

FERTILE-BELTRAMI PUBLIC SCHOOL
Independent School District #599
REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
8:01 p.m., March 11, 2025
Fertile-Beltrami School Board Conference Rm

The Board of Education of Independent School District #599 met in regular session at 8:01 p.m., Tuesday, March 11, 2025. The following were present Matt Erickson, Paul Stromstad, Nathan Rasch, Ryan Opdahl, Mark Sorenson, April Grunhovd, Tia Gullickson, Dean Bruggeman, and Superintendent Clarke.

Visitors: Linda Widrig, Mary Olson, Samantha Stock, Kayla Campbell, Amy Kleinwachter

Chairman Erickson called the meeting to order at 8:01 p.m..

Sorenson moved, Stromstad seconded to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting, February 11, 2025, Informational Meeting February 25, 2025. UC

Rasch moved, Grunhovd seconded to approve the agenda as presented/amended. UC

The following made public comments: none

Cash balances for February were reviewed.

Stromstad moved, Sorenson seconded to approve payment of the March bills in the amount of \$478,620.01 (69480-69573 \$187,165.40 and wires \$291,454.61). UC

Teacher reports: wrap up for I Love to Read month.

Dean of students reported on the following: Winter tournaments, Ensembles, Knowledge Bowl, Spring Sports activities.

Principal Messick reported on the following: Handout available

Superintendent Clarke reported on the following: Federal funding totals, MN Budget forecast, Elementary Outdoor Education.

Rasch moved, Gullickson seconded to authorize notice of assignments for: Craig Larson- Golf, Grant Wilson-Golf, Karin-Sorenson-Jr High Golf, Kerri Solie-Softball, Asst. Softball-Lisa Orre, Jenna Schrom-Jr. High, Brian Nelson-Track, Chad Braun-Track, Neil Steffes-Track, Taylor Sannes- BB, Tammy Hemmah- JR High Play. UC

Sorenson moved, Grunhovd seconded to accept a letter of resignation from Sarah Hanson-Summer Rec Director. UC

Opdahl moved, Stromstad seconded to accept a letter of resignation from JoDee Jensrud- Spec Education. UC

Rasch moved, Stromstad seconded to not participate in MN Student Survey this year. UC

Stromstad moved, Sorenson seconded to approve the following Education Foundation Grants:
FB School- contribution to old gym sound system-\$7,500, L Messick- country foods-\$400,
Bruggeman- indoor recess activities-\$935.70, L Messick- flowers-\$250, Raaen- robotics supplies-
\$2,278.69, Langenfeld- tuba, new music/repairs-\$3,305.55 (total=\$14,669.94). UC

Gullickson moved, Grunhovd seconded to approve the following volunteer coaches: Chris
Zimmel, Chad Hitchen- Track, Rylin Petry- Girls Golf, Sam Finseth-Boys Golf, Michelle Kaiser-
Softball, Ray Cheeseman, Rob Tollefson, Jared Hemmah- Baseball. UC

Chairman Erickson adjourned the meeting at 8:51 p.m.. UC

The next regular meeting is scheduled for 8:00 p.m., April 8, 2025.

_____ Chairperson _____ Clerk