

**BUTTE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
REGULAR MEETING
OCTOBER 20, 2025**

The Board of Trustees held a Regular Board Meeting on Monday October 20, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. in the East Middle School Library with Chairperson Ann Boston presiding. Trustees present were Tom Billteen, Patti Hepola, Kelly Lee, Mike Kujawa and Kathy Milodragovich. Trustees Klobucar and Thatcher were absent. Also present were Judy Jonart, Superintendent and Keith Miller, Assistant Superintendent. Karen Alley, Director of Human Resource and Kevin Patrick, Business Director were absent.

CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

WELCOME AND DIRECTIONS FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Item 3.1 – Special Board Meeting Minutes – Work Session, September 22, 2025

Trustee Kujawa motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 3.2 – Regular Board Meeting Minutes, September 22, 2025

Trustee Milodragovich made motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS

Item 4.1 – Emerson Elementary School Presentation

Erna Gallagher, Emerson Elementary Principal went over her presentation with the Board of Trustees.



Growing Every day!

MATH	Winter Percentile	Spring Percentile	Growth Winter to spring
Emerson	38th	50th	72nd
K	53rd	53rd	57th
1	40th	58th	45th
2	41st	60th	77th
3	39th	51st	60th
4	34th	44th	58th
5	30th	41st	65th
6	41st	51st	73th

READING	Winter Percentile	Spring Percentile	Growth Winter to spring
Emerson	42nd	53rd	71st
K	53rd	40th	69th
1	39th	45th	75th
2	52nd	56th	72nd
3	78th	50th	46th
4	39th	53rd	70th
5	52nd	55th	58th
6	49th	58th	74th

A look at 2024-2025

2024-2025 Data

Look What WE Did!

MATH	Percentile Growth 23-24	Percentile Growth 24-25
Emerson	38th	57th
K		27th
1		72nd
2	32nd	63rd
3	36th	60th
4	30th	69th
5	31st	38th
6	60th	72nd

READING	Percentile Growth 23-24	Percentile Growth 24-25
Emerson	43rd	54th
K		10th
1		68th
2	56th	75th
3	30th	23rd
4	44th	73rd
5	40th	44th
6	37th	57th

MAPS Data

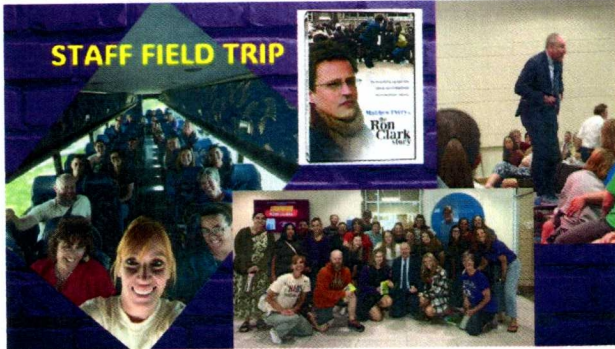


Small Group Instruction

R.O.C.K.I.E.S. WITH MRS. POWERS



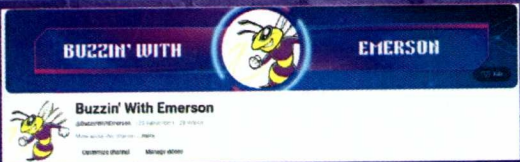
STAFF FIELD TRIP



RCA Houses



4 Houses = 1 Family



Weekly videos from 6th grade leaders to the entire Emerson community

Introduce a weekly PAX kernel or mini-vision

Present a rule from Ron Clark's Essential 55 (also known as: Make Your Classroom, Right in a Classroom, Respect Others's Opinions, etc.)

Show off all the great things happening at our school

WELCOME BACK TO EMERSON

Butte students head back to school this week



THANK YOU!
BUTTE CARES
YVCA
MONTANA TECH TRIO
NATOS WELLNESS
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
SUBARU SCHOOL SUPPLIES
YVCA
SOARS
TRESSA JOHNSON
B&B HEALTH DEPARTMENT
& HOLF





