

Renville County West School Board Meeting

October 13, 2025

The October meeting of the Board of Education of ISD #2890, Renville County West, was called to order Monday, October 13, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in the RCW district conference room by Chairman Dale Negen.

Members present: Michelle Erickson, Andrea Bakker, Ben Ryan, Cory Hebrink, Dale Negen, Alyssa Bakker and Ryan Lippert.

Member absent: None.

Others present: Jiana Robertsdahl, Morgan Madsen, Londa Swenson, Maci Markfort, Ross Okins, Kris Egge, Peyton Mills, Tara Hinderks and Supt. Brad Johnson.

Chairman Negen read the vision and mission statements.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion by Hebrink, seconded by Ryan, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

Supt. Johnson gave a legislative update and informed the Board about the MSBA Leadership Conference coming up in January.

Supt. Johnson recognized "Difference Makers" for September and October. They are Chad Paehlke, Thomas Grosklags, Laela Werner and Sarah Zimmerman.

The Finance Committee and the Facilities Committee reported on their recent meetings.

Leadership reports were given by Principal Egge, Principal Mills and Supt. Johnson.

No public comments.

Motion by Ryan, seconded by Alyssa Bakker to approve the consent agenda as presented.

1. Approve minutes from the September 8, 2025 meeting
2. Approve payment of bills

date	beginning check	ending check	total
10/13/2025	61829	61948	\$511,773.89
	ACH		\$255,327.16

3. Hires:
 - A. Tim Kosbab - Head Custodian
 - B. Tammy Dahl - Paraprofessional
 - C. Student Council Advisor - Kristin Paehlke
 - D. FFA Advisor - Jason Stewig
 - E. FFA Advisor - Meghan Tremel
 - F. Concession Ordering - Meredith Lieser

4. Leave Request:

- A. Morgan Madsen
- B. Shari Schaub

5. Policies:

- A. 400, 500, 600, 700 and 800 Series

6. Donations:

Date	Amount	From	Purpose
7/7/2025	\$ 175.00	Danube Lions Club	staff recognition program
7/15/2025	\$ 175.00	Renville Lions Club	staff recognition program
7/28/2025	\$ 300.00	FM Bank	donation
7/31/2025	\$ 325.00	CEI	Agility program
8/5/2025	\$ 61.46	Thrift store	Pool
8/20/2025	\$ 200.00	Danube Lions Club	DARE program
8/20/2025	\$ 200.00	Renville Lions Club	DARE program
8/26/2025	\$ 475.00	Danube Lions Club	Swimming lessons
8/26/2025	\$ 2,971.90	RCW PTO	field trips
9/2/2025	\$ 250.00	Becks Hybrids	FFA
9/10/2025	\$ 200.00	Sacred Heart Lions Club	staff recognition program
9/10/2025	\$ 200.00	Sacred Heart Lions Club	DARE program
9/16/2025	\$ 500.00	RCW Booster Club	Agility program
\$ 8,000.00	RCW Booster Club	Scorevision	
\$ 5,700.00	RCW Booster Club	Hudl	
\$ 2,500.00	RCW Booster Club	football equipment	
\$ 3,000.00	RCW Booster Club	Volleyball net system	
9/23/2025	\$ 210.00	BLH FFA Alumni	FFA
9/29/2029	\$ 3,000.00	Jaguar Juniors volleyball	Volleyball net system

Motion carried.

Nothing to report for Old Business.

Motion by Alyssa Bakker, seconded by Negen to approve the CMCS Transportation Agreement. Discussion held. Roll call vote. Negen: yes, Hebrink: no, Alyssa Bakker: no, Ben Ryan: no, Andrea Bakker: yes, Michelle Erickson: no, Lippert: no. Motion failed. Will discuss at a future meeting.

Motion by Lippert, seconded by Andrea Bakker to approve the MSHSL Foundation Form A Resolution. Motion carried.

Motion by Negen, seconded by Lippert to hold the Truth in Taxation Hearing on December 8, 2025 at 6:01 pm. Motion carried.

No public comments.

Next regular meeting is November 10, 2025 at 6:00 pm. There will be a Board retreat on October 27, 2025 @ 5:30 pm @ Kathy's Place in Sacred Heart.

Meeting adjourned at 7:13 pm.

Alyssa Bakker
Clerk