SANDOVAL COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 501
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
May 19, 2025
Sandoval Junior-Senior High School College and Career Center/Library
6:00 p.m.

BOARD MINUTES

I. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance

Heinzmann, Emily	X	Hunter, Angie	Ab	Ingles, Theresa		X	Lyons, Joseph	X
Speiser, Steve	X	Deadmond, Traci	X	Gambill, Jered		X	Time:	6:00 P.M.

II. Removal of Items from the Consent Agenda – None

III. Recognition and Comments from Employees and Public – Mr. Jett presented the board information regarding starting a new Junior High FFA Program. He explained that it would be grant funded.

Angie Hunter entered the meeting at 6:10 PM

IV. Union President –Mrs. Vonder Haar was in attendance and said she is looking forward to closing out the school year and all the field trips that are coming up.

V. Communications – None

VI. Board Committee Reports – None

VII. Other Reports – None

VIII. Administrative Reports
- A. Matt Dannaman – Superintendent/David Rademacher – Interim Superintendent – Please see attached
- B. Scott Bunting – Sandoval Jr/Sr High Principal
- C. Adam Hanks – Sandoval Elementary Principal
- D. Angie Pate – Special Education Supervisor

IX. Old Business/Unfinished Business – None

X. New Business
- a. Consent Agenda Items
  1. Approve open and closed meeting minutes from the April 23rd and April 30th, 2025 Board Meetings.
  2. Approve activity funds, accounts and expenditures

3. Approve Treasurer's Report
4. Approve May bills and payroll
5. Approve repayment of the Revolving Fund
6. Approve the Resignation of Athletic Director – Adam Hanks
7. Approve the Resignation of Jennings Barnfield as a certified teacher

Motion by Emily Heinzmann, seconded by Traci Deadmond, to approve. Roll call, seven ayes.

b. Motion by Joseph Lyons, seconded by Steve Speiser, to approve the purchase of a 2024 Ford Edge for a Driver's Ed Car. Roll call, seven ayes.
c. Action Considerations, Discussion Items and Information Items
    1. Motion by Emily Heinzmann, seconded by Traci Deadmond, to start a Junior High FFA Program led by Mr. Jett.
    2. No motion on an item to add High School English Classes after discussions.
d. Motion by Theresa Ingles, seconded by Steve Speiser, to adjourn to Closed Session: Purpose
    1. The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body.
    2. Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent, in which case the basis for the finding shall be recorded and entered into the minutes of the closed meeting. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(11).

    Roll call, seven ayes. Time: 6:40 PM

Motion by Traci Deadmond, seconded by Steve Speiser, to Return to Open Session. Roll call, seven ayes. Time: 7:04 PM

e. Motion by Traci Deadmond, seconded by Emily Heinzmann, to employ Megan Parson as elementary school teacher. Roll call, seven ayes.
f. Motion by Joseph Lyons, seconded by Emily Heinzmann, to adjourn to Closed Session: Purpose
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    Roll call, seven ayes. Time: 7:05 PM

Motion by Steve Speiser, seconded by Theresa Ingles to return to Open Session. Roll call, seven ayes. Time: 12:14 AM

g. Motion by Emily Heinzmann, seconded by Joseph Lyons, to employ Christonia Saddler as Senior Sponsor. Roll call, seven ayes.
h. Motion by Theresa Ingles, seconded by Emily Heinzmann, to employ Kaylie Dalton as Jr/Sr High School Secretary. Roll call, seven ayes.
i. Motion by Steve Speiser, seconded by Joseph Lyons, to transfer Jaycelynn Norman from Jr/Sr High Secretary to Jr/Sr High Paraprofessional. Roll call, seven ayes.
j. Motion by Traci Deadmond, seconded by Steve Speiser, for the Board to direct Interim Superintendent, David Rademacher to draft a letter for signature by the Board President and Secretary to deny the grievance and dismiss the same for the reasons set forth in the Board's direction as follows: The grievance is denied because Mr. Hanks failed to provide sufficient evidence to sustain the allegation that the reprimand was in any way related to his participation in the Title IX grievance process regarding another employee of the school district. Roll call, seven ayes.

II. Motion by Theresa Ingles, seconded by Joseph Lyons, to adjourn. Roll call, seven ayes. Time: 12:16 AM

Approved: _____
Board President

Approved: _____
Board Secretary