MINUTES OF BOARD VISITATION
BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MADISON SCHOOL DISTRICT 321
Central High School, 379 S 2nd E, Rexburg, Idaho
May 7, 2026

Justin Egbert called the meeting to order at 9:04 am in the Central High School conference room. Those in attendance were Justin Egbert, JC Weber, Joe Palmer, Superintendent Randy Lords, and Business Manager Blake Snedaker. Others in attendance were Assistant Superintendent Travis Schwab, Principal Kevin Carey, and Board Clerk Deon Ward.

Mr. Weber moved to approve the agenda as written. The motion was seconded by Mr. Palmer and passed unanimously. As an information-only item, speakers were confirmed for Madison High School and Central High School graduation ceremonies.

Mr. Kevin Carey has been the principal of Central High School for two years. Central currently has 114 students, with 25% enrolled in Special Programs. Each student has been referred to the school and meets At-Risk Qualifications. Staff include 9 certified teachers and additional support personnel. With a mission to provide "a learning environment where all students feel welcome, wanted, and appreciated," the focus is on each individual student's success.

Since 2021 Central High School graduation rates have increased 23%. Mr. Carey credits this growth to diligent record keeping and the supportive relationships between teachers and students. Central staff will continue to work on assessment alignment, school safety, and communication with parents and the community. Mr. Carey expressed his appreciation to Mr. Lords, Mr. Schwab and board members for their support.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 am and Board members were invited to visit classrooms.

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Clerk Board Chairman