APPROVED

Niles Elementary School District 71

Minutes

Regular Session

Date and Time
Tuesday November 18, 2025 at 7:00 PM

Location
Media Center

Directors Present
Dexi Karabatsos, Georgia Chronopoulos, Jackie Jaime, Kenny Krueger, Matt Glancy, Matthew Holbrook, Victoria Luz

Directors Absent
None

Guests Present
Debra Jordan, Erica Smolinski, John Kosirog, Katie Russ, Ken Kaufhold, Laura Guarraci

I. Opening Items

A. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

Matthew Holbrook called a meeting of the board of directors of Niles Elementary School District 71 to order on Tuesday Nov 18, 2025 at 7:10 PM.

II. Consent Agenda

A. Motion to Approve the Consent Agenda

Matt Glancy made a motion to approve the minutes from Regular Session on 10-21-25.
Matthew Holbrook seconded the motion.
Minutes Approved Along with Consent Agenda.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

Jackie Jaime	Aye
Matt Glancy	Aye
Kenny Krueger	Aye
Matthew Holbrook	Aye
Dexi Karabatsos	Aye
Victoria Luz	Aye
Georgia Chronopoulos	Aye

III. Discussion and Action Items

A. Motion to Approve Accounts Payable

Matt Glancy made a motion to Approve Accounts Payable in the amount of $200,784.49.
Kenny Krueger seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

Dexi Karabatsos	Aye
Victoria Luz	Aye
Georgia Chronopoulos	Aye
Kenny Krueger	Aye
Matt Glancy	Aye
Jackie Jaime	Aye
Matthew Holbrook	Aye

B. Motion to Approve the Resolution Authorizing Participation in Property Tax Proceedings

Matt Glancy made a motion to to Approve the Resolution Authorizing Participation in Property Tax Proceedings.
Kenny Krueger seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

Georgia Chronopoulos	Aye
Matthew Holbrook	Aye
Matt Glancy	Aye
Kenny Krueger	Aye
Victoria Luz	Aye
Dexi Karabatsos	Aye

Roll Call

Jackie Jaime	Aye

C. Motion to Approve Safe Educational Environment Resolution

Matt Glancy made a motion to Approve Safe Educational Environment Resolution.
Kenny Krueger seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

Kenny Krueger	Aye
Jackie Jaime	Aye
Georgia Chronopoulos	Aye
Matt Glancy	Aye
Dexi Karabatsos	Aye
Matthew Holbrook	Aye
Victoria Luz	Aye

D. Approval of the 2025-2026 CAIP Program

Matt Glancy made a motion to Approve of the 2025-2026 CAIP Program.
Kenny Krueger seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

Victoria Luz	Aye
Jackie Jaime	Aye
Kenny Krueger	Aye
Dexi Karabatsos	Aye
Matthew Holbrook	Aye
Matt Glancy	Aye
Georgia Chronopoulos	Aye

E. First Reading of Board Policies

There was a first reading of Board Policies.

IV. Informational Items

A. NTDSE Report

Member Holbrook attended the meeting this month.

V. Administrative Report

A. Admin Report

Advancing Learning and Innovation

- **PLC Leadership**

- **Parent/Teacher Conferences**
- **Preschool For All Earns GOLD**

Fostering Safe and Healthy Learning Environments

- **5th grade science family event**
- **PTA's Book Fair and Holiday Shop**
- **Athletic/Extracurricular Update**
- **PBIS**
- **Healthy Snack**

VI. Superintendent's Report

A. Building Update

1. Soffits & Overhangs Update

B. Safety Program

1. Safety Committee Meeting Review

C. District Enrollment

D. FOIA Requests

There were none.

VII. Public Comment

A. In attendance

Michelle Baum, Teacher
Jonathan Carr, Parent
Ticia Ashcroft, Parent
Anela Hrnic, Parent

Jonathan Carr and Anela Hrnic addressed the Board with several concerns.

VIII. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Matthew Holbrook

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Board President

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Board Secretary