BOARD ACTION REPORT
Corporation Office
October 12, 2026
6:00 p.m.

Mrs. Hess called the meeting to order and called roll.
-Those present were: Mr. Bannon, Mr. Cornelius, Mrs. Hess, Mr. Mason, Mr. Reeves, Mr. Watson and Dr. Stephanie Hofer.
-Welcome & Recognition of Visitors:
-Students and Staff of the Month were recognized.
-Erin Blaydes, Sherri Madison and Rachel Welliever were also recognized for the Governor's Fitness Challenge.
-Revisions to the Agenda:
-Approved the transfer of Bobbi Harden to Instructional Aide – Southmont High School – beginning October 12, 2026.
-Public Comments:
-None
-Approved minutes of previous meetings.
-Approved claims and payroll claims.
-Approved the following personnel:
-Shelby Zimmerman – Permanent Sub – 7th grade Social Studies – Jr. High – beginning October 26, 2026 – May 21, 2027.
-Approved resignation of Cameron Russell – Instructional Aide – Southmont HS – effective September 22, 2026.
-Lindsey Pierle – move to 1 on 1 Instructional Assistant – Southmont High School.
-Whitney Anderson – Teacher Mentor for Shelby Zimmerman – Social Studies – Jr. High - $500.00.
-Lacey Haseley – Academic Team – Social Studies - $2000.00.
-Rescinded HS Language PLC – Ali Kraynak - $2000.00.
-Ali Kraynak – HS Language PLC Co-Sponsor - $1000.00.
-Yessica Padilla – HS Language PLC Co-Sponsor - $1000.00.
-Corey Gillogly – Varsity Girls Wrestling Coach - $6000.00.
-Melissa Gillogly – Varsity Assistant Girls Wrestling Coach – Volunteer.
-Dan McCormick – Varsity Swimming Coach - $4800.00.
-Mercedes McCormick – Varsity Assistant Swimming Coach - $2500.00.
-Jason Cottrell – Varsity Assistant Swimming Coach - $2500.00.
-Clay Buck – Varsity Assistant Boys Basketball Coach - $4000.00.
-Dan Chadd – Varsity Assistant Boys Basketball Coach - $4000.00.
-Cale Hess – Varsity Assistant Boys Basketball Coach – Volunteer.
-Dan Burkman – Varsity Girls Basketball Coach - $9600.00.
-Jeff Cochran – Varsity Assistant Girls Basketball Coach - $4000.00.
-Morgan Ross – Varsity Assistant Girls Basketball Coach – ½ stipend - $2000.00.
-Jake Watson – 6th grade Boys Basketball Coach – Volunteer.
-Evan Watson – 6th grade Boys Basketball Co-Coach - $1050.00.
-Cale Hess – 6th grade Boys Basketball Co-Coach - $1050.00.
-Elliott Franklin – 7th grade Boys Basketball Coach - $2100.00.
-Jason Boots – 8th grade Boys Basketball Co-Coach - $1050.00.
-Chris Cleek – 8th grade Boys Basketball Co-Coach - $1050.00.

-Approved Health/Welfare Grant Resolution.
-FFA Trip to Louisville, KY on November 14-18, 2026 for Livestock Expo.
-FFA Trip to Denver, Co, Cheyenne, WY and Fort Collins, CO on January 6-11, 2027 for Western National Roundup.
-Donations made to Southmont Jr-Sr High School in the amount of $1557.00.

Mr. Watson abstained on Evan Watson and Mrs. Hess abstained on Cale Hess.

-Approved NEOLA Board Policies Updates.

Held First Preliminary Determination Hearing

2027 Budget Adoption

-Approved Resolution to Approve the 2027 Bus Replacement Plan.
-Approved Resolution to Approve the 2027 Capital Projects Plan.
-Approved Resolution to Approve the 2027 Fund Transfer from Education to Operations.
-Approved Resolution to Approve the Appropriation Reduction 2026.
-Approved Resolution to Approve the 2027 Budget.

Report from Superintendent:

-Congratulations to Sherri, Rachel and Erin, always going above and beyond. Paul Ketchan called to congratulate us – Governor was very please. Thank you to the school board. Sherri, we are truly blessed to have you here! Thank you for the all the wonderful things you do!

-Soccer girls were awesome.

-Mounties of the Month are awesome doing the right thing even when no one is watching.

-Riley had the best coloring page.

-Adjourned.