

May 19, 2025

A meeting of the Board of Education of Blue Hill Community Schools was convened in open and public session at 7:00 PM on May 19, 2025, at Blue Hill Community Schools, 606 South Sycamore, Blue Hill, NE 68930.

Board Members in attendance were **Present:** Jon Auten, Jake Bachman, Jodi Bunner, Terry Drury, Sara Macklin, Megan Ockinga.

At the beginning of this meeting the president announced and informed the public that a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted on the east wall, next to the door of the meeting room.

**Recommended Action:** Approval of consent agenda as presented to include the May 19, 2025 Board of Education Regular Meeting Agenda; April 15, 2025 Board of Education Meeting Minutes, and the May 2025 treasurer's report and approve General Fund Claims.

Motion by Terry Drury; seconded by Megan Ockinga, Approve consent agenda as presented. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Motion by Jon Auten; seconded by Terry Drury, approve closing the Bond Fund checking account and CD at South Central State Bank and moving the proceeds to the General Fund. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Motion by Terry Drury; seconded by Jodi Bunner, Accept the bid from Webster County Agricultural Association for Modular Classroom Buildings at a cost of \$1,500 per unit or total of \$3,000, as presented. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Motion by Jake Bachman; seconded by Terry Drury, approve the 2024-2025 report of multi-cultural activities as presented. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Motion by Terry Drury; seconded by Jake Bachman, to meet the new minimum wage effective January 1, 2026, compensation beginning September 1, 2025 be established with a per hour increase of \$1.50 and benefits stay the same. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Motion by Jake Bachman; seconded by Megan Ockinga, approve the Contract with Lawrence-Nelson for Cassandra Himmelberg to provide Occupational Therapy services for the 2025-2026 school year. Members polled; all voted in favor. Motion carried,  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Due to no further business, President Sara Macklin adjourned the meeting at 7:52PM.

The next regular School Board Meeting will be on Monday, June 16, 2025 at 7:00PM in the High School Library.

Machelle Streff, Secretary/Treasurer  
Blue Hill Board of Education