BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
CORRY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES
October 27, 2025

A Regular Board Meeting of the Corry Area Board of School Directors was held on Monday, October 27, 2025, in the Administration Office LGI. President Joseph A. Frisina called the meeting to order at 7:13 PM.

The Board met in Executive Session on Monday, October 27, 2025, regarding personnel.

ROLL CALL

Present Directors: Amy L. Allen, Andrea L. Chelton, Joel A. Cook, Amanda J. Cox, Kathryn DiVittorio, Richard K. Farver, Joseph A. Frisina, Doris P. Gernovich, Jason D. Halfast

Excused Directors: None

Also Present: Sheri L. Yetzer – Superintendent, Jennifer Cullers – Business Manager, Kimberly Spence – Board Secretary, Bill West – Director of Secondary Education, Dan Daum – Director of Elementary Education, Leslie Bloomgren – Director of Special Education, Mike Munsee – Director of Buildings and Grounds, Andy Passinger – HS Principal, Nick Krasa – Career and Technical Center Supervisor, Melissa Nuhfer – CAPS Principal, Mike Soprano – CAEA President

Media: Rebekah Wallace – The Corry Journal

Guests: None

MOMENT OF SILENCE/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVED AGENDA

MOTION by Director Farver and seconded by Director Chelton to approve the Agenda for October 27, 2025, with the removal of Item 21 from New Business – Personnel.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED MINUTES FROM 9/22/25

MOTION by Director Gernovich and seconded by Director DiVittorio to approve the Minutes from the Regular Meeting on September 22, 2025.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

STAFF COMMENT

None

APPROVED CHECKS, WIRE TRANSFERS & DIRECT DEPOSITS

MOTION by Director Gernovich and seconded by Director Allen to approve checks with Check No. 51500 removed for further review, wire transfers, and direct deposits from September 18 through October 23, 2025, totaling $4,100,140.18, as presented on the attached payments summaries. Reviewed questions on Check Nos. 51457 and 51508, also wire transfer 251010TSAC.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

MOTION by Director Cook and seconded by Director Gernovich to approve Board Check Nos. 51383 in the amount of $40.28 and 51439 in the amount of $8.49, payable to J.H. Auto Parts, Inc.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich
NAYS: None
ABSTAINED: Halfast, Frisina

APPROVED BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT

MOTION by Director DiVittorio and seconded by Director Farver to approve the Business Manager's Report for September 2025. Ms. Cullers shared that the budget is nearly $7 million behind due to the state budget impasse and the federal government shutdown.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION

MOTION by Director Gernovich and seconded by Director Farver to approve a request for exemption from real estate property taxes for Thomas Eccles, 125 Mott St., Corry, PA 16407, per letter from Pennsylvania Department of Military and Veterans Affairs.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED GROUP BASIC LIFE AND ACCIDENTAL DEATH INSURANCE

MOTION by Director DiVittorio and seconded by Director Farver to approve Madison National Life Insurance Company as the district's Group Basic Life and Accidental Death & Dismemberment Insurance with consortium pricing through the Northwestern Region Employee Benefit Trust (NOREBT) with coverage administered by National Insurance Services, effective December 1, 2025.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED DISPOSAL/SALE OF ITEMS

MOTION by Director Allen and seconded by Director Halfast to approve the disposal/sale of the science text books listed below:

Title	Copyright Year	ISBN/Library of Congress	Quantity
Glencoe Science	2003	0-07-830616-7	10
Prentice Hall Life Science	2007	0-13-201243-X	40
Nature of Plants	1971	78-151476	39
A Field Guide to Rock and Minerals	1976	0-395-08106-8	17
Weather Illustrations	1964	C1-8327	33

YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED RENOVATION CHANGE ORDER

MOTION by Director Gernovich and seconded by Director DiVittorio to approve invoice #6991 from A&MP Electric, Inc., for relocation of power and smart boards, for a cost of $17,212.15 paid for from the Construction Fund.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED FIELD TRIP REQUESTS

MOTION by Director Cook and seconded by Director Farver to approve the following field trip requests:

1. High School Transition (12th grade, 9 students) — November 6, 2025
   Jamestown Community College — Jamestown, NY
   Under the Supervision of: Mark Chludzinski

