#### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Jennings at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the Educational Services Center with the following trustees also present: Lisa Durgin, David Fall, David Foreman, Anne Ochs, Deb Hepp, and Andrea Hladky.

Others present: Dr. Boyd Brown, Superintendent of Schools; Dr. Alex Ayers, Deputy Superintendent; Mr. Kirby Eisenhauer, Associate Superintendent for Instructional Support; Mr. Larry Reznicek, Manager of Human Resources; Mr. Frank Stevens, attorney; and Meldene Goehring, administrative assistant.

Also present: Kathy Brown, Jeff Wasserburger, Andrea Pearson, Tamara Blesi, Richard Blesi, Cheryl Brannan, Kenzie Brannan, Mayra Macias, Megan Peterson, Seth Petersen, Donald Adams, Belle Adams, Eva Maria Macias, Carolin Hardesty, Don Dihle, Keith Chrans, Kevin Sinclair, Doug Van Alfen, Rory Williams, and Cody Smith.

## Alcohol Awareness Proclamation

Chairman Jennings read the Alcohol Awareness Proclamation in observance of Alcohol Awareness Month.

#### Celebration

Public relations director Jeff Wasserburger presented the following school principals for celebration:

Buffalo Ridge Elementary School principal Kevin Sinclair presented librarian Carolin Hardesty and Book Club members who shared information about the book club and what has been happening in the library.

Lakeview Elementary School principal Doug Van Alfen provided information on the Learn and Grow Partnership with the YES House. YES House representatives spoke about the activities and shared some of the projects the students created.

Prairie Wind Elementary School principal Rory Williams presented art teacher Cody Smith and sixth grade students who shared a project demonstrating integration of art and technology.

### School Academic Reports

Mr. Sinclair presented an academic report for Buffalo Ridge Elementary School.

Mr. Van Alfen presented an academic report for Lakeview Elementary School.

Mr. Williams presented an academic report for Prairie Wind Elementary School.

## Public Comment

There were no public comments.

#### Change to Agenda

Larry Reznicek asked that the Board vote on the wage study recommendation rather than just hearing the information from the study. Mrs. Durgin made a motion to vote on the wage study recommendation after the information was presented, and Mr. Foreman seconded the motion. The motion carried.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

It was moved by Mrs. Ochs and seconded by Mrs. Hepp to approve all items listed on the consent agenda. The motion carried.

#### Minutes

Minutes of the March 26, 2015, Board of Trustees meeting were approved.

#### **Employee Actions**

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

## EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PERSONNEL

Resignations

Stephanie Cross Jr. Kindergarten Teacher Asst./Lakeview

Tera Ellis E.D. SPEA/Paintbrush

Keely Geer Technology Asst./Buffalo Ridge

Tara Golden Special Programs Ed. Asst./Pronghorn

Robert Welch Bus Driver/Transportation

New Hires – Regular

Tanya Allred Asst Cook/Nutrition Services Replace Brittany Balmer SPEA/Pronghorn Replace Bus Assistant/Transportation Replace Heather Binkley Gina DeCelle Elem Office Clerk/Prairie Wind Replace E.D. SPEA/Paintbrush Replace Tera Ellis Gabriela Lopez E.D. SPEA/Prairie Wind Replace Ashley Mravlja E.D. SPEA/Prairie Wind Replace Skilled MNT General/MNT Replace John Robinson Amy Speakman Technology Asst/CCHS-South Replace

New Hires - Substitutes/Temporaries

Wendell Blevins
Crystal Emerson
Cristina Hines
Joseph Storm
Lewis Vasquez
Jennifer Wisneski-Smith
Bus Driver-in-Training/Trans.
Bus Driver-in-Training/Trans.
Student Custodian/TSJH
Hourly 7/8 Track/WJSH
Bus Driver-in-Training/Trans

