiring at the end of August, and we will be holding an open house for him on Wednesday, August 27th at 3:30 p.m. in the media center. We were contacted by the NDOT and will be providing a letter of support for a grant to replace the bridge in Decatur.

Principal Report: The calendar and professional development plan for 2025-26 was shared. The PAWS program will be begin on Monday, August 18th.

It was moved by James Vlach, seconded by Evan Myers, to approve the consent agenda. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye
Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by James Vlach, seconded by Evan Myers, to suspend the regular meeting and open the student fees policy hearing at 7:40 P.M. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye
Aye: 9, Nay: 0

Discussion on the Student Fees Policy.

It was moved by Corey Petersen, seconded by Chad Brehmer, to close the student fees policy hearing and re-open the regular board meeting at 7:42 P.M. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye
Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by James Vlach, seconded by Leah Miller, to suspend the regular meeting and open the parental involvement policy hearing at 7:42 P.M. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

Discussion on the Parental Involvement Policy.

It was moved by Chad Brehmer, seconded by Leah Miller, to close the parental involvement policy hearing and re-open the regular meeting at 7:44 P.M. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by Evan Myers, seconded by Leah Miller, Approve board policies: 5001 - Attendance and Excessive Absenteeism, 5018 - Parental Involvement Policy, 5045 - Student Fee Policy, 5052 - Wellness, 5054 - Bullying, 5057 - Title 1 Parental Involvement Policy, as presented. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by James Vlach, seconded by Evan Myers, to adopt the resolution to approve the base growth percentage of the property tax request authority for the district. Roll Call.

Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by Corey Petersen, seconded by Leah Miller, to designate the Burt County Independent as the official publication for the district. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

It was moved by Chad Brehmer, seconded by Corey Petersen, Approve the board goals for 2025-26. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Aye, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 9, Nay: 0

The end of the fiscal year meeting will be held on Monday, August 25th at 7:30 p.m.

The next regular board meeting will be Monday, September 8th at 7:30 p.m.

President, Lisa Christiansen closed the meeting at 8:08 p.m.

I the undersigned, secretary of the School District of Lyons-Decatur Northeast, in the County of Burt, in the State of Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for inspection at the office of the secretary, located in the main office of the school, Lyons Center, except those items of an emergency nature added at the meeting by motion and roll call vote, that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting that said minutes of the Board of Education of the School District of Lyons-Decatur Northeast in

the County of Burt, State of Nebraska were in written form and available for inspection by the public within 24 hours and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meeting of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

Secretary, Board of Education

ATTEST:

President, Board of Education

The Board of Education of the Lyons-Decatur School District No. 20 met in a special session on Monday, August 25, 2025, in the Media Center. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publishing notice in the Burt County Independent, designated method for giving notice. Meeting notices were also posted at the Superintendent's office and on the school website. Notice of the meeting was given in advance to all members and agenda was communicated in the notice to the board of this meeting. All proceedings hereinafter were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. Present were Archer, Bacon, Brehmer, Christiansen, Miller, Myers, Petersen, and Vlach. Excused absent was Troutman.

Posted Locations: Burt County Independent, lyonsdecaturschools.org, front door of the school

Posted Date: 8/7/25

President Christiansen opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

It was moved by Evan Myers, seconded by James Vlach, to approve the consent agenda. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Absent, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 8, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

It was moved by Corey Petersen, seconded by Leah Miller, to approve the purchase of a 2025 10-person van from Woodhouse. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Absent, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 8, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

It was moved by James Vlach, seconded by Chad Brehmer, to approve the sale and disposal of excess tangible personal property. Roll Call. Archer: Aye, Bacon: Aye, Brehmer: Aye, Christiansen: Aye, Miller: Aye, Myers: Aye, Petersen: Aye, Troutman: Absent, Vlach: Aye

Aye: 8, Nay: 0, Absent : 1

Discussion was held on the 2025-2026 Budget and Tax Request.

The next board meeting will be held Monday, September 8th at 7:30 p.m. in the Media Center; we will start with the budget and tax request hearings.

President Christiansen closed the meeting at 7:44 p.m.

