

**RICE LAKE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
700 AUGUSTA STREET
RICE LAKE, WI 54868**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGET HEARING
Monday, October 23, 2017
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**

MINUTES

- I. CALL TO ORDER:** The Board of Education of the Rice Lake School District met in special session at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, October 23, 2017, in the Board Room of the Rice Lake Area School District Administration Building, 700 Augusta Street, Rice Lake, Wisconsin, with Keven Jensen, President presiding.
- II. ROLL CALL:** Present - Board Members: Steve Bowman, Don Cuskey, Abbey Fischer, Keven Jensen, Bert Richard, Bill Schmitzer, Gary Spear
Absent- Josh Estreen, Doug Kucko
Others Present – Randy Drost, Superintendent; Sarah Webber, Student Representative
- III. NOTICE OF POSTING:** President Keven Jensen announced the Board hereby finds communication and public notice of the opening meeting, as required by section 19.84 of the Wisconsin Statutes, had been properly given by the presiding officer's designee, Patrick Blackaller. Such a notice and agenda to the official newspaper, the Rice Lake Chronotype, to the Eau Claire Leader-Telegram, and to radio stations WJMC and WAQE, indicating the date, time, and place of the meeting and such notice was given more than 24 hours prior to the meeting.
- (Josh Estreen entered the meeting at 6:34 p.m.)
- IV. PRESENTATION OF 2017-2018 SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET:** Keven Jensen welcomed residents. Mr. Jensen reviewed, in general, the overall budget for the 2017-2018 fiscal year. Mr. Drost provided an overview of the budget process, as well as a summary of the quality indicators. Patrick Blackaller provided a detailed view of revenues and expenditures.
- V. DISCUSSION AND QUESTIONS CONCERNING BUDGET:** Patrick Blackaller reviewed the 2017-2018 budget, mill rate, and levy.
- VI. REGULAR SESSION:** Steve Bowman and Gary Spear motion to close the budget hearing. All present voting yes. Approved. Budget Hearing adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Don Cuskey, Clerk