Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Anne Ochs at 6:00 PM in the Board Room at the Educational Service Center, with the following trustees also present: Lisa Durgin, Meldene Goehring, Tim Hallinan, Joe Lawrence, Larry Steiger, and Rollo Williams.

Others participating in the meeting include Alex Ayers, Superintendent; Kirby Eisenhauer, Deputy Superintendent; Dennis Holmes, Associate Superintendent for Instructional Support; Larry Reznicek, Human Resources Manager Alison Gee, Attorney; and Tracy Peterson, Secretary to the Board.

Also present: Romelle Hoon, Beverly Garst, Elisabeth Garst, Charlie Garst, Dick Garst, Dub Garst, Lindy Watt, Julie Rankin, Crista Shelby, Cindi Rueschhoff, John Rueschhoff, Marla Griffith, Troy Nellermoe, Mary Stroka, Bob Vomhof, Cassia Catterall, Debora Swan, Priscilla Hixson, Zach Schmidt, Chad Bourgeois, Ted Amen, Michael Lunberg, Teresa Pike, Melissa Shelby, Alice McNeil, Mindy Bauer, Jack Tinsell, Holly Herman, Dinsley Hokenson, Brandon Shelstad, Julie Johnson, Kyle Johnson

Celebration

Campbell County High School Principal Chad Bourgeois introduced Science Olympiad Sponsor Troy Nellermoe and students who shared a slideshow highlighting their activities throughout the school year.

Academic Report

Campbell County High School Principal Chad Bourgeois shared an academic report for Campbell County High School.

Sunflower Elementary School Principal Troy Claycomb shared an academic report for Sunflower Elementary School.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Dr. Lawrence and seconded by Mrs. Goehring to approve all other items on the Consent Agenda. The motion carried unanimously.

Minutes

Minutes of the April 11, 2023, Board of Trustees regular meeting were approved.

Minutes of the April 11, 2023, Board of Trustees special board dinner meeting were approved.

Human Resources Actions The following actions taken by the Human Resources Department were approved:

EDUCATION SUPPORT PERSONNEL

RESIGNATIONS

Melody Cain Special Program Ed. Asst./Westwood Jessica Kiehn Purchasing Technician/ESC Tinisha Krasovich Assistant Cook/Nutrition Services

Cougar Mager Student Custodian/TBHS

Brandy Martin Secretary to Director of Activities/CCHS
Shandy Morrison Special Programs Ed. Asst./Sunflower

Maria Reza ESL Assistant/WJSH Wade Rodne Custodian/Rozet

Carol Roth Special Programs Ed. Asst./Rawhide

Carrie Sullivan SPEA – ASD/Lakeview

TERMINATIONS

Austin Strickland Custodian/CCHS

NEW HIRES - REGULAR

Karlee Kline Instructional Teacher Asst./Wagonwheel
Ekaterina Maycock Special Programs Ed. Asst./Hillcrest
Itzayana Morfin ESL Assistant/Twin Spruce
Tanner Pedersen Title I Teacher Asst./Meadowlark

NEW HIRES – SUBSTITUTES/TEMPORARIES

Marcella Baumgart Bus Driver in Training/Transportation

TRANSFERS

Kylie Engdahl FROM: Instructional Teacher Asst./Lakeview

TO: Payroll Specialist/ESC FROM: SPEA/Twin Spruce TO: ISDP Director/Twin Spruce

CERTIFIED

RESIGNATIONS

Elizabeth Torres

Sherrie Bassett Fourth Grade Teacher/Rawhide

> **Brittney Bell** Sixth Grade Teacher/Wagonwheel

Vanessa Bridges Science Teacher/CCHS

PE Teacher/.9 Meadowlark & .1 Little Powder Jason Hedrix

Keith Jacobson Science Teacher/Westwood Hannah Kienzle Science Teacher/Twin Spruce First Grade Teacher/Prairie Wind **Brooke Okray** Janell Pettigrew First Grade Teacher/Lakeview Social Studies Teacher/Sage Valley Adam Shankle

