Minutes of Regular Meeting

The Board of Education
Blue Ridge CUSD #18

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Blue Ridge CUSD #18 was held Wednesday, November 18, 2026, beginning at 7:00 PM in the Blue Ridge Intermediate & Junior High
107 S McKinley St
Mansfield, Illinois 61854.

I. Call to Order
II. Roll Call
III. Public Comments/Recognition of Guests
IV. Presentations
A. Exemplary Knights
B. Melanie Brown - CICEO Facilitator
V. Communication
A. IASB Liaison Talking Points
VI. Committee Reports
VII. Administrative Reports
A. Superintendent
B. Principals
1. Mr. Brian Easter, Blue Ridge High School
2. Mr. Burt Huddleston, Blue Ridge Intermediate & Junior High
3. Mrs. Sunny McMurry, Schneider Elementary
C. Curriculum
D. Technology
E. Operations and Maintenance
F. Transportation
G. Food Services
H. Special Education
I. Finance
VIII. Approval of Consent Items
A. Minutes from Regular and Special Board of Education Meetings
B. Financial Reports
C. Bills and Payroll
D. Resignation of District Personnel
E. FOIA Requests
1. SmartProcure
F. SIP 26-27
1. BRHS
2. BRIJHS
3. BRSE
G. Vacation Day Request

H. 2026 Official Profiles of Performance Letters

IX. New Business

A. Tentative Tax Levy and Set Date for December 16, 2026 for the Truth and Taxation Hearing and the Approval of Tax Levy

B. Design and Letting for Bids for BRSE Kitchen Remodel

C. Design and Letting for Bids for BRHS Moore Gym Locker Room Roof Replacement

D. Baseball and Softball Field Fencing

E. Baseball and Softball Field Maintenance Equipment

X. Closed Session

A. The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the district; collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees; discuss probable or imminent litigation on behalf of the public body, pursuant to Section 2(c)(11) of the Open Meetings Act. *5ILCS 120./2(c) (1).*

1. Negotiation
2. Possible Litigation
3. Appointment

a. Girls' Basketball Volunteer Coach, BRHS

b. Bass Fishing Volunteer Coach, BRHS

4. Permission for Superintendent to Hire Prior to December Board of Education Meeting

XI. Open Session

XII. Good of the Cause Discussion

XIII. Adjournment