

Deuel School District #19-4 School Board Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 14, 2024

The regular meeting of the Deuel School District Board of Education was called to order on Monday, October 14, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. by Chairperson Nielsen. Members present included Danay Nielsen, Wade Gubrud, Leah Schwiesow, and Tony Konold. Joel Brandt was absent. Others present included Superintendent Schiernbeck, Principal Hahn, Business Manager Schmahl, and Karan Domina.

Action 10A-1

Motion by Schwiesow, seconded by Gubrud to adopt the agenda with the addition of 2024 Audit Proposal added after Finance Committee. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

The Mission & Vision Statements were read by Danay Nielsen.

There was no public comment.

Karan Domina, HS English Teacher, gave an overview of her class curriculum and some new curriculum she is utilizing to keep the students engaged.

There were no Conflict-of-Interest Disclosures.

Action 10A-2

Motion by Konold, seconded by Schwiesow to approve the consent agenda as follows: Minutes of the Regular Meeting September 9, 2024, and September 2024 Payroll - General Fund \$308,563.48, Special Education \$68,972.90, Food Service \$12,708.59 and Drivers Ed \$429.60. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-3

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Schwiesow to approve the financial report for the month ending September 30, 2024. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

	General Fund	Capital Outlay	Capital Projects	Special Education	Food Service	Other Enterprise	Trust and Agency	Private Purpose Trust	Total
Balance 9.1.24	1,296,206.80	2,257,985.10	2,415.83	431,456.33	(38,601.16)	(1,352.88)	160,584.70	68,404.06	4,177,098.78
Receipts:									
Local	54,901.32	24,389.39	-	10,709.52	19,749.84	-	24,060.12	-	133,810.19
State	138,675.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	138,675.00
Federal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Receipts	193,576.32	24,389.39	-	10,709.52	19,749.84	-	24,060.12	-	272,485.19
G.L. Entries	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disbursements:									
Accts. Payable	62,916.09	122,359.35	-	12,285.80	15,289.74	-	68,329.42	-	281,180.40
Hourly Payroll	56,714.40	-	-	35,966.19	12,708.59	429.60	-	-	105,818.78
Contracted Payroll	251,849.08	-	-	33,006.71	-	-	-	-	284,855.79
P-Card	3,114.93	4,843.17	-	1,068.43	287.87	-	258.84	-	9,573.24
Flex/HS Deducts	-	-	-	-	-	-	981.44	-	981.44
Prior Adj	3,000.00	176,748.00	(179,748.00)	-	-	-	(50.00)	-	(50.00)
CO Cert Pmts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pre-Paids	27.56	-	-	-	300.79	-	-	-	328.35
Total Disbursements	377,622.06	303,950.52	(179,748.00)	82,327.13	28,586.99	429.60	69,519.70	-	682,688.00
Balance 9.30.24	1,112,161.06	1,978,423.97	182,163.83	359,838.72	(47,438.31)	(1,782.48)	115,125.12	68,404.06	3,766,895.97

Action 10A-4

Motion by Schwiesow, seconded by Gubrud to approve payment of the September 2024 bills. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-5

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Konold to approve the Annual Report as presented. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Todd Rahlf arrived at 6:20 p.m.

Action 10A-6

Motion by Schwiesow, seconded by Gubrud to approve the 2022-2023 Audit as presented. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-7

Motion by Konold, seconded by Gubrud to accept the snow removal quote from Wiesner Construction for the 2024-2025 school year. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-8

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Schwiesow to approve Tessa Rolfsmeier as Assistant Gymnastics Coach with a stipend of \$2,960.00. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-9

Motion by Konold, seconded by Schwiesow to approve John Drake as a Bus Driver at \$22.76 per hour. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-10

Motion by Schwiesow, seconded by Konold to approve Colleen Boeke as a Custodian at \$17.50 per hour. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-11

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Konold to approve Christina Beutler as a Paraprofessional at \$16.25 per hour. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-12

Motion by Schwiesow, seconded by Konold to approve the following resolution:

Initiated Measure 28 (IM 28) Opposition Resolution

WHEREAS Initiated Measure 28 will be on the November 2024 General Election Ballot and proposes the elimination of sales tax collection on items sold for "human consumption" which is undefined in South Dakota Codified Law or in South Dakota Constitution;

WHEREAS nearly 50 organizations and associations across South Dakota, including Associated School Boards of South Dakota, have joined together in opposition of the measure due to its inevitable negative fiscal impact to the state;

WHEREAS more than 70 local government bodies in South Dakota have passed a resolution expressing their opposition to IM 28;

WHEREAS if IM 28 passes it may lead to significant cuts to the state budget, which provides the state's share to state aid for public education;

WHEREAS South Dakota public schools received more than \$700 million in state aid for fiscal year 2025, which is significantly funded through state revenue collection;

WHEREAS South Dakota's Legislative Research Council estimated if IM 28 passes there could be a total reduction in state revenues between \$133.6 and \$646.2 million, depending on the interpretation of the phrase "human consumption";

WHEREAS it is clear, passage of IM 28 would have a significant, negative fiscal impact on public school funding;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, we, the Deuel School Board, oppose Initiated Measure 28.

