

VALDERS AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Minutes of the regular Valders Area School Board meeting held on March 23, 2026.

Meeting was called to order by School Board President Mike Lenzner at 6:30 p.m. under WI Statute 19.83 and 19.84. Notice of the meeting, time, date and subject matter has been properly noticed. Members present were, Travis Schisel, Mike Lenzner, Steve Huebbe, Ashley Henneman, Bryan Denk, Aksel Schnell and Brenda Haese.

The Board began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Haese, second by Denk to adopt the agenda. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Haese, second by Schisel to approve the minutes of the February 23, 2026 School Board Meeting. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Huebbe, second by Henneman to approve financial transactions for the month of February: Motion Carried (7-0).

	Transaction Numbers			Amount
Approval of Voucher Checks	56346	to	56349	\$820.35
Approval of Wire Transfers	202500115	to	202500128	\$191,302.07
Approval of ACH	252600672	to	252600781	\$1,322,902.81
Approval of Payroll Checks	900100471	to	900100794	\$408,139.78

Date Range 02/01/2026-02/28/2026

The Board reviewed the staff and superintendent reports.

Motion by Schnell, second by Henneman to approve the Physics Field Trip to Great America. Motion carried (7-0)

Motion by Schnell, second by Denk to approve the Middle School Choral Trip to Great America. Motion carried (7-0)

Motion by Schisel, second by Denk to accept a monetary donation from The Knights of Columbus for use in the PAES Lab. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Huebbe, second by Haese to accept an anonymous monetary donation for the Intro to Engineering Road America Race. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schisel, second by Huebbe to accept a monetary donation from Tavern 10 for the Intro to Engineering Road America Race. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Haese, second by Denk to accept a monetary donation from Cher-Make for the Intro to Engineering Road America Race. Motion carried (7-0)

Motion by Denk, second by Henneman to accept a monetary donation from BTE Transport for the Intro to Engineering Road America Race. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Huebbe, second by Denk to accept a monetary donation from Blue Royal Dairy for the Intro to Engineering Road America Race. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Huebbe, second by Schisel to accept resignation from Brian Schad as Maintenance Engineer to move to his new position as Director of Buildings and Grounds effective June 30, 2026. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schnell, second by Denk to accept retirement resignation from Charlie Lemberger as HS Social Studies teacher effective January 21, 2027. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schisel, second by Huebbe to accept retirement resignation from Sharon Hamby as Librarian/Special Education Director effective June 30, 2026. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Haese, second by Denk to move into Executive (Closed) Session 6:58 p.m. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schisel, second by Denk to reconvene into Open Session at 7:36 p.m. Motion carried (7-0).

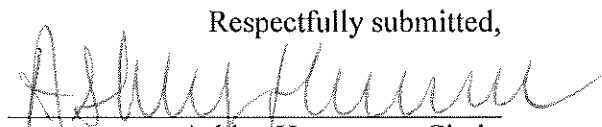
Motion by Schisel, second by Haese to recommend the employment of Brian Schad as Director of Buildings and Grounds. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schnell, second by Schisel to recommend the non-renewal of the contract for Tami Witter, MS/HS Choral Teacher as of June 30, 2026. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schnell, second by Denk to post the vacancy position for of the MS/HS Choir Teacher for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried (7-0).

Motion by Schnell, second by Denk to adjourn at 7:38 p.m. Motion carried (7-0).

Ashley Henneman
Recording Secretary
03/23/26

Respectfully submitted,

Ashley Henneman, Clerk
Valders Area School District