

School Board Notes

The Beaver Valley Intermediate Unit Board of Directors held their regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 6:30 P.M.

Members Present: Mrs. Romasco, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Mansell, Mr. Mowad, Mr. Inman, Mr. D'Itri, Mr. Radevski, Mrs. Marino and Mr. McGeehan

Members Absent: Ms. Gill, Mrs. Klesser, Mrs. Ceratti and Mr. Blackwell

OTHERS PRESENT: Dr. Rosendale, Attorney Al Steff, Mrs. Niedbala, Mrs. Ference, Mrs. McKinley, Mr. Sanderbeck, Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Huwar, Mrs. D'Amico, Mrs. McCluan, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Arnold, Mrs. Noah, Mr. Ruffing, Mr. Decker, Ms. Rocco, Ms. Weingartner, Mrs. Weldon and Mr. Kopar

ACTION TAKEN:

1. The Board accepted the resignations of the following Shared Aides:

Ms. Leighann Moore, effective August 28, 2025 Ms. Jennifer Walker, effective September 12, 2025

- 2. An FMLA request for an employee was approved by the Board.
- 3. The Board approved a new Supervisor position that would oversee Intensive Behavior Health Services and the Behavior Services Program. They also amended a Supervisor position that would oversee district-based classes, ESL, TAC, Local Task Force and the Hearing Department.
- 4. The Board approved a temporary head Teacher position at New Horizon North.

5. The Board approved the following mentor teacher assignments:

New Professional Staff	Mentor
Karey Westwood - MDS Teacher	Nicholas Pollio – MDS Teacher
Madison Maxwell – MDS Teacher	Dana Jacobs – El Teacher

- 6. A revised 2025-2026 Special Pupil Services calendar was approved by the Board.
- 7. The following fund-raising activities were approved by the Board:

Event	Sponsor	Date of Event
Halloween T-Shirts	Saldivar's Room – High School	September 26 – October 31, 2025
	Emotional Support	
Wing Bash	New Horizon School	November 1, 2025

- 8. Due to the State Budget impasse, the Board approved that the BVIU borrow funds in anticipation of its revenues to be received in order to continue operations until a Budget is passed.
- 9. The Board granted authorization for the Board Secretary to cast the PSBA electronic ballot for the PSBA election of officers.
- 10. An agreement with Brighton Township Police Department was approved by the Board.
- 11. An agreement with Lincoln Park Performing Arts Center to lease the premises known as Midland Innovation and Technology Charter School for a term of ten (10) months was ratified by the Board.
- 12. An agreement with Watco Transloading, LLC for parking at the premises known as Midland Innovation and Technology Charter School was ratified by the Board.
- 13. The Board approved two (2) agreements with Canon USA, Inc. to lease copiers at Todd Lane Elementary School and the Hopeful Minds Wellness Center.

ADDENDUM ITEMS

- 14. The Board approved an FMLA request.
- 15. The Board authorized the Administration to advertise and to issue a Request for Qualifications for energy services companies to provide services under Pennsylvania's Guaranteed Energy Savings Act.

CORRESPONDENCE - NONE

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT –. Dr. Rosendale reminded everyone of the craft show this Saturday, September 27, 2025 at the CCBC Dome.

Dr. Rosendale informed the Board that we have received the license for the IBHS and Out Patient Services programs.

He informed the Board that tonight is open house at New Horizon and New Horizon North. New Horizon will also have open house tomorrow night.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT – Nothing new to report.

OTHER BUSINESS – After the Pledge of Allegiance Mr. Miller asked everyone to remain standing for a moment of silence in remembrance of Mr. D'Itri's sister who recently passed away.

Mrs. McKinley reminded everyone of the Beaver County Educational Fest on Monday, October 13, 2025 at CCBC Dome. She stated that there will be approximately 2,200 educators there. There will be a National Speaker and she told the Board that we have many sponsors for this wonderful event.

Ms. Melissa Colestock and members of the Sitelogiq team gave a presentation on the renovation of New Horizon School. They presented three options for the Board to see. The option of renovating the entire building was discussed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dr. Eric G. Rosendale Executive Director

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