

LAPWAI SCHOOL DISTRICT #341
School Board Minutes
Regular Meeting
February 18, 2025

The Board of Trustees of School District #341 met in regular session in the Conference Room of the District Office. Trustee Garcia presided over the meeting, calling the meeting to order at 5:40 pm. Roll Call was made, present were Trustees Kipp, Spaulding, and Garcia. Trustees Samuels-Allen and Johnson were absent. Also attending was David Aiken, Teri Wagner, Lori Ravet, D'Lisa Penney, and Nancy Dahl. There were four people in the audience.

Trustee Spaulding moved and Trustee Kipp seconded that the consent agenda be approved as presented. The consent agenda included meeting minutes, payment of bills as presented, budget report, balance sheet, and ASB accounts. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

Principal Wagner shared the Elementary is in the process of adopting a new English-Language Arts curriculum for board approval.

Principal Penney shared she will be presenting STAR benchmark assessment data in March. She shared details regarding the Lapwai Middle-High School presentation at the University of Idaho on February 7th.

Special Education Director Ravet shared increasing Special Education numbers at 102 projecting up to 110 prior to the end of the year.

Principal Penney shared golf is meeting with students to prepare for the season. She reported boys districts is being hosted here on February 19th at 6:00 p.m. She reviewed the girl's state tournament schedule for the girls beginning Thursday, February 20th.

Superintendent Aiken reviewed the four learning priorities identified following the 2024-2025 Annual Impact Questionnaire. He shared highlights from the new system of celebrating bus behavior and his rides to support our drivers.

Discussion Item - AISES Conference student trip – Oklahoma - March 27-30

Discussion Item - Music Field Trip – Spokane – Hamilton - April

A First Reading was held for the following policies.

- Policy 407.7 – Classified Dismissal
- Policy 409.5 – Classified Grievance Procedure

The policies will be brought back for a second reading next month.

The following action items were presented to the board.

- Emergency Closure – Snow – 2/5/2025
- Surplus 1978 Chevrolet Pickup – The old brown truck
- 2025-2026 Calendar

Trustee Spaulding moved and Trustee Kipp seconded to approve the listed action items. Motion carried.

The following personnel action item was presented to the board.

New Hire – CBRS Behavior Specialist – Maria Ceron

Trustee Spaulding moved to approve the listed personnel action item. Trustee Kipp seconded the motion which was passed.

Under Board Training, a discussion was held about Legislative Updates.

Superintendent Aiken described the transitions in Indian Education at the Idaho State Department of Education. He reported on the visit to the District by Carl Crabtree, Deputy of Intergovernmental Affairs for the SDE. He also shared legislative updates from the National Association of Federally Impacted Schools.

Trustee Kipp moved and Trustee Spaulding seconded to adjourn. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

Trustee Garcia declared the meeting adjourned at 5:54 pm.

Board Chair

Clerk

Date