NEW HIRES - REGULAR

Jody Anderson Social Studies Teacher/Twin Spruce

Rena Anderson English Teacher/TBHS

Assoc. Supt./Instructional Support/ESC **David Bartlett**

Science Teacher/Sage Valley Rachael Carver Amanda Chism Elementary Art Teacher/Lakeview Kayla Gilbert Exceptional Child Specialist/Twin Spruce

Jill Guinn First Grade Teacher/Hillcrest

Francis Harding Instrumental Music Teacher/Pronghorn Dale Izatt Library/Media Specialist/Lakeview &

Wagonwheel

Gypsy Petz Guidance Counselor/Twin Spruce

NEW HIRES - SUBSTITUTES/TEMPORARIES

Substitute Nurse/All Schools Amanda Knittel Alyssa Hakert Substitute Teacher/All Schools Mary P. Williams Ethen Wolf Substitute Teacher/All Schools Substitute Teacher/All Schools

TRANSFERS

Lauren Antle

Jamie Oakley

Ashley Pollick

Erin Albers FROM: Fifth Grade Teacher/Pronghorn

TO: Technology Teacher/Pronghorn FROM: Exc. Child Specialist/Meadowlark TO: Elementary Case Manager/SSC

Colleen King FROM: Second Grade Teacher/Wagonwheel

TO: Elementary Multiple/CCVS

FROM: Third Grade Teacher/Lakeview Melinda Leastman

TO: Instructional Facilitator/Lakeview FROM: Third Grade Teacher/Rozet

TO: Exc. Child Specialist/Rozet

Randi O'Dowd FROM: Exc. Child Specialist/Buffalo Ridge

> TO: Sixth Grade Teacher/Buffalo Ridge FROM: Sixth Grade Teacher/Buffalo Ridge

TO: Technology Teacher/WJSH

Jamie Sanders FROM: Technology Teacher/Pronghorn

TO: Instructional Facilitator/Pronghorn

EXTRA DUTY RESIGNATIONS

Josh Dillinger Boys Assistant Swim Coach/CCHS Jason Hedrix 7/8 Boys Soccer Coach/Sage Valley JH Head Soccer Coach/Twin Spruce Jami Matson Joel Morgan Assistant Football Coach/WJSH Head Football Coach/WJSH Adam Shankle Donavon Voigt Assistant Boys Coach/TBHS

EXTRA DUTY RECOMMENDATIONS

Michael Brisson Assistant Tennis Coach.TBHS Orah Garst Head Football Coach/CCHS

Warrants The following warrants were ratified and approved:

Payroll Warrants 233211 - 233311 **Combined Fund Warrants** 391547 - - 391744

ACH Combined Funds 1994, 1995, 2005, 2012, 2013, 2014

ACH Nutritional Services 1993, 2011 Major Maintenance Warrants 9270 - 9288 12910 - 12921 **Nutritional Services Fund Warrants**

Insurance Warrants 4648

Student Activities Warrants 37442 - 37448 Activity Officials TBHS Warrants 1942 - 1945 Void

1946-1953

Bids and Quotes

The following bids and quotes were approved:

Rozet Elementary Boiler Replacement was awarded to Powder River Heating and Air Conditioning in the amount of \$583,861.00.

Thunder Basin High School FACS Room Remodel was awarded to Silver Nail Construction, LLC in the amount of \$278,330.00.

- 3. Renewal for Student Accident Insurance was awarded to Bob McCloskey Insurance in the amount of \$30,000.00.
- 4. Renewal for SchoolIntel Annual Software License was awarded to Phoenix Learning Systems in the amount of \$10,115.00.
- 5. Educational Service Center and Sunflower Elementary Cooling Towers were awarded to Paul Mueller Company in the amount of \$11,715.10.
- 6. Conestoga Elementary Roll Up Kitchen Door was awarded to Architectural Specialties LLC in the amount of \$12,629.58.
- 7. Twin Spruce Junior High Gymnasium Curtain Divider was awarded to Hladky Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$46,603.75.

