

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MINUTES OF THE MEETING
REGULAR MEETING
Canvass of Votes, Reorganization
May 12, 2025, 6:00 P.M. Board Room

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Thompson Falls School District #2 was called to order by Chairman Sandra Muster at 6:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

Roll Call was done; Trustees, Ryan Fields-absent, Jeneese Baxter, Jake Helvey, Sandra Muster, Ramona Jacobson, Superintendent Bud Scully (via phone), District Clerk Stacy Milner. Visitors present are listed on the attached list.

Board Chairman asked if there was an adjustment to the agenda: None.

Public Input-Cheryl Blakney thanked the entire staff. She also requested that we explain any abbreviations used in the meetings.

Sanders County Clerk & Recorder, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, Election, Alisa Garcia canvassed and certified the results of the election for Thompson Falls School District. The candidate Ramona Jacobson was duly elected by acclamation to fill the office of Trustee for a term of 3 years, beginning on the 12th day of May, 2025, and ending at the trustee reorganizational meeting in May 2028, or until a successor has been elected or appointed and has been qualified. Mrs. Garcia then gave the oath of office to Mrs. Jacobson.

Jeneese Baxter nominated and motioned Sandra Muster as Board Chairman. Jake Helvey second the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Jeneese Baxter nominated and motioned Ryan Fields as Vice-Board Chairman. Jake Helvey second the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Jeneese Baxter motioned to appoint and hire Stacy Milner as the District Clerk/Business Manager. Ramona Jacobson second. The vote was unanimous. Mrs. Garcia then gave the oath of office to Stacy Milner.

Superintendent Scully reported that Kaleva law is creating the document for the land swap with the City of Thompson Falls and the District. Congratulations to all the spring sports teams and good luck to the 3 golfers at State today. Following up after staff appreciation week, Superintendent Scully wanted the entire staff to know they are very important and appreciated year-round. Congratulations to Mona for another 3-year term. And there are 20 days left.

Len Dorscher reported on the Elementary school. (see attached)

Jodi Morgan reported on the High School. (see attached) Mrs. Morgan also corrected Superintendent Scully there are 18.5 days left.

Madison Wheeler reported on athletics. (see attached)

Jake Helvey motioned to approve the consent agenda.

- a. Approve minutes from April 07, 2025, regular meeting.
- b. Approve financial expenditure, reports and pay the bills.
- c. Approve MHSA Annual agreement.
- d. Approve Transportation Agreement with Noxon school district for 2025-2026 school year.
- e. Request Sanders County conduct school elections for the 2026 year.
- f. Approve hiring Dawsyn King as a custodian.
- g. Approve hiring Braxton Dorscher and Tegan Dorscher as summer maintenance workers.
- h. Approve hiring Cade Stiles and Bill McGuire as the Junior High football coaches.
- i. Approve hiring Rebecka Sawyer as Supervising Teacher.
- j. Approve MOA with TFEA.
- k. Approve hiring Rob Christensen as High School Counselor for 2025-26 school year.
- l. Approve hiring Len Dorscher as elementary principal and Jodi Morgan as high school principal for 2025-26 school year.
- m. Accept Lisa Ruen's resignation.
- n. Approve the Junior Class for out of state travel trip to Silverwood, Athol, Idaho.

Jeneese Baxter second the motion. The vote was unanimous.

New Business

Ramona Jacobson motioned to approve hiring the attached list of classified and non-represented employees for the 2025-2026 school year. Jeneese Baxter second. The vote was unanimous.

Jake Helvey motioned to approve hiring the attached list of staff for summer school. Jeneese Baxter second. The vote was unanimous.

Ramona Jacobson motioned to approve policy revision: Policy 7405. Jake Helvey second. The vote was unanimous.

May 31, 2025 – High School Graduation – There is a possibility of a quorum of the board at the high school graduation, no business will be conducted.

Next regular meeting will be June 02, 2025, 6:00 P.M.

Adjourned at 6:33 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Approved on 06/09/2025


Stacy Milner, District Clerk


Sandra Muster, Board Chairman