

# **UNIVERSITY SCHOOLS**

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# **MEETING MINUTES**

UNIVERSITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF GOVERNORS 6525 W 18<sup>TH</sup> STREET · GREELEY, CO 80634 · 970-506-7000

Wednesday, October 8, 2025, Room 1414 Members Present: Carol Riggs, Kaan Inceoglu, Scott Williams, Eric Fitzsimons, Amanda Widel, Ryan Mayeda, Bill McAdams, Ashlyn Craig, Lilly Bonnell

Staff Present: Jennifer Weaver, Sue Toricelli, Jeff Casey, David Jones

# 6:00 P.M. Regular Board Meeting

#### 1.0 CALL TO ORDER

- Call to order at 6:00

#### 2.0 ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion to adopt - Eric (Carol) Passed

## 3.0 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 3.1 September 10, 2025
- Motion to approve the minutes Ryan (Eric) Passed

## 4.0 COMMUNITY DIALOGUE

None

#### **5.0 JUNIOR BULLDOGS**

- Junior Bulldogs begin by sharing a few photos from their recent

camps and events. They introduce a few new staff members as well. They continue by sharing the financial reports from their summer camps. The camps all had great participation and each student who attended received a shirt. Jr. Bulldogs are now preparing for their winter sport camps, specifically basketball and wrestling. They are also participating in the upcoming Trunk or Treat event. Lastly, they are in the process of contacting coaches and verifying teams through the Greeley Rec Center.

#### 6.0 STAFF REPORTS

- 6.1 Principal's Update Jeff Casey
  - Jeff starts his presentation by letting Ryan Wehrman share about the student participation in each of the fall sports/activities. University has a large number of students involved in extracurricular activities. The marching band is preparing for their upcoming State Championship Competition. Cheer and Dance are preparing for their upcoming seasons. E-Sports is up and running and they're doing really well so far. Speech and Debate is preparing for their season as well. Softball is ranked #2 and will be hosting a regional tournament. Cross Country is competing against some tough schools and are getting ready for their state qualifier. Boys tennis started their regional competition and they have a couple of athletes posed well to go to the state competition. Football is ranked 9th and has a shot at making it to the state tournament. Volleyball is ranked in the top 10 and will be hosting a regional tournament as well. Ryan continues by sharing a few special moments that happened this season at some of the JV and C team levels. There will be a few changes coming up regarding classifications. Population and enrollment have dictated classifications in the past, and different sports have different enrollment standards. Now, they are trying to get back to consistent numbers allowing each of the teams to play in the same classification. Ryan will be sending out some

- questionnaires to see the interest in sports like soccer, golf and girls flag football.
- Jeff continues by sharing about Aims Concurrent Enrollment and how much student involvement University has. He also shares about AP participation, students who take classes at UNC, and our consistently high graduation rate. High school departments have PLC's which are groups of teachers working on specific projects and solving specific problems.

# 6.2 Superintendent's Update

Superintendent Weaver starts by giving a few updates from the auditorium and cafeteria projects. We have been working on finding flooring options for the new cafeteria addition. We are also looking for student information tools to help with our dismissal procedures. One of the best options is from Raptor, which we already use as a part of our security systems. The EPIC system has been really beneficial in both day to day classroom activities and our security drills. Homecoming was a big success and there was a lot of student participation at each of the events. We had a great turnout from distinguished alumni as well. Conferences and the recent play also went really well. Jennifer thanks all of the people for working hard on the Weld Trust Grant and celebrates how well the Smartlab has been doing this year. The middle school has had a lot of student participation in all of their fall activities as well. There is a band concert currently going on and they've been working really hard. Cross country finished their season and finished 3rd and 4th in last week's league meet. 8th grade volleyball is currently competing in their regional competition. The volleyball team was also the most academically accomplished group in the middle school. 7th and 8th grade football is doing well and they are hosting their championship game soon.

# 6.3 Business Manager Update

#### 7.0 ITEMS FOR ACTION/DISCUSSION

7.1 Consent Agenda: Board members will be asked if they wish to discuss any issues listed on the Consent Agenda. If so, these items will be moved from the Consent Agenda and placed under Items for Action. Items remaining on the Consent Agenda will be voted on together.

## 7.1.1 Personnel

- Motion to approve consent agenda Ryan (Eric)
- Ryan Yes
- Eric Yes
- Scott Yes
- Kaan Yes
- Bill Yes
- Carol Yes
- Motion Passes
- 7.2 First Reading <u>Updated Graduation Requirements</u>
- 7.3 AIMS Concurrent Enrollment Update
- 7.4 October Count Update
  - Jennifer and Sue start by saying University is in good shape and is better than anticipated. The preliminary number is around 1,802 students.

## 8.0 BOARD REPORTS & COMMUNICATION

- 8.1 BOG Report Chairman
  - Scott shares that the new carpet looks great in the auditorium. He also shares his appreciation for all of the people that work to make everything happen.
- 8.2 Communication from the Board
  - Lilly says that everything is going great so far. She also says that we need to find a new space for the vending machine because the hallways are already crowded.
  - Ashlyn agrees that everything is going well and she says that Homecoming was a great time. She also mentions that there will be a youth commission clothing drive to collect winter clothes donations.

- Carol gives a big thank you to Sue for meeting with the student reps and showing them how the financial works. She also mentions that Jessica Anderson has been providing helpful details from other schools regarding CMAS. She also shares that she enjoyed the recent play. Lastly, she invites the board to Greg's reception on Friday.
- Bill mentions that one of his daughters loves Mr. G, her band teacher. He shares all of the great feedback that he hears from his kids about Clark Goering.
- Kaan shares his experience visiting the middle school, specifically the new Smartlab. He appreciates the opportunity and was grateful for the experience. He also celebrates Jr. Bulldogs and how well they've been doing.
- Eric echoes the celebrations of Mr. G and mentions how much he brings to the community. He shares how well Mr. G builds teams and supports student leadership. He also enjoyed the recent play.
- Amanda shouts out the student tech team and how well they did during the play. She also talks about the parent book fair in the middle school. Lastly, she shares her gratitude for the admin support for all of the activities our students are involved in.
- Ryan also mentions the reception for Greg during Friday's football game.
- 8.3 Joint Use
  - We have received a quote for the new curtains in the auditorium.
- 8.4 Capitol Planning Report
  - None
- 8.5 Foundation
  - None

# 9.0 NEXT REGULAR MEETING - November 12, 2025

#### 10.0 ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:32 - Ryan (Scott) Passed