

Forest Area Community Schools  
Board of Education  
March 10, 2025

The Forest Area Community Schools Board of Education Meeting was called to order by President Dan Smith at 6:30 p.m.

**Roll Call:** Dan Smith, Chrissy Ingersoll **(AB)**, Joanna Durfee, Travis Tracey **(AB)**, Hannah Bird, Adam Schaefer, Kari Morgan

**Motion** by J. Durfeel, supported by H. Bird to approve the agenda, minutes, bills and financial statements. Motion carried.

**Citizen Comments:**

- C. Woodhams, taking 41 students to Washington DC, everyone is excited September 2025 will start the process for the 2027 trip.
- Nikki Gillette - Showed the board a robotics demonstration
- T. Deike - Talent show went well, had 20+ acts made approximately \$1500. Music program holding Bingo events at the American Legion in TC. Graduation requirements. Looking forward to next season of Competitive Cheer. Parent note: daughter received the Presidential Scholarship from SVSU, full tuition and fees for 4 year.

**Correspondence: None**

**Principal Report - Konrad Molter:** Students of the Month: **MS: Addy Knoll and Taylor Hayes. HS: Ava Burgess and Alex Robbins.** CTC Student of the Quarter goes to Isaac Patierno and Bella Erickson. National Technical Honor Society Inductees: Leah Durfee and Arianna Cobb. March is Reading Month is in full swing. Spring Sports are underway. Mr. Sharp and Mrs. Magee took their classes to the Sleeping Bear National Park.

**Principal Report - Amberle Eaker:** Daddy/daughter dance was a great success, raising over \$1,000. March is Reading month off to a great start. Students of the Month:

Class	Jan
Graves (K)	Luella Abeare
Wilson (K)	Avielle Kelley
Mullin (1)	Alayna Krupski
Tengdin (1)	Emberlee Gronner
Clark (2)	Cabella Newcombe
Nedow (2)	Maggie Roote
Plante (3)	Cooper Griffith
Johnston (3)	Rosa Reyna-Crites
Larson (4)	Harper Dontje
Verhage (4)	Emma Kelley
Mead (5)	Braylee Williams
Moriarty (5)	Sydney Romano
Droste (K-3)	Skylar Sylvester

**Superintendent Report - Mike Moran:** Food Service bid going out to the public. Met with Building and Site to go over summer projects. Policy Meeting to be held this week. Custodial RFP will be officially go out on April 1st, ready for the May board meeting. The boilers (heating unit) will need to be replaced possibly this summer.

**Board Comment:**

- J. Durfee - Nothing
- A. Schaefer - Summer projects list looks good
- H. Bird - Sad to see J. Merchant leaving
- D. Smith - Nothing
- K. Morgan - FLE drop off line has a large hole.

**Discussion:**

- Building & Site Committee Meeting
- Summer 2025 Projects
- 2025 OPIE winner Melissa Tengdin
- 2025 FOE winner Kristine Simpson

**Action Items:**

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by A. Schaefer to approve half time student walking at graduation. Motion carried

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to approve the hiring of Nastassia Sweeney - MS/HS ParaPro. Motion carried

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to approve hiring of Nicole Liebengood - GSRP Parapro. Motion carried

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to accept resignation of Alicia Thayer-Duran FLE ParaPro. Motion carried

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to accept the retirement of Julie Merchant - FLE Interventionist. Motion carried

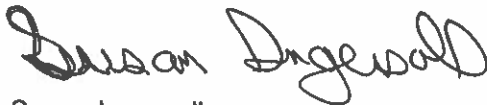
**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to accept the retirement of Kelly Holeman - HS Teacher. Motion carried

**Motion by:** H. Bird supported by A. Schaefer to approve the Class of 2025 Senior trip to Chicago. Motion carried

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by H. Bird to approve the Music overnight trip to Detroit. Motion carried.

**Motion by:** J. Durfee supported by A. Schaefer to adjourn. Motion carried

Recording Secretary

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan Ingersoll". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Susan Ingersoll