

GRAND FORKS AIR FORCE BASE SCHOOL BOARD
GRAND FORKS AIR FORCE BASE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT #140
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
October 14, 2025

The School Board of Grand Forks Air Force Base Public School District No. 140 held a regular meeting at Nathan F. Twining Elementary and Middle School on Tuesday, October 14, 2025, with President Michelle Shepperd presiding.

Board Members Present: Brendan Brustad, Branden Shepperd, Michelle Shepperd, and Terry R. Snider, Sr.

Board Members Absent: None.

Others Present: Dr. Terry Brenner, Superintendent of Schools; Brandon Baumbach, Business Manager; Catherine Gillach, Associate Superintendent of Secondary Education; Matt Bakke, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Education; and Cindy Johnson, Executive Secretary.

Call to Order and Voluntary Recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

The meeting was called to order at noon, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Approval of Agenda.

It was moved by Snider and seconded by Brustad to approve the agenda as written. Upon voice vote, the motion carried unanimously. Absent: None.

Approval of Minutes.

It was moved by Snider and seconded by Brustad to approve the minutes of September 16, 2025, as written. Upon voice vote, the motion carried unanimously. Absent: None.

It was moved by Snider and seconded by Brustad to approve the minutes of October 7, 2025, as written. Upon voice vote, the motion carried unanimously. Absent: None.

Public Comments.

None.

Fall Enrollment Report.

Bakke reported on student enrollment for grades K-12 for the current school year. From spring 2025 to fall 2025, enrollment increased by 17 students. However, compared to fall 2024, enrollment decreased by 91 students. The fall

2025 enrollment is 144 students below the demographer's projection.

Monthly Enrollment Report.

Bakke reported that as of September 30, 2025, there were 200 students in grades K-5 and 71 students in grades 6-8 at Twining School, for a combined total of 271 students. Grand Forks Central High School had 52 students, Red River High School had no students, and Community High School had 1 student from the Air Base enrolled.

Announcements.

None.

Board Request for Future Consideration.

None.

Adjournment.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 12:07 p.m.

APPROVED _____
(Date)

Michelle Shepperd, President

Brandon Baumbach, Business Manager