Item 4.2 – Enrollment Update

Judy Jonart, Superintendent, stated the enrollment numbers were just certified today and she is going to do a graph to showcase the comparison that will be more extensive next month. The elementary schools we are done about 20 students. The kindergarten class is lower than usual and has been over the last few years. All the AA schools are seeing the kindergarten enrollment numbers down. We currently have 72 students in our pre-K program so that helps with the kindergarten enrollment drop. East Middle school is down 16 students from last year, but that is due to our 6th grade class is smaller than our 8th grade class that was going to the high school. Butte High is down 38 about students and although the 8th grade class was bigger than the 7th grade or 6th grade class coming in, it was significantly smaller than what we have experienced in the last couple years at the freshman level. These numbers are very raw but the elementary enrollment can be made up by the number of students who participated in our summer program where we get ¼ of ANB for those students. This will help to lessen the impact. Also, at the high school we have part-time students, some students who attend the private school or that are homeschooled who attend the Digital Academy, which helps our enrollment. Again, this is a rough overview of our enrollment.

Item 4.3 – Election Update

Judy Jonart, Superintendent stated House Bill 406 was passed last spring and there are some updates to the election procedures. Calling for a school election we used to have to do those 70 days prior to the regular school election, but that has been changed to 145 days prior to the regular school election. We used to bring the resolutions forward in February, but now we will bring them forward in December. We still have the ability to amend the resolutions 70 days prior to the election, which that part did not change. If you are a candidate filing to run for a Trustee position you cannot do it any sooner than 145 days prior to the election and no later than 85 days before the election. This used to be 40 days. Judy stated she did not count to see what the actual dates would be, so she will bring those next month.

Item 4.4 – Montana Youth Court Services Community-Based Prevention Program Recognition Award

Judy Jonart, Superintendent stated the 2nd Judicial District Youth Court has recognized our Butte High School Student Intervention Program for our dedication to safety, accountability and competency development that strengthens families, supported positive youth outcomes and advance our shared mission with the juvenile justice system. Our program has been running for close to 20 years and it has funded our graduation coach. Judy stated that this has been a fabulous partnership and she hopes to have it for years to come. Trustee Billteen wanted to echo what Judy had stated and said there were 12 programs across the state and several of those 12 are based off of the student intervention program that the Butte School District and the youth services did many, many years ago. Trustee Billteen added there were two other programs than BSD that had the 20-year acknowledgement, so a huge kudos to the Butte School District and Youth Court.

Item 4.5 – Radio Ads

Judy Jonart, Superintendent stated our focus this year as it is every year is attendance and getting back to pre-Covid years in terms of attendance matters. We have put out a large campaign going forward, starting by sending out a letter with the water bills. The letters are about attendance awareness, how important attendance is and statistics that went home to every household. We have put up banners at all the schools as a reminder that attendance does matter and it is important to be here all day, every day. We have the Community Action Team that is headed by Mr. O'Neill. Their team has taken attendance as one of their goals and are working on sending out posters to businesses to remind them of how important it is to be in school and the dangers of chronic absenteeism that can cause dropouts and not meeting benchmark. Judy stated the CAT team is also partnering with her to get out buttons for employees to wear in the businesses they work. Judy stated we have done radio ads and gave a shoutout to Heather Bugni from the radio station who went out and recorded the ads at Hillcrest, Kennedy, East and Butte High. Judy stated they are awesome and played them for the Trustees, which they all enjoyed.

Item 4.6 – 1st Reading and Review – Policy 1009FE – Recruitment and Retention

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented policy 1009FE. This is a new policy, but the content is not new it seems this is in place by law. Judy discussed the internships, provisionally certified and retired educators. This is new from the Legislative session where if the District is unable to fill a position the retiree does not have to wait the 120 days to help fill that position. Judy explained the Class 3 Administrator license, Class 4 CTE license, Class 5 and emergency authorization of employment. The District has not done that, but it is good to have in case the time occurs.

Item 4.7 – 1st Reading and Review – Policy 2334 – Release Time for Religious Instruction

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented policy 2334. The law used to say upon written request of the student's parent or guardian, the student *may* be released from regular school attendance for the purpose of receiving off campus religious instruction. Now the law states *must* be released and would be for one hour per week. This request must be submitted annually by the parent or guardian.

