

PUBLIC NOTICES

BEULAH SCHOOL BOARD REGULAR MEETING MAY 8

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THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2025

The Regular Meeting of the Beulah School Board was called to order by Chairperson Moore at 6:00 p.m. in the District Conference Room. Present at the meeting were Directors: Biles, Hatzenbuhler, McGraw, Moore, Schmidt, Seibel and Ziman. Also present were Superintendent Blackhurst; Business Manager Richau; Principal Munson, Principal Zahn. Others Present: Eliza Zahn, Mrs. Smith, Clarisa Alexander, Paige Sailer, Anna Kitzman, Kristyn Bauer.

Chairperson Moore opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Blackhurst requested to add the following to New Business on the agenda: E. ACF-Whistleblower Protections Policy and F. ABDB-Generative Artificial Intelligence Policy. Director Biles motioned to accept the amended agenda. Director Schmidt seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Consent Agenda April 10, 2025 Meeting Minutes. Director Seibel motioned to accept the consent agenda. Director Hatzenbuhler seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Director Biles exited the meeting at 6:01 pm. Ag Community Development class capstone project presentation. Mrs. Smith, Clarisa Alexander, Paige Sailer, Anna Kitzman, and Kristyn Bauer exited the meeting at 6:11 pm. Superintendent Blackhurst reported on SW Superintendent meeting, Mercer County Teacher of the Year, football field concessions, next year’s budget, spring calendar report and fees. Principal Davison reported on bread in a bag event, Coteau visit, Arbor Day celebration, DIBELS, NWEA, ND A+, The Chess Guy, in-formances, plants and picnic and Western Plains Health presentation.

Principal Munson reported on Pheasants Forever pollination activity, 4th grade tours, 7th grade orientation, NDA+ testing, NWEA testing and Awards ceremony. Principal Zahn reported on band and choir concert, 8th grade orientation, Senior skip day, and handbook committee recommendations. Principal Zahn and Eliza Zahn exited the meeting at 6:35 pm. The Activities Director reported on track, softball, baseball and boys’ golf. Business Manager Richau presented the April Financial Reports. Enrollments: Elementary School-284, Middle School-226, High School-201, Total-711. Director Moore reported on the Finance Committee meeting discussion on April financial report and paying May bills. Director Schmidt moved to approve the Finance Committee report. Director Seibel seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried.

BILLS		
ACT	2,490.75	
AIRE-MASTER OF NORTH DAKOTA	60.00	
APPLE	5,190.00	
AVI SYSTEMS, INC.	600.00	
BEACON, THE	108.24	
BEACON, THE	203.36	
BEULAH HOT LUNCH PROGRAM	268.43	
BEULAH LUMBER CO INC.	19.57	
BEULAH LUMBER CO INC.	96.90	
BEULAH LUMBER CO INC.	101.50	
BLACKHURST, CARL	195.00	
BRAUN DISTRIBUTING INC	89.56	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	52.66	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	7.35	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	14.48	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	27.38	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	30.15	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	7.35	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE		

BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	15.53	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	56.08	
BRONSON'S MARKETPLACE	4.90	
CENTRAL DAKOTA LIBRARY NETWORK	50.81	
CITY OF BEULAH	10.00	
COAL COUNTRY CHC	220.00	
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COFFEE HAUS, THE	700.00	
D & E SUPPLY COMPANY INC	27.66	
D & E SUPPLY COMPANY INC	995.96	
DAVISON, AMBER	195.00	
DOWNTOWN GAS & AUTO	458.48	
DOWNTOWN GAS & AUTO	66.23	
DOWNTOWN GAS & AUTO	17.14	
DOWNTOWN GAS & AUTO	248.24	
DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING	33.46	
DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING NETWORK	160.00	
ETSYSTEMS, INC.	74.00	
ETSYSTEMS, INC.	74.00	
FINALSITE	10,228.00	
FITTERER OIL COMPANY		
HAZEN LLC	2,768.00	
FITTERER OIL COMPANY		
HAZEN LLC	4,152.00	
GRAND FORKS PUBLIC SCHOOLS	542.40	
HARLOW'S BUS SALES, INC	92.67	
HARLOW'S BUS SALES, INC	62.52	
HARLOW'S BUS SALES, INC	105.03	
HELLER, TOBY	188.98	
HIGH POINT NETWORKS	445.00	
J.W. PEPPER & SON INC.	172.50	
J.W. PEPPER & SON INC.	60.00	
JOSTENS	55.70	
LIGNITE TIRE	232.00	
LINDE GAS & EQUIPMENT INC.	1,085.18	
MUNSON, STACY	195.00	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	55.92	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	14.99	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	10.89	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	49.96	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	87.82	

NAPA AUTO PARTS	(10.99)	
NAPA AUTO PARTS	10.18	
ND BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION	40.00	
OLIVER MERCER SPECIAL ED.	30,410.63	
OZTECH ELECTRIC	146.00	
PEARCE DURICK PLLC.	71.25	
PITNEY BOWES GLOBAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	206.97	
PLUNKETT'S	147.29	
PRINCE, AMY	100.00	
RICHAU, KRISTA	195.00	
RIPPLINGER, KARLA	195.00	
ROUGH RIDER HEALTH PROMOTION	250.00	
ROUGH RIDER HEALTH PROMOTION	250.00	
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ROUGH RIDER HEALTH PROMOTION	250.00	
SCHIELDS, DEB	195.00	
SETH SIMPLY HANDY	250.00	
SIMPENDERFER, JASON	195.00	
SOFTWARE UNLIMITED	13,000.00	
STROUP, BRADLEY	195.00	
U.S. BANK	18,275.92	
WERVEN, JENNIFER	172.50	
ZAHN, BRANDON	195.00	