I the undersigned, secretary of the School District of Lyons-Decatur Northeast, in the County of Burt, in the State of Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for inspection at the office of the secretary, located in the main office of the school, Lyons Center, except those items of an emergency nature added at the meeting by motion and roll call vote, that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting that said minutes of the Board of Education of the School District of Lyons-Decatur Northeast in the County of Burt, State of Nebraska were in written form and available for inspection by the public within 24 hours and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meeting of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

Secretary, Board of Education

ATTEST:

President, Board of Education

Treasurer's Report

At the close of business August 29, 2025

Cash Balance on July 31, 2025 -6,439.77

Receipts for August 2025

Burt County	\$ 52,622.07
Other County	\$ 1,475.82
Benefits	\$ 1,543.74
State of NE - Medicaid	\$ 634.97
ESU #2 - CC grant	\$ 450.00
State of NE - IDEA	\$ 2,324.00
Computer fee	\$ 2,140.00
PK Tuition	\$ 500.00
Act Fund reimbursement	\$ 508.86
City of Lyons - License fee	\$ 720.00
Misc	\$ 21.47
Interest	\$ 3.17

Total Receipts	\$ 62,944.10
Account Transfers	\$ 638,000.00
Disbursements	\$ 750,881.65

Cash Balance as of August 29, 2025	-56,377.32
Outstanding Checks/deposits	\$ 58,322.78
Ending Bank Balance as of August 29, 2025	\$ 1,945.46

SAVINGS BALANCE	Beginning:	\$ 2,553,181.53	ENDING BALANCE	\$1,919,876.62
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Treasurer

COMBINED ACCOUNT BALANCES
Depreciation, Employee Benefit Fund, Bond, Special Building, and Student Fee
Fund
As of August 29, 2025

DEPRECIATION FUND

Balance	\$302,474.88
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EMPLOYEE BENEFIT FUND

Balance	\$19,087.75
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BOND FUND

Balance	\$621,485.12
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SPECIAL BUILDING FUND

Balance	\$1,243,652.39
NE Liquid Assets Balance	\$ 636,327.54

STUDENT FEE FUND

Balance	0
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TOTAL OF COMBINED ACCOUNTS	\$2,823,027.68
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GENERAL REIMBURSEMENT FUND

Checking account	\$6,060.63
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ACTIVITY FUND

Balance	\$126,398.76
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Treasurer's Report
LUNCH FUND
At the close of Business August 29, 2025

Cash Balance July 31, 2025	\$26,080.34
Receipts for August 2025	\$54,452.86
Disbursements for August 2025	\$ 7,004.65
Cash Balance August 29, 2025	\$73,528.55
Outstanding Checks	\$ 0
Ending Bank Balance August 29, 2025	\$73,528.55

September 2025 Expenditures	\$18,221.48
September 2025 Payroll	\$ 6,766.88
Total	\$24,988.36

Check #	Vendor Name	Invoice	Description	Amount
Checking	1			
Checking	1 Fund: 01 GENERAL FUND			
29020	A/C DEPT BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF NE	20250901BCBS	BENEFITS	1,200.84
Vendor Total:				1,200.84
29022	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	116Y-WHD9-7YQ3	ELEM FOLDERS	37.18
29022	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	13NT-FG4M-C7HM	280.71	280.71
29022	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	14HF-XGJC-3P1M	AIR TAGS	38.99
29022	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	1W13-CHW3-91V9	SPRAYER	62.68
29022	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	1Y1M-LRLJ-9JFJ	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	21.23
Vendor Total:				440.79
29023	APPEARA	1114198	SUPPLIES	379.92
Vendor Total:				379.92
29024	AWARDS UNLIMITED INC	308481	WRESTLING PLAQUES	443.34
29024	AWARDS UNLIMITED INC	310234	WRESTLING PLAQUES	477.19
Vendor Total:				920.53
29025	BEAUDETTE, LINDSEY	20250831BEAU	TRAVEL EXP/SUPPLIES	202.39
Vendor Total:				202.39
29026	BURT COUNTY INDEPENDENT	296573	NOTICES	108.63
29026	BURT COUNTY INDEPENDENT	296924	NOTICES	14.09
Vendor Total:				122.72
29061	CARDIO PARTNERS INC	600131549	SUPPLIES	436.23
Vendor Total:				436.23
29027	CDW-G	AF4NG1M	BANNER PRINTER INK	363.42
Vendor Total:				363.42
29028	CITY OF LYONS	20250810CITY	UTILITIES	5,198.16
Vendor Total:				5,198.16
29029	CLEARFLY	INV743743	PHONE SERVICE	133.38
Vendor Total:				133.38
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72275	INSPECTIONS	1,425.00
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72276	BUS 20 BATTERY	745.20
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72278	BUS 15 SERVICE	587.06
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72284	VAN 1 SERVICE	69.21
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72285	VAN 2 SERVICE	163.93
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72286	VAN 3 SERVICE	67.03
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72293	RED MINI SERVICE	67.03
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72296	WHITE MINI SERVICE	309.56
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72297	SILVER MINI ANTIFREEZE	8.86
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72300	BUS 22 OIL	11.50
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72301	VAN 2 SPARK PLUGS	607.14
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72325	BUS 10 REPAIR EXHAUST	241.87
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72335	BUS 15 EMERGECEY DOOR SWITCH	514.45
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72374	SILVER MINI BRAKES	1,001.57
29030	CNA AUTO SERVICES	72379	GRAY VAN MIRROR	47.50
Vendor Total:				5,866.91
29031	DEMCO INCORPORATED	7683779	LIBRARY SUPPLIES	761.76
Vendor Total:				761.76
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9181934-0	PAPER	1,479.60
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9182328-1	FILTERS	953.14
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9182823-0	GLASS CLEANER,BATTERIES	256.30
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9187542-0	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	766.90
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9189287-0	PAPER TOWELS	479.76
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9191215-0	SUPPLIES	27.16