New Hires - Extra Duty Recommendations

Lisa Atencio Summer School ESY SPEA

w/High Needs/CCHS-North

Shari Henaghan Summer School ESY SPEA

w/High Needs/CCHS-North

Jacque Holden Summer School Tech

Asst/Hillcrest

Leslie Hoffman Summer School ESY SPEA

w/High Needs/CCHS-North

Trisha Stieg Summer School ESY SPEA

w/High Needs/CCHS-North

Alaina Williams Summer School ESY SPEA

w/High Needs/CCHS-North

Transfers

Marlaina Anderson FROM: Substitute Teacher/All Schools

TO: SPEA/Prairie Wind

Elsie Kulik FROM: Head Custodian/Rozet

TO: Custodian/Rozet

Shy-Ann Mills FROM: Bus Driver in Training/Trans

TO: Bus Driver/Transportation

Cynthia Sheppard FROM: Custodian/LLC

TO: Head Custodian/Rozet

Eunice Sousley FROM: Bus Assistant/Transportation

TO: Bus Driver/Transportation

Ginger Strauch FROM: Substitute Teacher/All Schools

TO: Instructional Teacher Asst/Conestoga

#### **CERTIFIED**

Recommendation for Hire

Cameron Anderson P.E. Teacher/Wagonwheel Replace

Shary Charlson	Fifth Grade Teacher/Rawhide	Replace
Kimberly Dike	E.S.L. Teacher/Hillcrest	Replace
Matt Hard	Technology	Replace

Teacher/Wagonwheel

Kara Loden Fourth Grade Replace

Teacher/Wagonwheel

Replace

Margaret Stubbs-.5 Library Media Spec./ML-.5

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Michele Sturdevant Instructional Replace

Facilitator/Rawhide

Sixth Grade Teacher/Prairie New Dylan Wisroth

Wind

Resignations

Peggy Fraser Kindergarten Teacher/Rozet Ronda Gutsche Kindergarten Teacher/Rozet Sheila Jeremiah Social Studies Teacher/TSJH Erica Killham English Teacher/WJSH

Beth Likewise

**Exceptional Child** 

Specialist/Resource/SVJH Fourth Grade Teacher/Hillcrest Amanda Moser Small Engines Teacher/CCHS-South Kristopher Newman Michelle Pierce Business Education/CCHS-South/North Carmen Sinclair Vocal Music Teacher/Prairie Wind Family and Consumer Science Janet Smith

Teacher/WJSH

Substitute Teacher New Hires

Jessica Graham Substitute Teacher/All Schools Anna Kiefat Substitute Teacher/All Schools Substitute Nurse/All Schools Kimberlie Martinson Stacy Reynolds Substitute Teacher/All Schools Dinah Richardson Substitute Teacher/All Schools Elly Talbott Substitute Teacher/All Schools Substitute Teacher/All Schools Megan Van Veldhuizen

Extra Duty Recommendations

Trisha Evenson Summer School PE Teacher/Hillcrest Barb Lahr Summer Enrichment Teacher/Prairie Wind Summer Enrichment Teacher/Prairie Wind Whitney Luciano Allen Merrill Summer School English Teacher/CCHS-N Kelly Nedved Summer Enrichment Teacher/Prairie Wind Megan Walker Summer School Secondary ESY SPED

Teacher/CCHS

Title III Coordinator/District Stephanie Zickefoose

Extra Duty Resignations

Traci Mills Volleyball Asst. Coach - 7/WJSH Traci Mills Basketball Boys - 7/WJSH

Nick Rasse Wrestling 7/8/SVJH

**Transfers** 

Patsy Gray FROM: Sixth Grade/Wagonwheel

TO: Instructional Facilitator/Hillcrest

Bridget Wolden FROM: .5 Exc Child Spec/PR-.5 Exc Child

Spec/4J

TO: .5 Exc Child Spec/4J

#### Request to Serve

A request from Deb French for seven days of professional leave to serve as the Wyoming Education Association N.E. District

Representative was approved. Wyoming Education Association will pay the substitute costs.

