

JOM/Title VI Board Meeting
November 6, 2024

JOM Board Members Present: Lielah Smart, President; Chailyn Birkland, Vice-President; Bernadine Little Thunder, Member; Cathy Jensen, Member; LaChelle Turning Heart, Member; Jessie Longbrake, Member and Alice LaClaire, Secretary

Others Present: Connie, School Office Manager; Dr. Cherie Farlee, Tribal Department of Education Director; Wanda Gunville, Tribal Department of Education Assistant; Medina Montonis, Lakota Culture Club;

Meeting called to order: 6:26 a.m.

Public Views/Comments – Medina M. informed the Board about the planned buffalo harvest on November 25, 2024 and activities for the Culture Club. The Culture Club participates in the Hand Game Competitions with other schools and the fee is \$250.00 for Elementary and \$250.00 for High School.

Approve Agenda – Motion to approve Agenda by JL 2nd by CB
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Approve Minutes – AL read the Minutes from the last meeting and will provide Connie with the written minutes before the next Board Meeting.

Motion to approve last meeting minutes by JL and 2nd by BLT
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Approve Financial Reports – Connie reported the school received the JOM funds for SY 23-24 in the amount of \$17,513.00 and there is a C/O of \$2,347.00 for a total of \$19,860.00 available funds.

Motion to approve Financial Report by BLT and 2nd by JL
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Old Business: JL reported Lourdes Dupris expressed interest in being the Student Representative for the Board.

Motion to approve LD as the student representative for the Board by BLT and 2nd by JL
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

New Business: Dr. Farlee gave a presentation on Title VI funds and JOM funds. Dr. Farlee will email the power point to the Board members.

DISCUSSION was held in regards to the Board's intent to work with the School Board on a Plan to utilize the Title VI funds for the students. Connie provided the following timeline to submit a Plan to the School Board:

November 4-8, 2024 - The School must submit the 30 day student count

January or February the Board must have a Plan and surveys must be conducted for student and parents.

March or April the Budget Preliminaries are held by the School Board

May, 2025 the School Board will submit the Budget

Medina requested \$150.00 for the drum group to sing during the buffalo harvest.

Motion by JL to approve \$150.00 by BLT 2nd by CB
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Motion to approve Medina's request for the Hand Game Fee of \$500.00 by JL and 2nd by CJ
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Medina requested \$400.00 for the Culture Club to pay six dancers \$50.00 each and \$100.00 for the drum group for the November 15, 2024 Wacipi Day.

Motion to approve Medina's request for \$400.00 for the Wacipi Day by BLT and 2nd by CB
4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED

Upcoming meeting: **December 4, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.**

Motion to Adjourn at 8:14 p.m. by JL and 2nd by CB 4 For 0 Opposed MOTION CARRIED