

# LEGAL NOTICE

## MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WESTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #7

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Chairman Rankin called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the following in attendance: Trustee White, Trustee Mills, Trustee Miller, and Trustee Mitchell. Superintendent Clark Coberly, Principals Joe Samuelson & Cliff Toole, Maintenance/Transportation Director Les Bishop, and Business Manager Roxie Taft were also present.

### Adjustments to the Agenda:

- Dr. Coberly requested the agenda be adjusted to add the employment of personnel to item 6 executive session, change item 7 to Action item, add 7a Approve Personnel Report as Discussed in Executive Session, and then renumber the balance of the agenda accordingly. Motion by Trustee Miller, seconded by Trustee Mitchell, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

**Consent Agenda:** Approve minutes from the February 12, 2025, Board Meeting and approve February claims for payment:

General Fund 58-61, 278-283, 23282-23329	698,898.44
Special Revenue 7, 248-251, 2396-2408	44,182.86
Lunch Fund 209, 2464-2467	1,761.84
Activity Fund 226-229, 3716-3731	7,937.91
Major Maintenance 1583	13,580.00

The consent agenda was adopted as presented.

### Reports:

- Principal Toole recognized the students of the month under the theme of "trustworthy", provided updated enrollment numbers & attendance data, and provided an update on staff professional development opportunities, student activities, athletics & Bobcat Adventures.
- Principal Samuelson recognized the students of the month under the theme of "trustworthy", provided updated enrollment numbers, recognized Karla Ludemann for receiving the High School Personalized Learning Classroom award at the Modern Learning Conference, provided an update on student activities & athletics, and provided dates for upcoming events at the high school including graduation which will be held on May 18.
- Superintendent Coberly complimented Mr. Garcia and all of the staff involved in helping with Region Basketball, provided an update on ongoing district maintenance projects, reported the district received our accreditation report from the WDE, reported we will participate in the RIDE statewide celebration of learning which will be held on May 9th, provided an update on the school funding lawsuit reporting that the judge ruled in favor of the WEA and participating school districts on all counts, provided updated enrollment numbers for Braintree, and reviewed the agenda for the Special Board meeting that will be held on March 12th at 4:00 p.m.

### Public Comment:

- There were no public comments.

### Discussion and Information:

- Trustee Miller congratulated all the wrestlers and basketball players plus recognized the custodial staff who worked so hard at the Regional Tournament.
- Dr. Coberly provided a legislative update on bills the district has been monitoring.
- Trustee White reported on the NEW-BOCES meeting she attended and noted they have hired a new director and a new business manager.

### Executive Session:

- Motion by Trustee Miller, seconded by Trustee Mitchell to convene to executive session at 5:58 p.m. to receive information considered confidential by law and to discuss employment of personnel. Motion carried. Motion by Trustee Miller, seconded by Trustee Mills, to reconvene to regular session at 6:31 p.m. Motion carried.

### Action Items:

- Motion by Trustee Mills, seconded by Trustee Miller, to approve the personnel report as discussed in executive session. Dr. Coberly explained the personnel report included the resignation of Bridget Walker as District Art teacher effective at the end of this school year. Motion carried.

### Future Business/Dates:

- Special Board Meeting - March 12, 2025, @ 4:00 p.m.
- Next Regular Board Meeting--April 9, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m.
- Budget Work Session - April 2, 2025, @ 10:00 a.m.

### Adjournment:

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:34 p.m.

Curtis Rankin, Board Chair  
Mark Mitchell, Board Clerk