

The Joseph Badger Board of Education met in regular session on May 20, 2026 at 6:00 pm with Mr. Burns, Mr. Fraley, Mr. Hall, Mr. Klingensmith and Ms. Thompson present.

58-26 Regular Meeting, April 15, 2026

Moved by Mr. Hall seconded by Mr. Fraley to approve the minutes of the April 15, 2026 Regular Meeting

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

59-26 Financial Accounts

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burns to approve the financial accounts, reports, and bills paid for April 2026

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

60-26 Sale of Assets

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Hall upon the recommendation of the superintendent and treasurer to liquidate the following items

1. Technology items serving no further useful purpose, to students, staff, and community members for an amount determined by the superintendent and technology coordinator

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

61-26 Personnel - Employment of Substitutes

Moved by Mr. Burns seconded by Mr. Fraley upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following substitute personnel in accordance with the Trumbull County adopted substitute list (*if applicable*)

Classified

Kim Maenpa

Bus Driver

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

62-26 Amend Resolution 40-26 Personnel - Employment of Substitutes

Moved by Mr. Hall seconded by Ms. Thompson upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to employ the following personnel

Classified

Mary Cicero

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

63-26 Personnel - Resignation

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burns upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to accept the resignation of the following personnel

Patrick Carney	Basketball Coach (V) – May 8, 2026
Dale Goist	Bus Driver – May 31, 2026
Tristan Rice	Soccer Coach (V) – April 27, 2026
Andrea Steiner	Jr. Beta Club Advisor
Andrea Steiner	BMS Yearbook

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

64-26 Amend Resolution 41-26 Personnel - Contract Resignation

Moved by Mr. Hall seconded by Mr. Fraley upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to amend the resignation of the following personnel, effective August 21, 2026

Sarah Plain	Teacher
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Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

65-26 Personnel - Contract Suspensions – Certified/Licensed

Moved by Mr. Burns seconded by Ms. Thompson upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to non-renew the following certified/licensed personnel contracts at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

Julie Barker	Teaching Assistant
Pam Braessler	Teaching Assistant
Karen Forsha	Teaching Assistant
Holly Frantz	Teaching Assistant
Farrah Richards	Teaching Assistant
Denise Starr	Teaching Assistant
Esther Fenlon	Teaching Assistant
Jamie Himes	Teaching Assistant
Mary Smith	Literacy Specialist

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

66-26 Personnel - Contract Employment - Certified

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Hall upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following certified personnel for the term listed beginning with the 2026-2027 school year

Danielle Deraway	Continuing Contract
Ian Deraway	Continuing Contract
Tammy Lindholm	Two Year
Michelle McWilliams	Two Year
Joshua Upshire	Two Year
Tristan Rice	Two Year

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

67-26 Personnel - Contract Employment - Classified

Moved by Mr. Burns seconded by Mr. Fraley upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following certified personnel for the term listed beginning with the 2026-2027 school year

Bronwyn Clark	Two Year
Rachael Roden	Two Year
Tracey Zahoransky	Two Year

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

68-26 Personnel - Contract Employment - Certified

Moved by Mr. Hall seconded by Mr. Burns upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following personnel pending proper licensure for the 2026-2027 school year

Renee Cole	BA Step 4
Samantha Costarella	MA Step 0

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

69-26 Personnel - Employment of Technology Technicians

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Fraley upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following classified personnel as Computer Technology Technicians for June/July/August 2026

Blake Miller
Autumn Yesko

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

70-26 Personnel - Employment of Student Cleaners

Moved by Mr. Burns seconded by Mr. Hall upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to employ the following classified personnel as Student Cleaners for May 26-29, 2026, June/July/August 2026 or as needed

Michael Waybright
Landon Post

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

71-26 Cooperative Transportation Agreement

Moved by Mr. Hall seconded by Mr. Burns upon the recommendation of the superintendent, to authorize the board of education to enter into a cooperative transportation agreement with the Trumbull County Educational Service Center and Community Bus Services, Inc.

Whereas, the District has a duty under law to provide transportation services to low incidence students and special needs preschool students living in the District but attending outside the District; and,

Whereas, the Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the District, both in terms of efficiency and economics, to enter into a cooperative transportation agreement involving other districts within the County; and,

Whereas, the Board believes that it would be in the best interest of qualifying students living in this District to be serviced under such a cooperative agreement; and

Whereas, the Superintendent has reported upon and reviewed with the Board the particulars of the proposed cooperative transportation agreement,

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Joseph Badger Board of Education hereby agrees to participate in and enter into a cooperative agreement contract with the Trumbull County Educational Service Center, other Participating School Districts and Community Bus Services, Inc., for the transportation of disabled students attending cooperative special education classrooms out-of-district in Trumbull County, effective July 1, 2026 -June 30, 2027

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

72-26 Kinsman Library: Tax Budget 2027

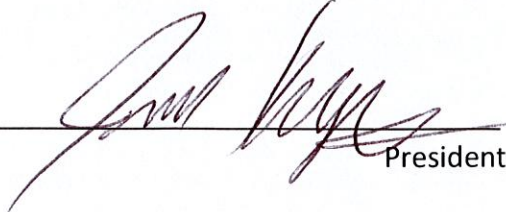
Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burns to approve the proposed Kinsman Public Library 2027 Tax Budget. A copy of the budget is on file in the Treasurer's Office of the Joseph Badger Local School District

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson

73-26 Motion to Adjourn

Moved by Ms. Thompson seconded by Mr. Hall to adjourn the May 20, 2026, regular meeting at 6:39 p.m. The next scheduled meeting will be held on June 29, 2026 at 7:00 a.m.

Vote: Ayes: Burns, Fraley, Hall, Klingensmith, Thompson



President



Treasurer