Check #	Vendor Name	Invoice	Description	Amount
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9191216-0	FOLDERS	31.73
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9192441-0	VAC BAGS	52.00
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9194149-0	GLASS CLEANER	43.80
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9194195-0	RUBBER BANDS	11.53
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9198570-0	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	190.92
29032	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	INV675689	EGOLD FAX	38.99
Vendor Total:				4,331.83
29033	FIRST NATIONAL BANK OMAHA	20250831FNB0	GOOGLE, SCIENCE,MUSIC	119.36
Vendor Total:				119.36
29034	FRANCISCAN HEALTHCARE WEST POINT	20250809FRAN	DRIVER PHYSICAL	145.00
29034	FRANCISCAN HEALTHCARE WEST POINT	20250812FRAN	BUS PHYSICAL-DR	145.00
Vendor Total:				290.00
29035	GENERAL REIMBURSEMENT FUND	20250831GENR EIM	BLDG PERMIT,EHC MTG, SUPPLIES	275.00
Vendor Total:				275.00
29036	HAUFF MID AMERICA SPORTS	180577	SHOULDER PADS	978.83
29036	HAUFF MID AMERICA SPORTS	181141	FB SUPPLIES	23.75
Vendor Total:				1,002.58
29037	HOMETOWN LEASING	20250901HTLE ASE	COPIER LEASE	691.87
Vendor Total:				691.87
29038	HUDL	H00150881	AD PKG	11,500.00
Vendor Total:				11,500.00
29039	J W PEPPER & SONS, INC	367676187	MUSIC	225.74
29039	J W PEPPER & SONS, INC	367677011	MUSIC	13.00
29039	J W PEPPER & SONS, INC	367679367	MUSIC	25.20
Vendor Total:				263.94
29040	JENSEN PLUMBING & HEATING	20250813JEN	HOT WATER HEATER REPAIR	615.45
Vendor Total:				615.45
29041	KB'S MINI MART, INC.	20250831KBS	GAS/FUEL	2,666.60
Vendor Total:				2,666.60
29042	LIVESTOCK.JUDGING.COM	7453	AG SUBSCRIPTION	300.00
Vendor Total:				300.00
29043	MATHESON TRI-GAS, INC	52552124	AG SUPPLIES	707.50
Vendor Total:				707.50
29044	MENARDS - SIOUX CITY	65473 REPLACEMENT	SUPPLIES	325.73
Vendor Total:				325.73
29045	MOSAIC OF FREMONT	AUG-25	TRANSITION SERVICES	5,720.00
Vendor Total:				5,720.00
29046	MOSYLE MANAGER	25104470	DEVICE LICENSES	3.68
Vendor Total:				3.68
29047	NASB ALICAP	20250901ALIC AP	W/C PROPERTY INS	112,371.00
Vendor Total:				112,371.00
29048	NATIONAL ART & SCHOOL SUPPLIES INC.	44793	SUPPLIES	57.87
Vendor Total:				57.87
29049	NATIONAL, SCRIPP'S	SK32- 0000029101	ENROLLMENT	206.50
Vendor Total:				206.50
29050	ONE SOURCE	2022187190	BACKGROUND CHECKS	404.00
Vendor Total:				404.00
29051	PHILLIPS, WENDY	20250803PHIL	PRESERVICE EVAL	25.00
Vendor Total:				25.00
29052	PITNEY BOWES GLOBAL FINANCIAL	3321212704	MACHINE RENT	195.12
Vendor Total:				195.12
29053	PLUNKETT'S PEST CONTROL	10092487	PEST CONTROL	62.44

