

**MORLEY STANWOOD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING**  
**Thursday, June 26, 2025**

President Bongard called a special meeting of the Board of Education to order at 4:05 p.m. The meeting was held in the Media Center, Morley Stanwood High School, 4700 Northland Dr., Morley, Michigan, 49336.

<i>In Attendance</i>		<i>Declaration of Quorum</i>		<i>Yes X No __</i>	
Bd. Member Emily Bongard	X	Bd. Member Greg Babbitt	X	Bd. Member Edward Frisbie	X
Bd. Member Mary Engelsman	AB	Bd. Member Randy LaPreze	X	Supt. R. Cole	X
Bd. Member Michelle Frisbie	AB	Bd. Member Brent Beemer	AB	Rec. Sec. J.Weeks	X

**Truth and Taxation Hearing:** Financial Director Kellsey Fairris presented the Truth in Taxation Statement. The district will levy 17.773 mills of operating tax revenue and 3.0000 mills debt millage revenue for the 2025 tax year. The district will not need to borrow money for the purpose of cash flow to help offset the timing of state aid notes for the 2025-2026 school year.

**Moved to Special Meeting to consider budgets for the 2025-26 School Year:** 4:07

**Approval of Agenda and Order of Priority:** The Board unanimously approved the agenda as presented.

**Communications:** NA

**Public Comment:** NA

**Special Meeting Considerations:**

The board unanimously approved the 2024-2025 Final Budgets.

The board unanimously approved the 2025-2026 Budgets.

The board unanimously approved the Walton Erickson Public Library 2025-2026 budget.

The board unanimously approved the Superintendent’s 2025-2027 contract.

**Other possible discussions:** Superintendent Cole gave an update on the south detention pond. Paperwork has been sent to the state and we are waiting for their approval. Mr. Cole has asked Christman to have a draft bid proposal ready to go once we are given the green light.

**Adjourn** at 4:28

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Engelsman, Secretary  
Morley Stanwood Community Schools