

Northeast Indiana Public Radio, Inc. Monthly Meeting of the Board of Directors

Monday, August 25, 2025 WBOI, 3204 Clairmont Court, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46808

- 1. Call to Order of the Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors at 5:36pm; Kim Fenoglio, Chair
 - a. Introductions and Establishment of Board Quorum:
 - i. Trustees: Kim Fenoglio, Chair; Ethan Brown, Treasurer; Heather Riggle, Vice Chair; Dodd Kattman, Melinda Perry, Abeer Saeed, Chrissy Borne
 - ii. Community Advisory Board: Elva Resendez
 - iii. Staff: Travis Pope, President and General Manager
 - b. Welcome to new board member, Chrissy Borne
 - b.Consent Agenda Kim Fenoglio
 - i. July Staff Report, July Board Meeting Minutes, July Financials, July Governance Committee Meeting, July Minutes
 - Ii. Motion Ethan Brown. Second Heather Riggle. Carried.
- 2. Finance Report Ethan Brown
 - a. Membership is ahead of where we were last year
 - b. Now breaking out major donor income and events. Note that it will be tracked separately from here on out when comparing to previous years.
 - c. Light on underwriting but in line with spend vs budget YTD.
- 3. Staff Report- Travis
 - a. Travis noted that August is typically a low month in terms of membership.
 - b. CPB will be significantly reduced as of 9/30/2025. Most staff will be laid off.
 - c. Community Service Grants will end.
 - d. Music use fees have historically been paid by CPB. Agreements were already negotiated by CPB through 2027 though licensing fee coverage will end Dec 2025.
 - e. NPR will give discounts to stations that are losing 10% or more of their budget. Currently a bequest given to us with limitations is making us ineligible.
 - f. IPB reporting is funded through remainder of year; pursuing a bridge grant through Lily Foundation. i.Community Foundation and Foellinger Foundation have reached out to provide assistance
- 4. Governance Heather Riggle
 - a. Committee Overview- Expectations and assignments
 - b. New board meeting and committee schedule proposal

MOTION: Committees will meet monthly starting in September. Board meetings will meet bimonthly. Annual schedule- June (budget approval and annual meeting), Aug, Oct, Dec, Feb, April i.Motion Heather Riggle. Second Elva Resendez. Carried.

Monthly Meeting Adjourned at 6:39pm by Kim Fenoglio.

The next monthly board meeting will be October 27, 2025 at 5:30pm. We will meet at the station, 3204 Clairmont Court.