



Regular Session Minutes

Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation

Indian Creek Middle School – LGI Room

Tuesday, September 8, 2026

7:00 pm

BOARD MEETING: The Board of School Trustees of the Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation met for a regular meeting on September 8, 2026, in the LGI Room of Indian Creek Middle School. Board members present: Amy Woodrum, Ed Harvey, Cathy Cook, Kelly Neal, and Brian Young. Amy Woodrum, Board President, called the meeting to order.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag was led by Amy Woodrum, Board President.

Recognition of Visitors/Patron Comments: none

Additions to the Agenda: Dr. Prusiecki recommended the Board approve the following additions: X. Personnel B. 7. ICES Preschool Assistant Rebecca Griffin and 8. Transfer: ICHS Guidance & Athletic Secretary Melissa Pharr

Upon proper motion by Ed Harvey and seconded by Brian Young the Board approved the additions.
Passed 5/0

CONSENT AGENDA: Upon proper motion by Cathy Cook and seconded by Brian Young, the Board accepted and approved the following items:

Financial Report: See Attached Reports

Claims: See Attached Reports

Minutes:

Executive Session: Tuesday, August 11, 2026

Regular Session: Tuesday, August 11, 2026

Public Hearing: Monday, August 24, 2026

Facility Report: See Attached Report

Transportation Report: See Attached Report

Health & Wellness Report: See Attached Report

Food Service Report: See Attached Report

Technology Report: See Attached Report

Employee Transfers: See Attached Report

Donations: See Attached Report

Conflict of Interest Statement: See Attached Report

Passed 5/0

NHJ Recognition Awards: Luke Skobel, ICHS Principal, introduced ICHS Teacher and Coach Rose Moore as the September, “You Make a Difference” recipient. Skobel said that Moore has been a teacher and coach at ICHS for 40 years. He also said that she is outstanding teacher who cares about the kids and sets a great example to younger teachers.

The Board closed the regular meeting and opened the Public Hearing.

Public Hearing of the 2027 Budget: Jacob Heuchan, NHJ Business Manager, announced that this is the official public hearing. He asked if there were any questions or comments regarding the 2027 Budget. There were no questions. Heuchan reported that the 2027 Budget will be considered for approval at the October board meeting.

The Board closed the hearing and opened the regular meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

C-9 Report: Ed Harvey reported that C-9 will have their next meeting on Thursday. He said that C-9 will host an upcoming food truck event. Harvey reported that last Thursday at the Superintendents meeting, students and instructors talked about their successes. He also said that Senator, Jim Banks visited C-9 and was impressed with the education C-9 is providing to students. He also said that C-9 is donating a firetruck to be used in a small town in Paraguay.

Indian Creek Education Foundation: Amy Woodrum reported that Hannah Abraham, ICEF Executive Director is making a difference in her role. Woodrum said that the Plant Bingo was fun and they raised \$2900. She said that 58 kids are participating in the Creek Kids Football program. She said that the staff giving campaign is raising more money than last year. Woodrum said that the Foundation will be selling commemorative bricks October through December. And she reminded everyone that the Holiday Bazaar will be on November 14.

OLD BUSINESS: none

NEW BUSINESS:

Consider action to approve 2027-2028 NHJ Calendar

Dr. Prusiecki recommended the Board approve the 2027-2028 NHJ Calendar.

Upon proper motion by Cathy Cook and seconded by Ed Harvey, the Board approved the calendar.
Passed 5/0

Consider action to approve an Addendum to the Classified Handbook

Dr. Prusiecki recommended the Board approve changes to retirement leave days, paid and unpaid leave, and employees who work less than 29 hours are not eligible for benefits.

Upon proper motion by Ed Harvey and seconded by Kelly Neal, the Board approved the addendum.
Passed 5/0

Consider action to approve Additional ICHS Ag Advisory Board Members

Luke Skobel, ICHS Principal, asked the Board to approve ICHS Ag Advisory Board members, Brandi Kuntz and Emily Stewart

Upon proper motion by Brian Young and seconded by Cathy Cook, the Board approved the additional Ad Advisory Board members.
Passed 5/0

Consider action to approve Technology Department ICHS Student Work Based Learning Interns

Andrew Summers, NHJ Technology Director, asked the Board to approve a student intern to work ten hours per week and earn \$10 per hour. Summers said that this will cost \$1800 per semester, which will save the corporation money by having repairs done in-house.

