Alexander Public School
Regular Board Meeting
Wednesday April 8th, 2026 7:00 PM

Members Present: President Wahlstrom, Vice President Tjelde, Brady Hanna, Cody Echevarria, Jenae Hunter, Supt Bieber, Shannon Faller, AJ Allard, Business Manager Jami Hudson

President Wahlstrom called the meeting to order at 7:02PM, after the Pledge of Allegiance

LaShell Tjelde made a motion to approve the agenda with change to move the BASC director to the first agenda item, Cody Echevarria seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

The BASC director explained to the board about the BASC program and its benefits

1. Students are building a MOD home. They will be taught electrical, plumbing, HVAC, excavating
2. Skilled employers are helping build the curriculum to help students with these industries
3. Strong health science program

Jenae Hunter made a motion to approved the consent agenda, LaShell Tjelde seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

Brady Hanna made a motion to approved the March board bills, LaShell Tjelde seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

All reports will be available on website

Unfinished Business
Budget
The school received a bill from BSN from 2023 for $15,935.77. Half of the money will come out of the Foundation grant given to Athletics and the other will come out of the General Athletic fund.
Brady Hanna made a motion to acknowledge the over budget expense, LaShell Tjelde seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed
Supt Bieber discussed with the board

1. Hiring a math teacher
2. Estimated carry over at the end of the year
    a. Talked about the schools needs
        i. Bus
        ii. Vehicle
        iii. Mower

Laser Engraver
The laser engraver tube/core CO2 part of the engraver needs to be replaced.

1. To replace current on is $3000. A new upgraded one will be $6000
2. Mrs Denowh did fill out a Foundation Grant

Cody Echevarria made a motion to approve the difference in the upgrade expense, pending the Foundation and Perkins grants,

New Business
President Wahlstrom read "The next item on the agenda is administration negotiation strategy. This item may be discussed in an executive session only when an open meeting would have an adverse fiscal effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the board. The legal authority for closing this portion of the meeting is NDCC 44-04-19.1. The purpose of this executive session is administration and ancillary negotiation strategy."
LaShell Tjelde made a motion to enter executive session pursuant to NDCC 44-04-19.1 to discuss negotiation strategy, Jenae Hunter seconded, all voting aye.
The executive session began at 8:49 PM.
The meeting was opened back up to the public at 9:03 PM

1. Administration Negotiations

Jenae Hunter made a motion to enter excutive session pursuant to NDCC 44-04-19.1 to discuss negotiation strategy, Brady Hanna seconded, all voting aye.
The executive session began at 9:39 PM
The meeting was opened back up to the public at 10:36 PM

Ancillary Staff Compensation
Jenae Hunter made a motion to give ancillary a $1.00 raise, Brady Hanna seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

Resignation
Cody Echevarria made a motion to approved K Miller's resignation, LaShell Tjelde seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

Tuition Agreement
Table the Kindergarten students until the May meeting

Cody Echevarria made a motion the approve the 4th and 7th grade student, LaShell Tjelde seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

Drivers Ed
The board and Supt Bieber discussed Mr Allard teaching drivers Ed this summer and his contract

Severe Allergy Handbook
Supt Bieber will be changing the language in the allergy handbook, removing the language of the allergen-free table. The school know longer has an allergy free table in the cafeteria.
Brady Hanna made a motion to remove the allergy free table language from the sever allergy handbook, Jenae Hunter seconded, all voting aye. Motion passed

Meeting Adjourned: 11:04 PM

Approved By: _____

Cameron Wahlstrom, School Board President

Approved By: _____

Jami Hudson, Business Manager