MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE MOOSONEE DISTRICT SCHOOL AREA BOARD HELD TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2025 AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE BOARD OFFICE, LOCATED AT 1 PINEW ST., MOOSONEE, ON, POL 1YO.

PRESENT:

Charlene Reuben, Chairperson

Kelly Reuben, Vice-Chairperson

Donna Glenesk, Trustee

IN ATTENDANCE:

Angela Tozer, Director of Education

Lyndsey Allard, Finance & HR Administrator Kevin Smith, Finance & HR Administrator

Wanda Zelau, Principal

Collett Bailey-Smith, Vice Principal

Denise Plante, Mental Health Lead (Virtual)

PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE:

None

REGRETS:

Lynne Innes, Trustee Daneen Gunner, Trustee

2025-06-1381

Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board acknowledge that Daneen Gunner, regrettably, is unable to continue in her role as a trustee due to ineligibility, vacancy to be filled by appointment.

CARRIED

ABSENT:

None

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 5:52 pm by Charlene Reuben, Chairperson

2025-06-1382	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the meeting is
	called to order at 5:52 pm. CARRIED

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

This territory is the customary and traditional lands of the Omushkegowuk People – Ililiwuk or Ininiwuk – since time immemorial. We acknowledge this sacred land on which the Moosonee District School Area Board operates, within the lands protected by the James Bay Treaty – Treaty no.9. We are grateful to have the opportunity to make decisions at this table that will impact the present and future wellbeing of youth. Let us also acknowledge the people that have come before us, who are here now, and those that will come after us. Meegwetch

3. EXCUSE OF ABSENCES:

Lynne Innes, Trustee

4. APRROVAL OF AGENDA:

2025-06-1383	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board approve the agenda as presented.
	CARRIED

- 5. **DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST:** None
- 6. **DELEGATIONS**: None

7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING:

2025-06-1384	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the minutes of the Regular Board meeting held on May 6, 2025 be approved as presented.
	CARRIED

8. FINANCE AND HR REPORT:

2025-06-1385	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board acknowledge the Finance & HR Administrator Report as presented by Lyndsey Allard & Kevin Smith, Finance & HR Administrators.
	CARRIED

9. FINANCIAL REPORT:

2025-06-1386	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board approve the Financial Reports from May 2025 as presented.
	CARRIED

10. SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION REPORT:

2025-06-1387	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board acknowledge the School Administration Report as presented by Wanda Zelau, Principal and Collett Bailey-Smith, Vice Principal.
	CARRIED

11. MENTAL HEALTH LEAD REPORT:

2025-06-1388	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board acknowledge the Mental Health Lead Report as presented by Denise Plante-Depuis, Mental Health Lead.
	CARRIED

12. DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION REPORT:

2025-06-1389	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board acknowledge the Director of Education Report as presented by Angela Tozer, Director of Education.
	CARRIED

13. FACILITIES MANAGER REPORT:

2025-06-1390	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board acknowledge the Facilities Manager Report as presented by Lyndsey Allard, Finance & HR Administrator.
	CARRIED

- 14. POLICY REVIEW: none
- 15. CORRESPONDENCE AND OTHER INFORMATION:
- 16. OTHER BUSINESS:

2025-06-1391	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board approve the MDSAB Special Education Board Plan - June 2025, as presented. CARRIED
2025-06-1392	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board approve Camp Onakawana as the Cultural and Land-Based Student Excursion vendor on record for 2025/2026, 2026/2027 & 2027/2028 school years.
	CARRIED
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2025-06-1393	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board approve the MPS Student Washroom Renovations, subject to the procurement directive. CARRIED
2025-06-1394	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board approve the Grade 8 Hot Dog Lunch Fundraiser on June 20th, 2025 hosted at MPS as a cash and cashless event. CARRIED
2025-06-1395	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board approve the Grade 8 Car Wash Event Fundraiser on June 14th, 2025 hosted at MPS as a cash event as presented. CARRIED

17. DATE, PLACE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board is scheduled for 6:00 pm Tuesday, September 2, 2025.

18. IN-CAMERA SESSION:

2025-06-1396	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben for the Board to move into the committee of the whole at 7:02 pm.
	CARRIED

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2025-06-1397	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk to move out of the committee of the whole at 8:07 pm. CARRIED
2025-06-1398	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board accepts the 2023/2024 Consolidated Financial Statements as presented by the Board Auditors- KPMG. CARRIED
2025-06-1399	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the Board accepts the resignation letter of Stephanie Gunner effective June 26th, 2025 CARRIED
	ONITIVED
2025-06-1400	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board accepts the Maternity leave request for Victoria Ranger for the 2025/2026 school year
	CARRIED
2025-06-1401	Moved by Donna Glenesk and seconded by Kelly Reuben that the Board approves the Chair, Charlene Reuben to proceed with an offer and to negotiate with the selected candidate for Director of Education, as discussed.
	CARRIED

19. ADJOURNMENT:

2025-06-1402	Moved by Kelly Reuben and seconded by Donna Glenesk that the meeting be adjourned at 8:20 p.m.
	CARRIED

Charlene Reuben, Chairperson

Angela Tozer, Secretary to the Board

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