#### Warrants

Payroll Warrants

Combined Fund Warrants

Major Maintenance Warrants

Nutritional Services Fund Warrants

Insurance Fund Warrants

Student Activities/Bldg Sp. Rev. Warrants

Activity Officials Warrants

204422 – 204657

346480 – 346920

6430 – 6435

8723 – 8748

3578 – 3583

3537 – 35345

5241 - 5253

#### Bids

The following bids were approved:

- 1. Stocktrail Construction Testing and Inspections was awarded to Strata, Inc. in the amount of \$80,147.
- 2. Sunflower and Pronghorn Indirect Waste and Grease Trap Installation was awarded to Long's Plumbing and Heating, Inc. in the amount of \$24,267.
- 3. 4J Temperature Control Upgrade was awarded to Air-Tech Heating and Air Conditioning, Inc. in the amount of \$166,452.
- 4. Print Shop Color Digital Press was awarded to Office Shop, Inc. in the amount of \$39,642.
- 5. Wright Junior/Senior High Practice Field Renovation was awarded to GreenOne Industries, Inc. in the amount of \$507.687.
- CCHS-North Campus Track Resurfacing was awarded to Simon Contractors in the amount of \$555,275. If approved by the CCCPRD Board, a change order will be issued in the amount of \$125,000 for additional work.
- 7. District Fire Extinguishers and Kitchen Hood Systems Servicing was awarded to FireMaster in the amount of \$13,782.60.
- 8. District Lawn Herbicide Application Services was awarded to Wyoming Lawn Pro in the amount of \$24,284.
- 9. Wagonwheel Media Center Remodel was awarded to Michael's Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$568,225.

# Contracts and Agreements

The following contracts and agreements were approved:

- 1. Wright Junior/Senior High School Donkey Basketball with Donkey Sports, Inc.
- 2. Lakeview Fall Book Fair with Scholastic Book Fairs
- 3. CCHS Graduation Property Use with Campbell County Public Land Board (CAM-PLEX)
- 4. Sage Valley Yearbook Publication with Lifetouch
- 5. Westwood Graduation Property Use with Campbell County Public Land Board (CAM-PLEX)
- District Disposal Services with Waste Connections of Wyoming
- 7. Pronghorn and Sunflower Indirect Waste and Grease Trap Installation with Long's Plumbing and Heating, Inc.
- 8. Stocktrail Construction Testing and Inspection Services with Strata, Inc.
- District Fire Extinguishers and Kitchen Hood Systems Servicing with FireMaster
- 10. Wright Junior/Senior High Practice Field Renovation with GreenOne Industries, Inc.
- 11. District Lawn Herbicide Application Services with Wyoming Lawn Pro
- 12. CCHS-North Campus Track Resurfacing with Simon Contractors
- 13. Finance Copier Maintenance with Ricoh

#### Surplus Request

Approval was given to surplus a used desk and donate it to Gillette Post 42 Legion Baseball.

#### **Policies**

Policy and Regulation 4130 and 4130-R, Grievance-Non-Administrative Certified Employees; Policy 4134, Communication With Administration and the Board; and Policy 4135, Board Relationship With District Personnel were approved with minor changes. Policy 4148, Salary Overpayment/Underpayment was reviewed with no changes.

#### **Grant Application**

Approval was given to apply for the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security School Safety Grant.

# Campbell County Prevention Council/Substance Abuse Initiative MOU

Approval was given to enter into the Memorandum of Understanding with Campbell County Prevention Council/Substance Abuse Initiative for Fiscal Year 2015-2016.

#### Student Expulsions

Student #23 was expelled for one year with early readmittance under strict probation, subject to terms and conditions.

Student #24 was expelled for one year with early readmittance under strict probation, subject to terms and conditions.

Student #25 was expelled for one year with early readmittance under strict probation, subject to terms and conditions.