Check #	Vendor Name	Invoice	Description	Amount
			Vendor Total:	62.44
29054	QUILL CORPORATION	45367042	LAMINATING FILM	192.69
29054	QUILL CORPORATION	45468665	ENVELOPES	77.96
29054	QUILL CORPORATION	45552697	LAMINATING FILM	167.69
			Vendor Total:	438.34
29055	SAVEMORE MARKET	20250829SAVE	SUPPLIES	140.05
			Vendor Total:	140.05
29056	STEINY'S GENERAL STORE	20250901STEI N	SUPPLIES	1,398.07
			Vendor Total:	1,398.07
29057	TIME MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC	344179	AUGUST OVERAGE	16.25
			Vendor Total:	16.25
29058	TIMM, PAUL	20250831TIMM	SUPPLIES	99.64
			Vendor Total:	99.64
29059	VERIZON WIRELESS	6121255943	JET PACKS	45.06
			Vendor Total:	45.06
29060	WEST POINT NEWS	297603	ENVELOPES	740.25
			Vendor Total:	740.25
			Fund Total:	161,040.18
			Checking Account Total:	161,040.18

Checking	2			
Checking	2	Fund: 08	SPECIAL BUILDING FUND	
1402	CERTIFIED TESTING SERVICES, INC.	SC49663	PARKING LOT TESTING	4,436.00
			Vendor Total:	4,436.00
1403	HAUFF MID AMERICA SPORTS	180581	GYM MATS	4,795.00
			Vendor Total:	4,795.00
1404	OFFICE INTERIORS & DESIGN	13836	FURNITURE	3,466.54
			Vendor Total:	3,466.54
1405	SCHMADER ELECTRIC CO.	3023	FB FIELD NEW SCOREBOARD	4,356.00
			Vendor Total:	4,356.00
			Fund Total:	17,053.54
			Checking Account Total:	17,053.54

Checking	6			
Checking	6	Fund: 06	SCHOOL LUNCH FUND	
9845	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	173K-T69N- F77D	supplies	36.89
9845	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	1L1G-V6JH- 19PF	food	108.18
			Vendor Total:	145.07
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	14709058	food	455.04
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	147090971	food	315.55
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	14725525	food	254.57
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	14725526	food	58.95
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	14801974	food	486.53
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	14801976	food	191.13
9846	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING	CM3870430	food	(60.74)
			Vendor Total:	1,701.03
9847	EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	9178469-0	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	488.28
			Vendor Total:	488.28
9848	HILAND DAIRY FOODS COMPANY LLC	0445716	food	481.91
9848	HILAND DAIRY FOODS COMPANY LLC	0445775	food	521.23
9848	HILAND DAIRY FOODS COMPANY LLC	0445846	food	403.63
9848	HILAND DAIRY FOODS COMPANY LLC	0445901	food	547.75
9848	HILAND DAIRY FOODS COMPANY LLC	0445967	food	372.60
			Vendor Total:	2,327.12
9849	INNOVATIVE OFFICE SOLUTIONS	IN4893321-0	supplies	395.81
			Vendor Total:	395.81

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9850	SAVEMORE MARKET	09012025HLF	food	1,156.03
			Vendor Total:	1,156.03
9851	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE	6039280636	supplies	207.00
			Vendor Total:	207.00
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661473376	food	236.35
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661484815	food	3,868.56
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661488844	food	14.89
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661496066	food	3,921.17
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661496067	food	34.30
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661508169	food	3,672.57
9852	SYSCO FOOD SERVICES	661508171	food	53.30
			Vendor Total:	11,801.14
			Fund Total:	18,221.48
			Checking Account Total:	18,221.48

Net Payroll	214,891.46
Employee Deductions	86,257.42
District SS/Medicare	22,613.84
District Health/Life/HSA	70,017.80
District Retirement	<u>22,978.64</u>
PAYROLL	\$ 416,759.16
 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	 <u>\$ 161,040.18</u>
 TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	 \$ 577,799.34
 SPECIAL BUILDING EXPENDITURES	 \$ 17,053.54
 LUNCH FUND	 \$ 18,221.48

Secretary, Board of Education

ATTEST:

President, Board of Education

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

Lyons-Decatur Northeast (110020) in Burt County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 8th day of September, 2025 at 7:30 o'clock, PM, at LDNE Media Center, 400 S. 5th Street, Lyons, NE 68038 for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget and to consider amendments relative thereto. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk/Secretary during regular business hours. For more information on statewide receipts and expenditures, and to compare cost per pupil and performance to other school districts, go to: <https://nep.education.ne.gov>