Contracts and Agreements

The following contracts and agreements were approved:

- 1. Special Education Related Services Agreement with eLuma
- 2. Special Education Related Services Agreement with Hearing Solutions
- 3. Campbell County High School Athletic Training Services Agreement with Gillette Physical Therapy, P.C. doing business as Apex Athletic Performance
- 4. Thunder Basin High School Athletic Training Services Agreement with Gillette Physical Therapy, P.C. doing business as Apex Athletic Performance

Mil Levies

Approval was given to continue the Board of Cooperative Higher Education Services one-half mil levy and the Campbell County Community Recreation District one mil levy.

Student Expulsions

Students #50 through #52 were expelled for one calendar year with early readmittance under strict probation.

Student #53 was expelled for one calendar year.

WSBAIT Representative Appointment

Dr. Larry Reznicek was appointed as the Wyoming School Boards Association Insurance Trust (WSBAIT) representative for Campbell County School District.

2023-2024 Salary, Benefits, and Health Insurance Recommendations Dr. Reznicek made the following recommendations for the 2023-2024 Health,

- Dental, and Vision Rate and asked for approval:

 7.3% increase for all employee medical plans (with the 4% Wellness Discount).
- Increase to all medical plans for employees will begin September 1, 2023.
- Plan G is now available to all employees (previously was only offered to retirees).
- No change to Dental and Vision premiums.
- The following are plan changes for 2023-2024:
 - Medical Plan D Deductible is increasing from \$2,800 person/\$5600 family to \$3000 person/\$6000 family, July 1, 2023. The maximum out-of-pocket will not change.

Dr. Ayers made the following recommendation for the 2023-2024 salaries and benefits and asked for approval:

- Advancement on the salary schedule for longevity (a step) take place for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Anticipated Cost = \$1,500,00 (Ongoing General Fund Costs)
- Employees completing education or training that would provide additional compensation be allowed the appropriate salary adjustments.
 - Anticipated Cost = \$150,000
- Salary Schedules be adjusted in the following manner:
 - Increase the base of the teacher salary schedule by \$1500 and distribute that amount throughout the salary schedule;
 - Increase the base of the ESP salary schedule by 3.03% and distribute the percentage throughout the schedule; and
 - Increase the base of supervisor, manager, licensed professional, and administrator salary schedules in a comparable manner.
 - Anticipated Cost = \$3,000,000
- Topped-out employees receive a one-time stipend of 2% to be paid out
 proportionally in regular checks during the 2023-2024 school year. Topped-out
 certified staff is defined as those currently on the final step of the Bachelor's plus
 45, Master's plus 45, and Doctorate columns only. Topped-out educational support
 personnel is defined as those currently on the final step of their salary schedule.
 - Anticipated Cost = \$0 (No increase compared to 2022-23)

Total Ongoing General Fund Anticipated Cost = \$4,650,000

After discussion, Dr. Lawrence made a motion to approve the recommendations as presented. Mr. Williams seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously.

Little Powder School 4day Week Proposal

Little Powder School Principal Lindy Watt provided information on the proposed 4day week schedule for Little Powder School, which will mirror the 4-day week schools in the district, and asked for approval.

A motion was made by Mrs. Durgin and seconded by Dr. Lawrence to approve the 4-day week schedule for Little Powder School. The motion carried unanimously.

2023-2024 Academic Fee Schedule and 2023-2024 Activity Fee Schedule

Public Comments

Mr. Eisenhauer reviewed proposed changes to the 2023-2024 Academic Fee Schedule, which includes a \$25.00 book/cleaning kit fee for band/orchestra instruments due to the only vendor in town who provided those materials closing their business, and the 2023-2024 Activity Fee Schedule (no changes) and asked for approval.

A motion was made by Dr. Lawrence and seconded by Mr. Williams to approve the 2023-2024 Academic Fee Schedule and the 2024-2025 Activity Fee Schedule. The motion carried unanimously.

Public comments made about the following: thankfulness to the Board for the stipends given this year and the staff raises that were approved as it will help single parents and recruit new staff, school safety, communication with schools, safety

concerns with vaping and drugs, and support for a coaching hire.

Trustee Celebrations Chairman Ochs celebrated the upcoming STEM Showcase on May 17 and

encouraged the public to attend and see the amazing things students are creating, and the ACT Prep Class scheduled for next year will be a positive for students.

Adjournment With no other business before the board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:41 PM.

Tracy Peterson

Secretary

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