

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT #61-8
SPECIAL BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
MARCH 29, 2025
UNAPPROVED MINUTES
DAKOTA VALLEY BOARD ROOM**

SPECIAL SESSION – 12:00 PM

*** All motions carried unanimously approved unless otherwise indicated.**

The special meeting was called to order by Chairperson Kistner at 12:00 pm on March 29, 2025. Roll Call indicated the following members present: Kistner, Hanson, Nilges, Norby, and Thompson. Absent: None. Administrators Dr. Warzecha and Business Manager Sponder were in attendance.

Motion by Norby, seconded by Thompson to approve the amended agenda.

No new conflict of interest disclosure was presented.

Motion by Norby, seconded by Thompson to approve the following contracts:

Contracts

1. Kris O'Neill, MS Asst Track Coach, Step 1, \$1,933.
2. Shelley Richou, MS Head Track Coach, Step 4, \$2,449.

Motion by Thompson, seconded by Hanson to approve the 2024-25 school calendar adjustment for snow days.

Motion by Nilges, seconded by Norby to approve the 2025-26 contract with Western Iowa Tech Community College for college classes.

Motion by Thompson, seconded by Norby to approve the ASBPT participation agreement/renewal.

Motion by Nilges, seconded by Thompson to approve the following resignations:

Resignations

1. Stephanie Eral, UE/MS Secretary.
2. Cody Juffer, HS Math Teacher, 3 Act Play, and MS Drama.

Motion by Norby, seconded by Nilges to go into Executive Session per SDCL 1-25-2.1 for personnel. The board went into executive session at 12:27 pm with Dr. Warzecha and Business Manager Sponder present. The board declared out of executive session at 1:28 pm.

Motion by Norby, seconded by Nilges to not renew teacher contracts for Trey Chmelka and Savannah Nash.

Motion by Nilges, seconded by Norby to approve teacher contract renewals for Allie Miller and Kari Wilmes.

Motion by Nilges, seconded by Thompson to adjourn at 1:29 pm.

Jill Sponder
Business Manager

Steve Kistner
Chairperson

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