LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

Please note: Minutes are not official until approved during the next Regular Board Meeting on December 8th, 2025

Kind of Meeting: Regular Meeting

Meeting Date: November 10, 2025

Presiding Officer: Keith Runge

Regular Board Meeting

1. **Opening Procedures**

1.1. Call to Order — Chairman Runge called the regular meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

1.2. Pledge of Allegiance — The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Jeremy Sprunk.

1.3. Open Meetings Act — Chairman Runge noted the meeting would follow the open meeting act.

1.4. Verification of Publication and Notification — The agenda was posted in all school buildings and the meeting notice was published in The Columbus Telegram on 10/29/2025.

1.5. Roll Call — All members were present.

1.6. Excuse Absent Board Members — None.

2. **Approval of Agenda**
It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the agenda as presented. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson:	Yea
Joy Escen:	Yea
Jerry Jaixen:	Yea
Keith Runge:	Yea
Jeremy Sprunk:	Yea
Eric Stuthman:	Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

3. **Staff/Student Presentations** — FBLA and Student Council students shared updates on fall activities and upcoming events.

4. **Recognition of Visitors/Communications from the Public** — Lakeview Staff members, Pekny & Associates Auditors, and members from ESU7 were present.

5. **Public Comment** — None.

6. **Administrative Reports**

6.1. Superintendent Report — Mr. Meyer gave a report on the following items:
- Pending updates from lighting company, Musco
- Financal updates

6.2. Principal Reports — In addition to the principal's submitted reports:
- Mr. Borer updated that Lakeview will host the Columbus Community Veterans Day program on November 11th.
- Mrs. Craven and Mr. Nygren discussed the Veterans Day programs for Elementary schools, staff shout-outs, and gave an update on test scores.
- Mr. Krueger gave an update on the tremendous Fall Sports successes.

7. **Consent Agenda**
It was moved by Jeremy Sprunk and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the consent agenda as presented which includes items 7.1 - 7.3. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson:	Yea
Joy Escen:	Yea
Jerry Jaixen:	Yea
Keith Runge:	Yea
Jeremy Sprunk:	Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

7.1. Minutes of Previous Meeting

7.2. Monthly Financial Report

7.3. Payment of Invoices Including Building Fund

8. **Action Items**

8.1. 2024-2025 School Audit

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the 2024-2025 school audit as presented by Pekny and Associates. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Pekny & Associates gave a presentation on the 2024-2025 Lakeview Community Schools Audit.

8.2. Approval of Resignations

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the resignation of Jasey Reinhart as Head Softball Coach, and thank her for her service. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.3. Approval of New Hires

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the new hires of Felix Quintana as High School ELL Para, Glenn Dicken as Activity Bus Driver, and Nolan Vandenburg as Head Junior High Track Coach. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.4. Pole Vault Pit

It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the purchase of a pole vault pit from Blazer Manufacturing in the amount of $40,757.50, to be paid from the Depreciation Fund as part of the district's equipment replacement and capital improvement plan. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.5. SPED Vehicle Purchase

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the purchase of a Ford Expedition in the amount of $58,212 from Gene Steffy for SPED purposes, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.6. Tables and Chairs Purchase
It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Eric Stuthman to approve the payment to Virco in the amount of $6,736.70 for tables and chairs for Lakeview, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.7. School Accounting Software Update
It was moved by Jeremy Sprunk and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the payment to SUI for School Accounting Software in the amount of $2,110 for cloud migration services, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.8. Softball Scoreboard Replacement
It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the purchase of a softball scoreboard from Fair-Play in the amount of $6,625 to be paid from the Depreciation Fund as part of the district's equipment replacement and capital improvement plan. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.9. Turf Tank
It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the Turf Tank lease agreement in the amount of $11,000 per year for three years, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

9. **Discussion Items**

9.1. ESU 7 Update ESU 7 Director and Board Member provided updates on regional programs and support services.

9.2. AQuESST Classification Update Mr. Nygren presented updates on district and building AQuESST classifications and upcoming goals.

9.3. Board Committee Reports

10. **Executive Session**

It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to enter into Executive Session at 9:39 p.m. to discuss personnel matters to protect the reputation of staff members, and to discuss negotiations in order to protect the district's bargaining position, as permitted by Nebraska law. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson:	Yea
Joy Escen:	Yea
Jerry Jaixen:	Yea
Keith Runge:	Yea
Jeremy Sprunk:	Yea
Eric Stuthman:	Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Chad Anderson to reconvened in open session. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson:	Yea
Joy Escen:	Yea
Jerry Jaixen:	Yea
Keith Runge:	Yea
Jeremy Sprunk:	Yea
Eric Stuthman:	Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

The board reconvened in open session at 10:04 p.m. No action was taken during Executive Session.

11. **Announcements** NDE Compliance visit - November 12th
    STANCE Meeting - November 13th
    State Education Conference - November 19th-21st
    Regular Board Meeting - December 8th @ 7:00 p.m.

12. **Adjournment**
    It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to adjourn the meeting at 10:09 p.m. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson:	Yea
Joy Escen:	Yea
Jerry Jaixen:	Yea
Keith Runge:	Yea
Jeremy Sprunk:	Yea
Eric Stuthman:	Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Board Clerk