**BUILDING FUND**  
NOVA FIRE PROTECTION INC 1,773.00  
Director Seibel reported on PEP meeting. Review of policies ABAA, ABBDA, ABBF, and ABCA. Director McGraw moved to approve the PEP report and rescind policies (ABAA, ABBDA, ABBF, and ABCA) and replace policies (ABAA, ABBDA, ABBF, and ABCA) on first reading to expedite the policy adoption process per board policy BDA. Director Schmidt seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried. Director McGraw reported on Facilities and Transportation meeting discussion on high school cooling tower, and summer projects list. Director Schmidt moved to approve the

Facilities and Transportation report and West River Telephone system upgrade. Director Seibel seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried. Recessed at 6:57 pm. Reconvened at 7:01 pm. Director Seibel motioned to go to executive session in order to discuss negotiations strategy pursuant to NDCC Section 44-04-19.1(9). Director Schmidt seconded. Roll call: Seibel, Ziman, Hatzenbuhler, Schmidt, McGraw, Biles and Moore voted aye. Motion carried. Executive Session began at 7:02 pm and was attended by: Directors: Moore, Seibel, Ziman, Hatzenbuhler, Schmidt, McGraw, Superintendent Blackhurst, Business Manager Richau. Executive Session adjourned at 7:31 pm. The public has been invited to return to the meeting and we are back in open session. Director Biles entered the meeting at 7:32 pm. Director Seibel motioned to approve the summer projects list as presented. Director Biles seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried. Beulah Miner trademark update. Corporate Sponsorship request.

Director Biles motioned to approve the first reading of policy ACF-Whistleblower Protections Policy. Director Ziman seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried. Director Seibel motioned to approve the first reading of policy ABDB-Generative Artificial Intelligence Policy. Director Schmidt seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye”. Motion carried. The next Regular Meeting of the Beulah School Board will be Monday, June 23, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. in the District Conference Room. The Meeting was Adjourned at 7:48 p.m. Douglas Moore, Board Chairperson Krista Richau, Business Manager (07-03-2025)

BEULAH SCHOOL BOARD  
SPECIAL MEETING  
FRIDAY, MAY 16, 2025

The Special Meeting of the Beulah Board of Education was called to order by Chairman Moore at 12:00 p.m. in the District Conference Room. Present at the meeting were Directors: Biles, Hatzenbuhler, Moore, Schmidt, Seibel and Ziman; Absent: Director McGraw; Superintendent Blackhurst; Business Manager Richau. Director Schmidt motioned to approve certified increase of 2% + \$500/ experience pay for the 2025-2026 school year and 2% + \$500/ experience pay for the 2026-2027 school year and Master Contract 2025-2027. Director Seibel seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Director Schmidt motioned to increase principals’ salary 2% + \$500 for the 2025-2026 year. Director Ziman seconded. Discussion. Roll call with

unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Director Schmidt motioned to increase hourly ancillary employees \$.50/hour for the 2025-2026 year. Director Ziman seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Director Moore abstained. Director Schmidt motioned to increase salary ancillary employees 2% for the 2025-2026 year. Director Ziman seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. Director Moore motioned to increase superintendent salary 1% increase for the 2025-2026 year. Director Biles seconded. Roll call with unanimous “aye” vote. Motion carried. The next Regular Meeting of the Beulah School Board will be Monday, June 23, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. in the District Conference Room. The meeting adjourned at 12:26 p.m. Douglas Moore, Board Chairperson Krista Richau, Business Manager (07-03-2025)

NOTICE OF SCHOOL  
BOARD VACANCY

Notice is hereby given that The Beulah Public School Board has a vacancy due to the resignation of one of the board members. The applicant selected by the board will fill the vacant seat until the next regularly scheduled election in June, 2026 and will hold the position until June 30, 2026. Applications from qualified voters will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. on July 15, 2025. Interested parties should submit a letter of application and resume to Krista Richau, Business Manager, Beulah Public School,

204 5th St NW, Beulah, ND 58523, or by email to krista.richau@k12.nd.us. At the regular election, this seat on the board will be up for reelection for a three-year term. Dated at Beulah, North Dakota this 27th Day of June 2025. By order of the Beulah School Board Signed: Krista Richau, Business Manager Thank You, Krista Richau Business Manager (07-03-2025, 07-10-2025)

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The City of Golden Valley’s 2024 Consumer Confidence Report for drinking water quality is available on www.goldenvalleynnd.com or upon request with City Hall 983-4488. (07-03-2025)

BID NOTICE

The State Historical Society of North Dakota will accept bids for permission to cut and remove hay from portions of the Fort Clark State Historic Site, located 15 miles Southwest of Washburn, ND on Highway 200 Alt West. Thomas Linn should be contacted to view the area to be cut. Acreage to be mowed is approximately 15.5 acres. All hay must be removed from the land by October 15, 2025. All bids must be received by July 17, 2025, by 4 PM CDT. The State Historical Society of North Dakota reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The successful bidder will be granted a renewal option, should they decide to do the haying in the future. Please mark the outside of the envelope “Sealed Bid” and mail to the following address: Thomas Linn, Architectural Project Manager, 612 E Boulevard Ave, Bismarck, ND 58505. (06-26-2025)

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