UNOFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 13TH, 2025 SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF NEWELL SCHOOL DISTRICT 9-2 MET IN THE REGULAR SESSION ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2025 AT 6:00 PM AT THE NEWELL SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN ROOM 16 OF THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING with chairman Tyrel Bonnet presiding and members Kristin Bonefield, Dawn Gardner, Amber Erk and Todd Youngberg present. Member Dean Johnson arrived at 6:06 p.m. Member Katie Donahey was absent. Administration present was Superintendent/HS Principal Pandi Pittman; administration absent were: PK-8 Principal Paul Clark and Business Manager Amy Williams.

Unless otherwise noted, all Board action was by unanimous decision.

I. Call to Order: Chairman Bonnet called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Bonnet led the Pledge of Allegiance and then called for a moment of silence.
II/III. Agenda/Statements of Conflict of Interest: No changes. No conflicts of interest. Motion Bonefield, second Gardner to approve the agenda as presented.
IV. Consent Agenda: Motion Bonefield, Second Gardner to approve the consent agenda as presented: A) Minutes: Regular Meeting- September 8, 2025; B) Payment of Bills-see final page; C) FINANCIAL REPORT for the month ending September 30th, 2025:

- GENERAL FUND Revenues 76,915 (16,305 local, 2,142 county; 57,597 state; 871 federal); Expenditures 191,356; Ending Cash Balance 999,271.
- CAPITAL OUTLAY Revenues 10,0667 local; Expenditures 16,399; Ending Cash Balance 1,714,722.
- SPECIAL EDUCATION Revenues 13,329 local; Expenditures 66,599; Ending Cash Balance 172,089.

V. Report provided by HS Principal/Superintendent, Dr. Pandi Pittman
VI. Information and Discussion

A. FFA Activities; Treasurer Sorely Franklin updated the board on Chapter Events.

VII. Open Forum-None
VIII. Old Business

A. Motion Bonefield, Second Gardner to approve policy BDDH PUBLIC PARTIPATION AT BOARD MEETINGS, BDDH-E(1) PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT BOARD MEETING SCHOOL BOARD MEETING SPEAKER SIGN-IN SHEET, BDDH-E(2)
B. Motion Bonefield, Second Gardner to approve policy BD: SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS
C. Motion Bonefield, Second Gardner to approve policy IGBA: SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES

IX. New Business

A. First reading of Policy IKFA Graduation Ceremony*
B. First reading of Policy ABAD Parents Rights*
C. First reading of Policy FC Facilities Capitalization Program*
**No motion taken on first reading of policies.*
D. Motion Johnson, second Youngberg to appoint Kristin Bonefield (alternate Dawn Gardner) as Appoint ASBSD Assembly Delegate for November 21, 2025.
    a. Motion Bonefield, Second Gardner to approve administration recommendations for Personnel as follows: Resignation of Katie McTaggart, Assistant HS Volleyball Coach and New hires: Stephen Simpson, MS Boys Basketball Assistant at the negotiated wage and Dominic Santiago, Assistant HS Volleyball Coach at a prorated wage.

X. Motion Johnson, second Bonefield to enter Executive Session SDCL 1-25-2 (1) at 6:29 pm

XI. Exit executive session at 7:00 pm; no action taken.

XII. Motion Youngberg, second Gardner to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.

OCTOBER BOARD BILLS PAYABLE

Checking 1 Fund: 10 GENERAL FUND
BELLE FOURCHE SCHOOL DIST. 9-1 XC FEE 150.00
BHSOA VARSITY SCHEDULING 650.00
BHSSC/TIE COMPASS MEMBERSHIP 1,000.00
BICKLE TRUCK & DIESEL SERVICE BUS #120 REPAIRS 2,908.24
BICKLE TRUCK & DIESEL SERVICE BUS 4 REPAIRS 1,931.40
BICKLE TRUCK & DIESEL SERVICE BUS 4 166.40
BLACK HILLS PIONEER PUBLICATIONS 80.62
BUTTE CO AMBULANCE STAND BY 100.00
CUSTER SCHOOLS CUSTER XC FEE 100.00
DVORAK CONVENIENCE STORES, INC CONCESSION STAND PIZZAS 280.69
GENE'S LOCK SHOP KEYS 17.25
GRAVES IT SOLUTIONS IT REMOTE SUPPORT 125.00
HILLYARD/SIOUX FALLS CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES 153.82
HILLYARD/SIOUX FALLS BLACK LINER 302.86
KSB SCHOOL LAW LEGAL FEES 116.00
LEAD-DEADWOOD SCHOOL DIST 40-1 HSVB TOURNAMENT FEE 50.00
LEMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT XC ENTRY FEE 50.00
MIND YOUR P'S & Q'S TSHIRTS 120.00
NEWELL HARDWARE AND SUPPLY LLC SUPPLIES 61.74
NEWELL SERVICE CENTER BLUE VAN REPAIRS 859.60
OLSON FUELS LLC HIGHWAY FUEL 4,010.82
RAPID CITY CENTRAL HS XCMEET 150.00
RIDDELL/ALL AMER SPORTS CORP FB HELMETS 763.80
SDMEA MUSIC EDUCATION 133.00
Fund Total: 14,281.24

Checking 1 Fund: 22 SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND
BHSSC TUITION 3,600.00
BHSSC TUITION 400.00
BHSSC DAY TUITION SEPT 3,825.00
BHSSC SEPT TUITION 4,725.00
BUILDING BLOCKS THERAPY, INC O.T. SERVICES 1,736.20
SN PSYCH ASSO., LLC AUGUST EVALS 3,550.00
SN PSYCH ASSO., LLC SEPT EVALS 1,850.00
THERAPY SOLUTIONS, LLC SEPT SPEECH SERVICES 4,364.00
Fund Total: 24,050.20

Checking 1 Fund: 51 FOOD SERVICE
SUMMIT FIRE PROTECTION SEMI-ANNUAL INSPECTION 311.00
Fund Total: 311.00
Checking Account Total: 38,642.44

Unofficial Minutes approved by:
Amy Williams, Business Manager; 10-27-2025

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Tyrel Bonnet, Board Chairman; 10-27-2025

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Mr. Clark – K-8 Principal Report October

3rd grade went to Rapid City to hear Author Billy Mills, his coauthor, as well as the illustrator.

Elementary had a great Homecoming week. The Seniors and staff did a great job putting on games for the elementary to play on Friday morning.

This is our sixth week of intervention. We have been progress monitoring; we will be testing all next week and then will regroup students based on their needs.

Our Shining Star Award for the Pre-K through 5 staff was voted on by the Pre-K through 5th grade students. Our Elementary Shining Star Award was a tie and it will go to our 3rd Grade Teacher, Mr. Engel and our Bus Drivers, Ms. Sandy, John, Monte, and Ms. Gail.