FUNDS	Actual Disbursements & Transfers	Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	Budgeted Disbursements & Transfers	Necessary Cash Reserve (4)	Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes (5)	Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement (7)
	2023-2024 (1)	2024-2025 (2)	2025-2026 (3)			
General	\$ 5,958,004.00	\$ 5,967,313.00	\$ 6,559,685.00	\$ 1,884,939.00	\$ 3,938,124.00	\$ 4,552,020.00
Depreciation	\$ -	\$ 71,000.00	\$ 425,000.00		\$ 425,000.00	
Employee Benefit	\$ 442.00	\$ 493.00	\$ 18,594.00	\$ -	\$ 18,594.00	
Contingency	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	
Activities	\$ 175,496.00	\$ 210,000.00	\$ 290,000.00	\$ -	\$ 290,000.00	
School Nutrition	\$ 251,120.00	\$ 253,800.00	\$ 386,708.00	\$ -	\$ 386,708.00	
Bond	\$ 1,411,981.00	\$ 1,410,356.26	\$ 1,430,000.00	\$ 890,262.00	\$ 905,262.00	\$ 1,429,293.00
Special Building	\$ 11,340,022.00	\$ 2,579,897.14	\$ 2,900,000.00		\$ 2,900,000.00	\$ -
Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cooperative	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Student Fee	\$ 4,865.00	\$ 3,800.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ -	\$ 4,000.00	
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
TOTALS	\$ 19,141,930.00	\$ 10,496,659.40	\$ 12,013,987.00	\$ 2,775,201.00	\$ 8,867,688.00	\$ 5,981,313.00

Breakdown of Property Tax	Bond Purposes	Non-Bond Purposes	Total
	\$ 1,429,293.00	\$ 4,552,020.00	\$ 5,981,313.00

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Lyons-Decatur Northeast (110020) in Burt County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1632, that the governing body will meet on the 8th day of, September 2025 Immediately following the budget hearing , at LDNE Media Center, 400 S. 5th Street, Lyons, NE 68038 for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request.

	2024-2025	2025-2026	Change
Property Valuations	688,629,568	730,606,342	6%

2024-2025 Budget Information

2025-2026 Budget Information

Fund	2024-2025 Operating Budget	2024-2025 Property Tax Request	2024 Tax Rate	Property Tax Rate (2023-2024 Request Divided By 2024 Valuation)	2025-2026 Operating Budget	2025-2026 Proposed Property Tax Request	Proposed 2025 Tax Rate	Change in Tax Rate	Change in Operating Budget
General Fund	6,404,467.00	4,463,636.00	0.648191	0.610950	6,559,685.00	4,552,020.00	0.623047	-4%	2%
Bond Fund(s) K - 12	1,430,000.00	1,429,293.00	0.270424	0.368451	1,430,000.00	1,429,293.00	0.254254	-6%	0%
Special Building Fund	6,148,052.00	-	0.000000	0.000000	2,900,000.00	-	0.000000		-53%
Total	13,982,519.00	5,892,929.00	0.918815	0.979401	10,889,685.00	5,981,313.00	0.877301	-5%	-22%

RESOLUTION SETTING THE PROPERTY TAX REQUEST

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-2026:1

WHEREAS, Nebraska Revised Statute 77-1632 and 77-1633 provides that the Governing Body of Lyons-Decatur Northeast passes by a majority vote a resolution or ordinance setting the tax request; and

WHEREAS, a special public hearing was held as required by law to hear and consider comments concerning the property tax request;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governing Body of Lyons-Decatur Northeast resolves that:

1. The 2025-2026 property tax request be set at:

General Fund:	\$	4,552,020.00
Bond Fund:	\$	1,429,293.00
Special Building Fund:	\$	-
Qualified Capital Purpose	\$	-

2. The total assessed value of property differs from last year's total assessed value by 6.1 percent.
3. The tax rate which would levy the same amount of property taxes as last year, when multiplied by the new total assessed value of property would be 0.979401 per \$100 of assessed value.
4. Lyons-Decatur Northeast proposes to adopt a property tax request that will cause its tax rate to be 0.877301 per \$100 of assessed value.
5. Based on the proposed property tax request and changes in other revenue, the total operating budget of Lyons-Decatur Northeast will decrease last years budget by 18.2 percent.
6. A copy of this resolution be certified and forwarded to the County Clerk on or before October 15, 2025.

Motion by _____, seconded by _____ to adopt Resolution #_____.

Voting yes were:

Voting no were:

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2025