Item 4.8 – 1st Reading and Review – Policy 3141 - Nonresident Student Enrollment/3141F-1 Application for Out of District Attendance/3141F-2 Out of District Attendance Agreement/3141F-3 Foster and Group Home Student Attendance

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented policy 3141. The date needs to be changed in the policy, there is added language stating the District shall notify the parent/guardian if the application is approved or not by the Board. When renewing and determining whether to approve the enrollment most will be approved unless it will negatively impact the quality of education for the resident students. Meaning if the maximum student contact hours for a teacher or maximum class sizes are met then the District cannot go over. There was a section added to this policy regarding transportation, cross and legal references. There are no changes to the forms.

Item 4.9 – 1st Reading and Review – Policy 3612 - District -Provided Access to Electronic Information, Services, Equipment, and Networks/3612P District -Provided Access to Electronic Information, Services, Equipment, and Networks/3612F Internet Access and Equipment Use Conduct Agreement

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented policy 3612. Judy explained a lot of the language was deleted and language was added to make the policy more concise regarding students and the District's expectations. If there is any misuse then the District may withdraw the student access to the equipment and internet. Judy went over the violations. 3612P the changes were adding cross and legal references. There were no changes to 3612F.

Item 4.10 – 1st Reading and Review – Policy 3650 – Pupil Online Personal Information Protection

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented policy 3650. The changes in this policy was the addition of the definition and the cross references.

Item 4.11 – Kathy Milodragovich – Marvin Heinz Award

Trustee Billteen presented the Marvin Heinz Award to Trustee Kathy Milodragovich. Trustee Billteen stated that Kathy was honored, along with several other distinguished Trustees from across the state with the Marvin Heinz Award. This is the highest individual recognition offered through the Montana School Board Association's Board Academy Program. Tom stated this award marks the attainment of gold level certification signifying that Kathy has completed at least 96 hours of approved training and professional development in school board governance, leadership, policy and community engagement. Tom went on to say it is a reflection of Kathy's deep commitment to continuous learning, effective leadership and service to our students and community. She has exemplified what it means to lead with compassion and integrity. She has raised the bar for all of us and our District is stronger because of her insight, energy and steadfast commitment to doing what is best for kids.

Item 4.12 – Public Comment on Items Not on Agenda

None.

CONSENT AGENDA**Item 5.1 – Approval of Claims, Budget Transfers, Revenue Reports, Budget vs. Actual Reports, Travel Requests and School Activity Fund Reports (August 2025 & September 2025)**

