

**MORLEY STANWOOD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING
Monday, July 21, 2025 – 6:30 P.M.**

President Bongard called a workshop meeting of the Board of Education to order at 6:31 p.m. immediately followed by the regular meeting. The meetings were held on Monday, July 21, 2025, in the Media Center of the High School, 4700 Northland Dr., Morley, Michigan, 49336.

In Attendance

Declaration of Quorum Yes_X_ No __

Bd. Member Emily Bongard	X	Bd. Member Greg Babbitt	AB	Bd. Member Edward Frisbie	X
Bd. Member Mary Engelsman	X	Bd. Member Randy LaPreze	X	Supt. R. Cole	X
Bd. Member Brent Beemer	X	Bd. Member Michelle Frisbie	X	Rec. Sec. J.Weeks	X

Workshop Discussion:

- Bond Invoice –Two invoices were submitted for review one from Christman and one from Mathison|Mathison.
- South Detention Pond Update – The state approved the plan and the bid has gone out.
- Bond Project Update – The project is moving along well, this summer’s portion of the project should be completed on time. The planning meeting for Series IV will take place within the next couple of weeks.
- Health Department Concession Stand Update – Mrs. Mollitor and Mr. Cole meet with Sports Boosters to discuss how the concession stand will need to be ran per licensing regulations.
- Special Transportation – The district will need to look for a wheel chair accessible van and a driver for transportation to specialized programming.

Approval of Agenda and Order of Priority

The Board unanimously approved the agenda as presented.

Public Comment: NA

Communications: President Bongard read two thank you notes, one from Susan Medler and the other from Dale Rogers.

Consent Agenda: The Board unanimously approved the consent agenda, the June 9, 2025 meeting minutes and the June 26, 2025 Special Meeting minutes.

JULY CONSIDERATIONS:

- The Board unanimously approved to pay the 2020 bond project invoice totaling \$204,962.25.
- The Board unanimously approved the changes to the Elementary 2025-2026 Handbook.

The Board unanimously approved the changes to the High School 2025-2026 Handbook.

The board unanimously approved the changes to the MS Virtual School 2025-2026 Handbook.

The board unanimously approved the changes to the Athletic 2025-2026 Handbook.

The Board unanimously approved the 2025-2026 contract for James Nelson – Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment.

The Board unanimously approved the 2025-2026 contract for John Nawrot – Elementary Principal.

The board unanimously approved the 2025-2026 contract for Ruth Marshall – 6-12 Principal.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of David Chapman – Head Football Coach.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of Robin Kozuch – Varsity Volleyball Coach.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendations of Jaimie Williams – Fall and Winter Cheerleading.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendations of Shelli McNeil – Cross Country and Head Girls Track.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of Alexis Cumings – Varsity Boys Basketball.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of Bob Raven – Varsity Girls Basketball.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of Vern Smith – Varsity Baseball.

The Board approved with Member M.Frisbie, opposing the coaching recommendation of Lauren Aymor – Varsity Softball.

The Board unanimously approved the coaching recommendation of Dominic Doyle – Head Boys Track.

The Board approved with Member M. Frisbie and Member E. Frisbie abstaining the list of recommendations for JV coaches and assistant coaches as provided.

The Board unanimously approved the list of recommendations for Middle School coaches and games managers as provided.

The board unanimously approved the hire of Molly Simons – 6-12 Assistant Principal.

The Board unanimously approved the hire of Amy Brennick - Executive Administrative Assistant.

The board unanimously approved the hire of Nicholle Shell – 1st Grade Teacher.

The board unanimously approved the hire of Allison Wilcox – Elementary Special Education Paraprofessional.

The board unanimously approved the hire of Keri Ruhling – Elementary Special Education Paraprofessional.

Other possible discussions: Member Bongard expressed concern regarding the scheduling time allotted for open houses and the lack of staff participation.

Reminders and informational items:

- ***Next Board meeting August 11, 2025***

Adjourn at 7:47 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Engelsman, Secretary
Morley Stanwood Community Schools