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2. Auto & Machining Classes (10th – 12th grade, 40 students) November 14, 2025
   Cummins Engine Lakewood, NY
   Under the Supervision of: Eric McCray & Cody Willis

YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS

MOTION by Director DiVittorio and seconded by Director Frisina to approve the articulation agreement between Corry Area School District and Noe' Noonan School of Cosmetology, effective for the 2025/26 school year.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

APPROVED PERSONNEL

MOTION by Director DiVittorio and seconded by Director Chelton to approve personnel items 1-20:

1. The resignation of Adam Brewer, Secondary Social Studies Teacher, Middle School Social Studies Department Head, Head Golf Coach, and Rec Golf Director, effective October 3, 2025.
2. The resignation of Richard Kolash, Secondary Special Education Teacher, effective November 3, 2025.
3. A Leave of Absence for Alexandria Vallimont, effective January 19 through April 6, 2026 (approximately 51 days).
4. A Leave of Absence for Rebecca Nosel, effective March 30 through June 5, 2026 (approximately 46 days).
5. The appointment of Hannah Schrader, Family Consumer Science Teacher, effective September 29, 2025, at a Bachelor's, Step 3 salary of $51,446.00 pro-rated.
6. The appointment of Jocelyn Thomas-Martson, LTS Secondary Special Education Teacher, effective October 27, 2025 through June 5, 2026, at a Master's, Step 1 salary of $54,485.00 pro-rated.
7. The appointment of Casey Long, Grade II Paraprofessional, effective September 29, 2025, at a Step 1 hourly rate of $16.68.
8. The appointment of Whitney Seekings, Cafeteria, effective September 30, 2025, at a Grade I, Step 1 hourly rate of $15.26.
9. The appointment of Morgan Walter, Cafeteria, effective October 14, 2025, at a Grade I, Step 1 hourly rate of $15.26.
10. The resignation of Morgan Walter, effective October 21, 2025.
11. The appointment of Justin Bunce, Custodian, effective October 6, 2025, at a Grade I, Step 1 hourly rate of $16.90.
12. The appointment of Richard Alekson, Substitute School Police Officer, effective October 28, 2025 through June 4, 2026 in accordance with the Substitute School Police Officer Agreement.
13. The appointment of Jim Coates, Middle School Social Studies Department Head, effective October 4, 2025 for the 2025/26 school year, at a salary of $1,250.00 pro-rated.
14. Alayna Seggi, as having satisfactorily completed tenure (three years of service) with the Corry Area School District effective October 3, 2025.
15. The appointment of Stephanie Bennett, as the mentor for Hannah Schrader, at supplemental salary of $260.00 for the 2025/26 school year.
16. The appointment of Lindsay Kalika, as the mentor for Jocelyn Thomas-Martson, at supplemental salary of $260.00 for the 2025/26 school year.
17. The appointment of the following Non-Athletic Recreational Coaches at a supplemental salary of $600.00 for the 2025/26 school year:

LEGO League Coach	Tina Flook
LEGO League Coach	Steven Griffis

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18. The appointment of Eric Brumagin, Spring Weight Room Coordinator (March-May), for the 2025/26 school year, at a supplemental salary of $600.00.
19. The appointment of Kurtis Tucci, Rec Golf Director, for the 2025/26 school year, at a supplemental salary of $600.00.
20. The following list of Volunteers for the 2025/26 school year:

Boys Basketball	Reese James
Rec Boys Basketball	Craig Deutsch
Rec Boys Basketball	Mike Pfeil
Rec Girls Basketball	Kara Dahl
Rec Girls Basketball	Kelly Young
Wrestling	Joey Perry

YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

OTHER MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS

None

OTHER MATTERS BY BUSINESS MANAGER

Ms. Cullers shared that the auditors were unable to present this evening due to the federal government shutdown.

OTHER MATTERS BY SUPERINTENDENT

Mrs. Yetzer congratulated the sports teams on a successful season and wished the volleyball and football teams good luck in the playoffs this week.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Director Gernovich and seconded by Director DiVittorio to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting at 7:36 PM.
YEAS: Allen, Chelton, Cook, Cox, DiVittorio, Farver, Gernovich, Halfast, Frisina
NAYS: None

Kimberly Spence

Kimberly Spence, Board Secretary