Please transfer from the funds listed below into the				Please transfer from the funds listed below into the CLAIMS			
9/30/2025 PAYROLL CLEARING FUND		Transfers		9/30/2025 CLEARING FUND		Transfers	
Account	Description	Debit	Credit	Account	Description	Debit	Credit
7761.000.2120.30.000	101 - ELEM GENERAL FUND	\$1,678,552.80		7761.000.2120.30.000	101 - ELEMENTARY GENERAL FUND	167,004.07	
7761.000.2120.30.000	110 - ELEM TRANSPORTATION FUND	\$83,419.64		7761.000.2120.30.000	110 - ELEMENTARY TRANSPORTATION FUND	35,807.74	
7761.000.2120.30.000	112 - SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE FUND	\$84,841.64		7761.000.2120.30.000	112 - SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE FUND	127,500.01	
7761.000.2120.30.000	113 - ELEM TUITION FUND	\$26,497.20		7761.000.2120.30.000	113 - ELEM TUITION FUND	220.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	114 - ELEM RETIREMENT FUND	\$274,935.35		7761.000.2120.30.000	117 - ELEM ADULT EDUCATION FUND	40.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	117 - ELEM ADULT EDUCATION FUND	\$1,141.00		7761.000.2120.30.000	119 - MEDICAID	53.70	
7761.000.2120.30.000	119 - MEDICAID	\$26,446.05		7761.000.2120.30.000	128 - ELEM TECHNOLOGY FUND	3,642.56	
7761.000.2120.30.000	121 - ELEM SICK	\$201.65		7761.000.2120.30.000	130 - CHAIN FOOD SUPPLY	9,901.33	
7761.000.2120.30.000	124 - ELEM METAL MINES	\$11,771.69		7761.000.2120.30.000	131 - TITLE IA	76,500.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	131 - TITLE I	\$44,579.28		7761.000.2120.30.000	138 - CSCT	50,798.68	
7761.000.2120.30.000	141 - TITLE IV, PART A	\$16,927.08		7761.000.2120.30.000	139 - BUTTE CARES	11,775.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	142 - TITLE IVA	\$163.15		7761.000.2120.30.000	143 - RSVP GRT LOCAL FUNDS	252.32	
7761.000.2120.30.000	144 - SCHOOLWIDE	\$41,291.46		7761.000.2120.30.000	149 - RSVP	101.30	
7761.000.2120.30.000	149 - RSVP	\$6,813.27		7761.000.2120.30.000	153 - IDEA B 47-0840-7711	236.50	
7761.000.2120.30.000	153 - IDEA B 47-0840-7711	\$112,730.45		7761.000.2120.30.000	154 - SPECIAL OLYMPICS	69.53	
7761.000.2120.30.000	155 - IDEA PRESCHOOL	\$5,942.88		7761.000.2120.30.000	161 - ELEMENTARY BUILDING RESERVE PERMISSIVE	21,845.35	
7761.000.2120.30.000	189 - COBRA	\$5,208.39		7761.000.2120.30.000	184 - ELEM CO-CURR ACTIVITY FUND	1,581.35	
7761.000.2120.30.000	186 - PAYROLL CLEARING ACCOUNT		\$ 2,421,462.98	7761.000.2120.30.000	187 - CLAIMS CLEARING ACCOUNT		507,329.44
7761.000.2120.30.000	201 - H S GENERAL FUND	\$820,764.62		7761.000.2120.30.000	201 - HIGH SCHOOL GENERAL FUND	83,920.96	
7761.000.2120.30.000	210 - H S TRANSPORTATION FUND	\$43,521.53		7761.000.2120.30.000	210 - H S TRANSPORTATION FUND	17,637.07	
7761.000.2120.30.000	213 - HS TUITION	\$27,295.10		7761.000.2120.30.000	213 - H S TUITION FUND	620.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	214 - H S RETIREMENT FUND	\$135,844.80		7761.000.2120.30.000	218 - TRAFFIC ED	0.69	
7761.000.2120.30.000	217 - H S ADULT EDUCATION FUND	\$4,385.01		7761.000.2120.30.000	227 - BUSINESS EDUCATION	477.95	
7761.000.2120.30.000	218 - TRAFFIC ED	\$64.50		7761.000.2120.30.000	228 - H S TECHNOLOGY	1,380.00	
7761.000.2120.30.000	221 - HS SICK LEAVE RESERVE	\$31.12		7761.000.2120.30.000	233 - TECH ED	667.64	
7761.000.2120.30.000	224 - HS METAL MINE RESERVE	\$30,361.83		7761.000.2120.30.000	245 - CARL PERKINS 47-1212-8111	59,999.76	
7761.000.2120.30.000	225 - AGGREGATE-INDIRECT COSTS	\$20,430.73		7761.000.2120.30.000	248 - ADULT BASIC ED	78.63	
7761.000.2120.30.000	231 - TITLE I	\$30,709.23		7761.000.2120.30.000	262 - H S PERMISSIVE BUILDING RESERVE	10,759.65	
7761.000.2120.30.000	238 - GRADUATION COACH	\$5,479.86		7761.000.2120.30.000	284 - CO-CURR ACTIVITIES FUND	3,556.52	
7761.000.2120.30.000	241 - TITLE II	\$9,557.12		7761.000.2120.30.000	187 - CLAIMS CLEARING ACCOUNT		179,098.87
7761.000.2120.30.000	248 - ADULT BASIC ED (ABLE)	\$5,551.26					
7761.000.2120.30.000	265 - FACILITY US H.S.	\$60.65					
7761.000.2120.30.000	282 - INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FUND	\$29,031.33					
7761.000.2120.30.000	284 - HS COCURRICULAR	\$2,475.00					
7761.000.2120.30.000	186 - PAYROLL CLEARING ACCOUNT		\$ 1,165,563.69				

DATE: 10/13/2025

LETTER: #3

RE: ADJUSTING JOURNAL ENTRIES RECAP
September 2025TO: Brandy Garner
Treasurer's Office
Butte-Silver Bow CountyFROM: Kevin Patrick
Director of Business AffairsPUT INTO THESE FUNDS:

