

WYOMING CENTRAL SCHOOL

WYOMING, NEW YORK

BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

JANUARY 14, 2025

- Members present:** Kaitlyn Bush, Desiree Fioramonte, Barry True, Jordan Wetherwax, Nicole White
- Members absent:** Benjamin Chamberlain, Haley Tygart
- Others present:** Emily Herman, Joelle Stroud, Nancy Norton
- Guests:** Monica Robin, Jacob Hayes, Stephen Sovocool
- Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mr. True, Board Vice President.
- Approval of Agenda:** Resolved, the Board approves the agenda on motion by Mrs. Fioramonte and second by Mr. Wetherwax.
- Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White
- No-0
- Motion approved.
- Public Forum:** None.
- Presentations:** Monica Robin – WCS Reunion Updates: The reunion committee has chosen 6/7/25, 11am-5pm, for the reunion at the school. The cafeteria will be used to serve a caterer meal. The gym will be setup with a JD and tables and chairs. They have requested to have tours of the building along with trophies, yearbooks, memorabilia on display and a school bus.
- Jacob Hayes – Math Club Advisor and Coach for Volleyball, Basketball and Track. The girls volleyball team won all but one game. The girls basketball team was undefeated. The boys basketball is just beginning their season. The math team, consisting of ten students, attends meets at GCC.
- Stephen Sovocool – Academic Challenge Bowl Advisor and Yearbook Club Advisor. The academic challenge bowl team consists of 15 students max, with 12 allowed to participate at meets. We took 4th place overall, with a 5-3 regular season. A yearbook club was formed

this year with 18 students. The club has been collecting pictures and will decide on the overall concept or theme for the yearbook.

Board Discussion:

None.

Reports:

President: None.

Superintendent:

-Awaiting SED approval for the Capital Project.

-Received SED approval for the \$100,000 Capital Outlay Exception Project. The project includes floors and security film on windows.

-Met with school attorneys regarding contract negotiations with the Wyoming Teachers Association.

Treasurer:

-Negotiations beginning on the teachers' contract.

-2025-2026 Budget process

-The NYS Governor's executive budget proposal is expected next week. Foundation Aid is a key component.

Consent Items:

Resolved, the Board approves items A.-F. on motion by Mrs. Fioramonte and second by Mrs. Bush:

A. Approve minutes of the 12/10/24 regular meeting

B. Approve Treasurer's Report, Budget by Function and Budget Transfers for November 2024

C. Approve the Independent Evaluator Hardship Waiver for 24/25 sy

D. Approve Letter of Intent to purchase a new school bus contingent upon voter approval of the 2025-2026 budget in May 2025

E. Approve to retire bus #73, contingent upon the approval of the 2025-2026 budget in May 2025

F. Approve the Agri-Business Child Development Memorandum of Agreement (LEA), effective 2/01/25 to 1/31/26

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

Resolved, the Board approves the following item on motion by Mrs. Bush and second by Mrs. Fioramonte:

A. Approve a special meeting on 2/11/25 at 6:30 pm followed by the regular meeting at 7:00 pm

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Resolved, the Board approves the 2025-2026 Instructional Calendar on motion by Mrs. Fioramonte and second by Mrs. Bush:

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Executive Session:

Resolved, the Board approves to retire into executive session at 7:48 p.m. for the purpose of appointment of personnel on motion by Mrs. Bush and second by Mr. Wetherwax.

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Out of Executive Session:

The Board reconvenes regular session at 7:59 p.m.

Personnel:

Resolved, the Board approves items A.-C. on motion by Mrs. Fioramonte and second by Mrs. Bush:

A. Substitute Appointment:

1. Appoint Sloane Dawley as non-certified substitute teacher, substitute teacher assistant, and substitute teacher aide effective 1/14/25. Rate of pay in accordance with the Board of Education adopted rates for these positions.

B. Probationary Appointment:

1. Approve the probationary appointment of Laurie Schaller who holds Professional Certification in Special Education to a position the tenure area of Special Education as beginning February 3, 2025 and ending February 2, 2029. Salary and benefits per the Wyoming Teachers Association contract.

C. Permanent Appointment:

1. Approve permanent status for Dawn Smith as a bus driver effective 12/25/24.

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

CSE/CPSE:

Resolved, the Board approves the CSE minutes dated 12/18/24 and 1/6/25 on motion by Mr. Wetherwax and second by Mrs. Fioramonte:

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Adjournment:

Resolved, the Board adjourns the meeting at 8:00 p.m. on motion by Mrs. Fioramonte and second by Mrs. Bush.

Yes-5 Bush, Fioramonte, True, Wetherwax, White

No-0

Motion approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Norton
District Clerk