FERTILE-BELTRAMI PUBLIC SCHOOL

Independent School District #599

REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

8:00 p.m., October 13, 2026

Fertile-Beltrami School Board Conference Rm

The Board of Education of Independent School District #599 met in regular session at 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 13, 2026. The following were present: Matt Erickson, Nathan Rasch, Mark Sorenson, Ryan Opdahl, April Grunhovd, Tia Gullickson, AD Pederson, Dean Zimmel, Principal Messick, and Superintendent Clarke.

Visitors: Mary Olson, Hailey Eidelbes, Dorene Dufault, Emily Mosher, Amy Kleinwacher, Olivia Morton

Chairman Erickson called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m..

Opdahl moved, Rasch seconded to approve the minutes of Regular Meeting, September 8, 2026, Transportation Committee Meeting, September 15, 2026. UC

Sorenson moved, Gullickson seconded to approve the agenda as presented/amended. UC

The following made public comments: none

Cash balances for September were reviewed.

Rasch moved, Grunhovd seconded to approve payment of the October bills in the amount of 517,807.92 for check numbers 71344-71467 $347,932.64 and wires $169,874.98. UC

Audit report presented- Olivia Morton presented information regarding the 25-26 Financial Audit

AD Pederson reported on the following: MSHL Grant, uniform rotation, winter sports.

Dean Zimmel reported on the following: ZAP program

Principal Messick on the following: SAT, Fire Prevention week, Water Festival

Superintendent Clarke reported on the following: Audit, revised budget information, Permanent School Trust Fund.

Rasch moved, Grunhovd seconded to adopt the 2026-2027 revised budget. UC

Opdahl moved, Sorenson seconded to approve a notice of assignment for Emily Giannotta- One Act Play, Josie Iverson- JV GBB, Tanya Rasch-9th GBB, Pete Ofstedal-Jr High Girl's BB, JoDee Jensrud-Jr High Cross Country, Craig Larson- Jr High GBB, Jared Brainard- Jr High BBB, Todd Peterson- Jr. High BBB, Hunter Kresl- Asst. Wrestling, Tim Sykes 9th BBB, Jeff Gullickson- Asst. BBB, Drew Rasch- Jr. High Wrestling. UC

Grunhovd moved, Gullickson seconded to accept a donation from Chapter 06625 of Royal Neighbors of America in the amount of $100 for Student Closet Project. UC

Sorenson moved, Opdahl seconded to approve the bid from Forks Fence in the amount of $15,680 for chain link fence. UC

Rasch moved, Gullickson seconded to approve the bid from Yost Construction in the amount of $6,100 for dug out repair/replace. UC

Rasch moved, Opdahl seconded to authorize signatures to support MSHL Grant applications for FORM A and FORM B. UC

The following items were discussed: Girl's Wrestling interest

The next regular meeting is scheduled for November, 10th, 2026, 8:00 p.m**.**

Chairman Erickson adjourned the meeting at 9:07 p.m.

_____ Chairman _____ Clerk