101	Elem General	\$ 29,484.84
112	Food Services	\$ 145.54
114	Elem Retirement	\$ 2,439.10
131	Title IA	\$ 13,269.21
144	SchoolWide	\$ 72.00
155	IDEA Preschool	\$ 2,930.73
184	Elem Co-Curricular	\$ 3,000.00
201	High General	\$ 72.94
225	Indirect Costs	\$ 13,423.00
231	Title IA	\$ 17,211.66
TOTAL		\$ 82,049.02
101	Elem General	\$ 5,965.73
110	Elem Transportation	\$ 172.40
112	Food Services	\$ 135.91
117	Adult Ed	\$ 9,662.50
131	Title IA	\$ 5,230.00
141	Title IA_SEI	\$ 3,026.00
142	Title IVA_SSAB	\$ 987.00
144	SchoolWide	\$ 4,180.00
187	Claims Clearing	\$ 72.94
201	HS General	\$ 22,618.91
210	HS Transportation	\$ 85.30
214	High Retirement	\$ 4,793.89
217	Adult Ed	\$ 9,662.45
225	Indirect Costs	\$ 72.00
231	Title IA	\$ 13,269.21
284	Co-Curricular	\$ 249.11
999	Warehouse	\$ 1,865.67
TOTAL		\$ 82,049.02

NOTE: A complete and detailed listing of the Payroll and Claims Warrants, Budget Transfers and Revenue Reports is on file in the Clerk's Office and by the reference is made part of these minutes.

- **Student Activity Fund Report from Butte High School (September 2025)**
- **Student Activity Fund Report from East Middle School (September 2025)**

Trustee Kujawa made motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

PERSONNEL

Item 6.1 – Approval of the Amended PAR, September 22, 2025

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented the following Amended PAR for approval.

Butte School District No. 1 Personnel Action Report AMENDED Regular Board Meeting September 22, 2025

Certified Personnel

Appointment:

Jackie Delaney	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Christine Donaldson	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Elena Giono	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Abby Kelly	8/19/25-6/8/26	Temporary Reading/Math Teacher, Whittier
Deanna Kelly	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Meghan Larson	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Kya Littlefield	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Jori Liva	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Ashley McMahon	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Karla Perala	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Tina Powers	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Patricia Sayler	8/19/25-6/8/26	Temporary 1/2 Time FACS Teacher, BHS
Sarah Stepan	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Michelle St. Pierre	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Katie Whitaker	10/6/25-4/24/26	R.O.C.K.I.E.S. Instructor, District
Eric Zahler	8/19/2025	Elementary Sports Director, District

Resignation:

Corrine Betts	6/6/2025	Crossroads Teacher, BHCC
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Classified Personnel

Appointment:

Amoreena Bercier	9/23/2025	Substitute Monitor, District
Jordan Clairmont	9/23/2025	Substitute Cleaner, District

Nicole Foley	9/1/2025	Substitute Playground Monitor, District
Ashlee Hanson	8/19/2025	Substitute ParaProfessional, District
Kathy Hayes	8/19/2025	Substitute Bus Monitor, District
Caroline McLean	9/16/2025	ParaProfessional, District
Emily Paris	9/17/2025	Food Service, District
Marnie Schelin	9/16/2025	Substitute Cleaner, District

Leave of Absence:

Rose Connell	9/8/25-10/20/25	Cleaner, Emerson
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Resignation:

Chris Dziak	8/13/2025	Sub Cleaner and Sub Engineer, District
Ashlee Hanson	8/18/2025	ParaProfessional, District
Katie Mattson	9/30/2025	Food Service, District
Archie Petritz	8/15/2025	Substitute Engineer, District
John Sorich	8/29/2025	Substitute Engineer, District
Debra Tocher	9/5/2025	Cleaner, EMS
Reid Whitlock	8/15/2025	Substitute Engineer, District
Misty Wilen	8/22/2025	Food Service, District

Inactive Removal:

Eric Lane	8/15/2025	Substitute Engineer, District
Mary McGee	8/15/2025	Substitute Monitor, District

Supplemental Personnel**Appointment:**

Carter Barsness	9/23/2025	Football Coach, EMS
Rachelle Benski	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Megan Benson	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Megan Benson	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Katelyn Briggs	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, West
Kody Carver	8/27/25-5/14/26	Volunteer Coach, EMS
Gillian Clark	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Susan Cleary	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Cornelia Daily	9/16/25-6/8/26	Volunteer, District
Lacie Dahnke	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Holly Dilbeck	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Emerson
Kotie Dunmire	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Kori Dyer	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Kate Fitzgerald	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, West
Erin Fogarty	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Jasmine Gagnon	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Margaret Leary
Jacob Hanley	9/16/2025	Football Coach, EMS
Theodore Harris-Kaczmarek	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Anthony Hoffman	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District