Upon proper motion by Brian Young and seconded by Cathy Cook, the Board approved Technology Work Based Learning intern position.
Passed 5/0

Consider action to approve an Appropriation Reduction Resolution

Jacob Heuchan. NHJ Business Manager asked the Board to approve the Resolution.

Upon proper motion by Cathy Cook and seconded by Kelly Neal, the Board approved the resolution.

Passed 5/0

Consider action to approve ICHS FFA Overnight Trip to the State Soils Judging Contest on 10.16.26-10.17-26 – Location to be Determined

Luke Skobel, ICHS Principal, asked the Board to approve the FFA overnight trip.

Upon proper motion by Cathy Cook and seconded by Kelly Neal, the Board approved the trip.

Passed 5/0

PERSONNEL/EMPLOYMENT:

Dr. Prusiecki asked the Board to approve the “Personnel/Employment” package in its entirety as presented.

A. Resignations:

1. Resignation: ICES Preschool Assistant Alisha Roark
2. Resignation: ICHS Guidance Secretary Hannah Hamilton
3. Resignation: ICES Custodian Bailey Brackney

B. Employments:

1. NHJ Sub Teachers
2. ICES, ICIS, ICMS, & ICHS ECA Positions
2. ICMS/ICHS Essential Skills Classroom Assistant Lindi Hiner
3. ICHS/ICMS Café Sub Cook Meagan Pendleton
4. ICES Long Term Sub Christy Hampton – There are two recommendations in the Board packet for her to fill two long term sub positions back-to-back
5. ICHS Secretary Leave Sub Karen Ray
6. ICIS Essential Skills Assistant Danya Logan
7. ICES Preschool Assistant Rebecca Griffin
8. Transfer: ICHS Guidance & Athletic Secretary Melissa Pharr

C. Coaches

1. ICHS Volunteer Varsity Football Coach Jake Stilwell
2. ICMS 6th Grade Boys Basketball Head Coach Andrew Cooley
3. ICMS 6th Grade Girls Basketball Head Coach Heather Patterson
4. ICMS 6th Grade Boys Basketball Volunteer Coach Tifani Wathen
5. ICMS 6th Grade Boys Basketball Volunteer Coach Carter Cooley
6. ICMS 6th Grade Girls Basketball Volunteer Coach Ethan Patterson

Upon proper motion by Ed Harvey and seconded by Cathy Cook, the Board approved the “Personnel/Employment” package in its entirety.

Passed 5/0

Superintendent’s Report: Dr. Prusiecki thanked everyone for attending the meeting. Prusiecki said that enrollment is up and all staffing positions have been filled. Prusiecki reminded everyone that the October Board meeting is on October 6th due to Fall Break.

Other items from the Board:

Amy Woodrum: Said that she is so grateful for all that everyone does at IC.

Ed Harvey: Thanked all who made ECA donations. He also mentioned that the football fans have been great. And he thanked all who make an effort to make the football games enjoyable.

Brian Young: Thanked all of the principals for doing a great job. He congratulated Lauren Woodworth on her new position as ICHS vice Principal. He also congratulated Andrew Summers, NHJ Technology Director, for securing grant money.

Cathy Cook: Thanked all staff for their efforts. And she thanked everyone for their support.

Kelly Neal: Thanked Dr. Prusiecki for the plaque dedication for Judy Misiniec. She also thanked Kate Taylor, NHJ Public Relations Director, for the wonderful pictures of the event. She said that Judy impacted so many lives at ICES. And she congratulated Kim Davis, ICMS Principal, for ICMS being awarded as a National School of Distinction.

ADJOURNMENT:

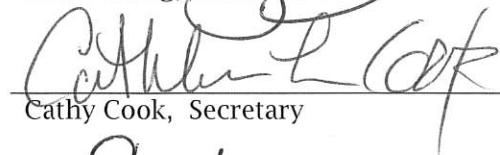
Upon proper motion made by Cathy Cook the meeting was adjourned.



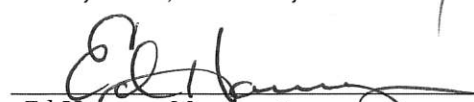
Amy Woodrum, President



Brian Young, Vice President



Cathy Cook, Secretary



Ed Harvey, Member



Kelly Neal, Member

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