## CONSENT AGENDA ENDS

High School Survey

Dr. Ayers presented the results of the survey regarding two high schools. A total of five surveys were conducted.

Four surveys were conducted through SurveyMonkey, which resulted in the following:

- **Stakeholders:** 71% for two high schools, 26.3% for one high school, and 2.7% had no preference.
- **Staff:** 69.5% for two high schools, 22.5% for one high school, and 8% had no preference.
- **Students 7-9:** 36% for two high schools, 55.4% for one high school, and 8.6% had no preference.
- **Students 10-12:** 37.2% for two high schools, 48% for one high school, and 14.8% had no preference.

Student participation in the survey was voluntary.

One survey was conducted through Blackboard. Participants in the Blackboard survey consisted of parents of students. The Blackboard survey resulted in the following:

- 56.93% strongly support two high schools
- 23.32% support two high schools
- 8.26% had no preference
- 5.59% oppose two high schools
- 5.91% strongly oppose two high schools

There was some concern with the Blackboard survey program; however, the problems with this program do not carry over to the Blackboard emergency calling program.

Complete details and results of this survey are attached to these minutes.

The board plans to make a decision on this issue at the May 12, 2015 board meeting.

Wage Study

Human resources director Larry Reznicek and Educational Management Solutions representative Fred Corn presented data from the recent job classification and compensation study. The study revealed that Campbell County School District is significantly below market for entry level wages, thirty-five positions on the Educational Support salary schedule need to be moved to new ranges to account for internal equity, licensed professionals should be moved their own salary schedule, and entry level salaries for administrators need to be increased.

The board expressed concern about a separation for seniority if entry level salaries are increased. Mr. Reznicek commented that if the Staff Communicators Assembly chooses, they have an option to recommend an enhancement to the salary schedule when they present to the board at the April 28 meeting.

Dr. Fall made a motion to eliminate the first four steps from the Educational Support Personnel Hourly Schedule and move those employees to step five; move thirty-five positions to the recommended ranges to account for internal equity; move licensed professional staff including Speech Therapist, Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, and School Psychologist from the Supervisor/Manager/Contracted Exempt Salary Schedule to their own salary schedule; and increase the entry level salary for administrators by fifteen percent. Mr. Foreman seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

**Facilities Report** 

Mr. Eisenhauer updated the board on the South Campus project. The bid on this project came in \$3.5 million over budget. Mr. Eisenhauer will go before the School Facilities Commission on April 23 to request unanticipated funds for the budget overage.

The Stocktrail groundbreaking ceremony will be on May 19 at 4:00 p.m. The contractor has started moving dirt on the site, and this project is progressing well.

The Facility Committee which is comprised of eighteen people including students; parents; staff; representatives from the city, county, and hospital; and Campbell County School District board trustee Andrea Hladky met to review the district Facility Plan. Mr. Eisenhauer will present the Facility Plan to the School Facilities Department in Cheyenne on April 30.

Mr. Eisenhauer updated the board on possible changes in funding at the School Facilities Department. Due to coal lease bonuses slowing down, the School Facilities Department may start looking at asset preservation. There may be some movement toward combining Major Maintenance and Component funds and requiring compliance reviews of Major Maintenance expenditures. Mr. Eisenhauer will share information as it becomes available.

Preliminary Funding Report

Mr. Eisenhauer provided preliminary information regarding funding expectations for next fiscal year. The District will have about \$7.5 million in additional funds due to ECA, Foundation Health Insurance allocation, Special Education Reimbursement, and increased student enrollment. After factoring new and additional costs for next year, the District should have approximately \$1.5 million in funds available for

the Staff Communicators Assembly (SCA) to work with. SCA will make their recommendation to the board at the April 28 meeting.

Comments from Trustees There were no comments from trustees.

Adjournment With no other business before the board, Dr. Fall made a motion to

adjourn the meeting and Mrs. Durgin seconded the motion. The

meeting was adjourned at 9:48 p.m.

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