



RIVER BEND EDUCATION DISTRICT

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Board Agenda

Tuesday, February 25th, 2025
6:00 p.m.

Please notify the office by noon on the day of the meeting if you, or your alternate, are unable to attend.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL: Remus (Sleepy Eye), Latzke (Sibley East), Briese (GFW), Lais (Madelia), Spitzner (St. James), Sykes (Butterfield), Sunderman (New Ulm)

3. OPEN FORUM

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AS PRESENTED/AMENDED

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the agenda as presented/amended.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (enclosed)

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the minutes as presented/amended.

6. FINANCIAL

a. Bills Payable

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the following:

January 2025 total disbursements - \$970,999.49

Wire amount - \$465,939.53

Payment #s – 36594-36604; 36643-36682

Check amount - \$493,058.330

Check #s – 24521-24563

Credit card amount - \$12,001.66

Payment #s – 36605-36642

7. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- a. **General Information-Doug Hazen**
- b. **R.I.S.E. & Raptor Programs-Stephanie Ross**
- c. **ALC-Chris Bodick**
- d. **Imprints Program – Ben Westphal**

8. PERSONNEL

a. New Hires:

Tama Bridges, Paraprofessional, salaried at \$18.27/hour for 80 days.
Laura Anderson, Paraprofessional, salaried at \$18.27/hour for 80 days.

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the new hires.

b. Resignations:

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve Jeff Juni and Ella Mason’s resignations.

c. Employee request – Stop Summer Contract

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve Sarah Ramsley’s contract change.

d. Employee Request – Childcare leave for Sara Ramsley and Crissi Mangen:

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve childcare leave per the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) for Sarah Ramsley for 7 weeks starting at the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year and Crissi Mangen for 12 weeks starting at the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year.

9. OTHER

a. Approval of the Board to change this year’s spring conferences from March 20, 2025, to March 27, 2025.

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the change to 2024-2025 calendar.

b. Approval of River Bend Policy 524.5 Personal Electronic Communication Devices.

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve the policy as presented.

c. School Calendars for the 2025-2026 School Year

Motion by _____, second by _____ to approve River Bend Education District school calendars for the 2025-2026 school year.

10. NEXT MEETING: The next regular meeting is scheduled for March 25, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

11. ADJOURNMENT