

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
BENTON, WISCONSIN
OCTOBER 29, 2025**

Amanda Williams called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M. in the library of the high school. Roll call: Paul Klang-present, Megan Flatley-absent, Angie Davis-absent, Jeff Richardson-present, Amanda Williams-present, Joe Lukaszewski-present, and Ryan Kern-present.

Citizen Comments-None

Motion by Klang, seconded by Richardson to approve the consent agenda. Motion carried.

Administrator Mr. Bastian presented the budget for discussion.

Motion by Klang, seconded by Richardson to approve the School District of Benton budget for the 2025-26 fiscal year. Roll call vote: Paul Klang-yes, Ryan Kern-yes, Jeff Richardson-yes, Amanda Williams-yes, Joe Lukaszewski-yes. Motion carried 5-yes, 0-no.

Motion by Klang, seconded by Richardson to approve and certify the 2025-26 tax levy in the amount of \$1,152,425 as presented. The amount includes General Fund Operating Levy (Fund 10) in the amount of \$1,080,650, the Non-Referendum Debt Levy (Fund 38) in the amount of \$11,775, and the Community Service Fund Operating Levy (Fund 80) in the amount of \$60,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Klang, seconded by Lukaszewski to approve Nathan Keleher and Rex Blaine as a volunteer middle school boys' basketball coach. Motion carried.

Motion by Klang, seconded by Richardson to approve Dan Farrey as a volunteer varsity girls' basketball coach. Motion carried.

Motion by Klang, seconded by Richardson to adjourn. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:50 P.M.

Amanda Williams, Clerk

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