All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-13

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Schwiesow to approve Open Enrollment 24-25 M. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-14

Motion by Konold, seconded by Schwiesow to approve the Long-Term Substitute Waiver's for Bruce Schiefelbein and Paige Bohne. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-15

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Konold to approve a donation of \$160.00 for Attorney Rodney Freeman to attend the National Conference. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Action 10A-16

Motion by Konold, seconded by Schwiesow to approve the following policies:

GCDB: Criminal Background Checks and Policy Exhibit GCDB-E(1): Criminal Background Checks
Noncriminal Justice Applicant's Privacy Rights (AMEND)

JO: Student Records (AMEND)

JOA: Student Directory Information and Policy Exhibit JOA-E(1): Student Directory Information
Notice (AMEND)

JECB: Open Enrollment (AMEND)

KK: Visitors to Schools and NEW-Policy Exhibit KK-E(1) Visitors to Schools

All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Changes to the Strategic Plan were discussed.

The Delegate Assembly, to be held on Friday, November 22, 2024, in Pierre, was discussed and the Board members were asked about interest in attending.

The Finance Committee reported on the September 19, 2024, meeting.

Action 10A-17

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Schwiesow to accept the proposal from ELO CPA's & Advisors to conduct the 2023-2024 Audit. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Superintendent Schiernbeck's report included: CSI; bus needs; possible Gymnastics Coop; Fall Enrollment; Focus Group; Playground Committee; State Report Card; Academic Dashboard; State of the District; Mothers Room; Drug Dogs; Veterans Day Program – Cody Eastman speaker; and ALL Award – Congratulations to the Deuel School Board for receiving the Gold Award. The next regular board meeting will be November 11, 2024, and the Veteran's Day Program will be held Monday, November 11, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.

Joel Brandt arrived at 6:57 p.m.

Principal Hahn's report included: Friday attendance; Staff Recognition- Karan Domina; Morale Builders; Middle School Students of the Month: ELA - Jade Greybuffalo, Math - Rylee Rahlf,

Science - Arianna Smith, and Social - Lincoln Hawley; High School Students of the Month: ELA – Kaylyn Thomas, Math – Amelia Giese, Science – Eden Schiernbeck, Social – Damon Majdabadi, Music – Jayda Fieber, CTE – Camdyn Peterreins, and Art – Mitchell Svatos; Cardinal Card Recognition - MS – 11 students and HS – 12 students; and Humanity Launch 10/16.

Principal Rahlf's report included: Elementary September Students of the Month: JK - Brooks Severson, K - Kamron Engen, 1st - Graysen Beutler, 2nd - Lilyana Olivarez, 3rd - Suttin Ronne, 4th - Henry Needham, and 5th - Zayden Popham; September Card Winners: Johnny DeBoer, Kaylee Kloos, Noah Weidenbach, Braxton Ward, and Kameron Engen; Staff Recognition – Danielle Schiernbeck and Lynn Stoltenburg; Team Building; MAPS – family report will be handed out to parents at conferences and if they are unable to attend conferences they will be sent home with the child; Conferences October 25th from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and will use Sign Up Genius; and Homecoming.

Athletic Director Rahlf's report included: Congratulations to the following for qualifying for All State Chorus: Addison Timmons, Amelia Giese, Jaycee Hourigan, Shyla Tvedt, Gabe Mattson, Caden Hourigan, Miles Decker, and Aiden Warren; Fall Seasons will soon be ending two home Varsity VB matches left (Oct. 17th and Oct. 28th), Region Cross Country on Wednesday @ Webster, and one home V FB game left on Oct. 18th; and Cross Country: 1st in the LCC meet – boys, 2nd in the LCC meet – girls, 1st in the ECC meet for boys, and 2nd for girls.

Business Manager Schmahl's report included: SDASBO Conference September 24-26, 2024, and ESSER III reimbursement.

NESC Representative Gubrud reported on the September 16, 2024, meeting.

Next meeting will be November 11, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. in Room 311.

Action 10A-17

Motion by Gubrud, seconded by Schwiesow to adjourn at 7:21 p.m. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Ellen Schmahl, Business Manager

Danay Nielsen, Chairperson