

SANDHILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Board Agenda
Sandhills High School Lecture Hall

Monday April 8th, 2024
7:00 p.m.

“The mission of Sandhills Public Schools is to provide quality education in a safe, respectful, equitable and inclusive learning environment to develop productive citizens for an ever-changing global society.”

The agenda sequence is provided as a courtesy only. The board reserves the right to consider each item in any sequence it deems appropriate. Therefore, we encourage visitors to attend the meeting from the beginning.

Regular Board Meeting

1. Call to order _____
2. Pledge of Allegiance
 - a. Open Meeting Act-adhered to and posted
 - b. Per Policy 204.07-reasonable advanced notification was made of the meeting
 - c. The Board of Education reserves the right to enter into Executive Session for the protection of the public interest; or the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual, and if the individual has not requested a public meeting.
3. Attendance-roll call

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mr. Rory Zutavern
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mr. Reed Larsen
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mrs. Michelle Milleson
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mr. Tyson Cox
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mr. Jeff Martindale
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Mr. Tedd Teahon

4. Consent Agenda
 - a. Approve the minutes of the March 11th, 2024 regular board meeting. Approve the agenda of tonight’s meeting
 - b. Approve the Financial Report
 - c. Approve the payment of bills
 - d. Excuse absent BOE members
 - e. Verification of Publication of minutes and meeting notices in the Thomas County Herald, and Custer County Chief
March 11th, 2024 Regular Board Meeting Minutes,
April 8th, 2024 notice posting of Regular Board Meeting

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
we Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

5. Requests to address the board. At this time, the board will hear comments or concerns from patrons that have been addressed through the proper procedures, policies, and administrative channels. The board will also take comment from the public per requirement

on ESSER III - ARP funds spending plans review necessary changes to our Return to Learning Plan..

6. Staff Presentation - Mrs. Simonson and the 4th grade class will share a presentation with the board
7. Discussion Items/Administrative Report:
 - i. Sandhills-Thedford Athletic Cooperative – Coop transfer in action items.
 - ii. Report on facilities - Building Update, Concrete proposal, Frey’s bill
 - iii. First look at the 2024-25 class schedule, signing of diplomas, plans for graduation, computer science and Algebra I for high school credit in tonight’s action items.
 - iv. Presentation of Annual School Report
 - v. Recap of Budget and Finance Workshop
 - vi. Policy Update - 402.08 Employee Travel Compensation
 - vii. Discuss Sparq proposal
 - viii. Faculty and Student Handbooks
 - ix. Discuss Apple Lease agreement and Purchases on tonight's action items
 - x. Staffing Update - Contracts to approve, superintendent, principal, 6th grade teacher, counselor, discussion on salary schedule placement. Also review resignations.
 - xi. other-
8. Business/action Items
 - a. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the contract for Jamie Isom to be school superintendent for the 2024-25 school year. Salary = \$65,000.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- b. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the contract for Patrick Recoy to be K-12 Principal for the 2024-25 school year. Salary = \$72,000.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

c. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to accept the resignation of Cindy Simonson as the 4th grade teacher.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

d. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to accept the resignation of Kate Shoemaker as the school nurse.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

e. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the contract for Bobbi Zimmerman to be school counselor for the 2024-25 school year. .

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

f. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the contract for Chantelle Milleson to be 6th grade teacher for the 2024-25 school year.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

g. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the 2024-25 Sandhills Faculty Handbook.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- h. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the 2024-25 Sandhills Elementary Student Handbook.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- i. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the 2024-25 Sandhills 7-12 Student Handbook.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- j. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the 2024-25 school calendar as presented/ revised.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- k. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the concrete bid of \$13,050 from Markham Construction.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- l. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the expense of up to \$22,435 to Frey’s Heating and Air for the materials and labor on HVAC systems of the new activity building, out of the Special Building Fund.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- m. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the payment to the Apple Store of \$7,712 for the purchase of devices for new administration and teaching staff.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- n. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the payment to the Apple Store of \$34,768 for the lease of student devices.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- o. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to approve the surplus of extraneous weight room equipment

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

- p. Review, consider, and take all necessary action to recognize computer science and algebra I as high school classes and reward credits accordingly.

Board Member	Motioned	Seconded	Yes	No
Tedd Teahon				
Rory Zutavern				
Michelle Milleson				
Jeff Martindale				
Tyson Cox				
Reed Larsen				

9. Adjourn

Official Meetings Notice: The next regular board meeting will be held in the high school lecture hall at Dunning, NE and will begin at 7:00 p.m., May 13th, 2024. The meeting will be open to the public and agendas are kept continually current and available for public inspection in the Superintendent’s office during regular business hours with reasonable notice.