Shayleigh Hooker	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Zane Jerman	8/25/25-10/15/25	Volunteer Football Coach, EMS
Chad Jonart	8/20/2025	Event Worker, District
Faith Kelly	8/20/2025	Event Worker, District
Ginny LaRue	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Madison Manning	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
James Martz	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Shannon Moyle	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kailee Murphy	8/20/2025	Volleyball Coach, EMS
Kalli Petritz	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Kayle Real	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Anne Ribeiro	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Margaret Leary
Sheryl Robinson	8/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Manuel Rodriguez	9/16/2025	Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach, BHS
Tera Ryan	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, West
Kendallyn Schad	9/4/2025	Event Worker, District
Jori Schrapps	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, West
Eli Smith	9/9/2025	Football Coach, EMS
Katie Smith	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Whittier
Lindsey Solomon	9/16/25-11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Margaret Leary
Levi Taylor	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Nicholas Verlanic	9/23/2025	Substitute Teacher, District

Resignation:

Emmah Baughman	8/13/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kaytlen Chaney	8/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Shelly Christian	7/1/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Nicole Cunningham	8/20/2025	Volleyball Coach, EMS
Andy Kelly	9/3/2025	Girls' Basketball Coach, EMS
Andy Kelly	9/3/2025	Boys' Basketball Coach, EMS
Levi Loggins	8/13/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Levi Loggins	8/18/2025	Football Coach, EMS
Jordayne Miller	8/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kalli Miller	9/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Victoria Morris	8/13/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Raquel Powers	8/13/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Rebecca Robinson	9/18/2025	Girls' Basketball Coach, EMS
Manuel Rodriguez	8/20/2025	Girls' Basketball Coach, EMS
Manuel Rodriguez	8/20/2025	Boys' Basketball Coach, EMS
Karen Rounds	8/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District

Inactive Removal:

Sally Bardsley	8/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Mary Budzinski	8/15/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Raeleen Harvey	08/29/25	Event Worker, District
Shea, Tim	08/29/25	Event Worker, District

Trustee Billteen made motion to approve, second by Trustee Milodragovich. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 6.2 – Approval of the PAR, October 20, 2025

Judy Jonart, Superintendent presented the following PAR for approval.

**Butte School District No. 1
Personnel Action Report
Regular Board Meeting October 20, 2025**

Certified Personnel

**Pending Successful Background Check and/or Paperwork.*

Retirement:

Wendy Schoonen	6/8/2026	German Teacher, BHS
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Classified Personnel

Appointment:

Ian Bray*	10/21/2025	Substitute Student Cleaner, District
Gladys Calkins	10/21/2025	Food Service, Hillcrest
Cynthia Cisneros	10/21/2025	Food Service, EMS
Dylahn Davis*	10/21/2025	Substitute Student Cleaner, District
Cynthia Cisneros	10/21/2025	Substitute Cleaner, District
James 'Ryan' Hitt	10/21/2025	Cleaner, BHS
Reese Johnson	10/21/2025	Substitute Student Cleaner, District
Aidan Maesar*	10/21/2025	Substitute Student Cleaner, District
Onna Maeser	10/21/2025	ParaProfessional, District
Katie Mattson	10/1/2025	Substitute Food Service, District
Kristy McGillvray	10/21/2025	Assistant Principal's Secretary, BHS
Kevin Miller	10/21/2025	Substitute Cleaner, District
Deakyn Mills*	10/21/2025	Substitute Student Cleaner, District
Jaylynn St. Pierre	10/21/2025	Food Service, District
Elisa Sepulveda	10/21/2025	Substitute Clerical, District
Haley Trochesset	10/21/2025	Substitute Cleaner, District

Leave of Absence:

Sharon Champeau	10/6/25-1/5/26	Food Service, EMS
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Resignation:

Alicia Bogert	10/24/2025	Federal Programs Bookkeeper, District
Gladys Calkins	10/20/2025	Substitute Food Service, District
Awnica Fuell	10/2/2025	ParaProfessional, District

Tonia Whitney 10/15/2025 ParaProfessional, District

Supplemental Personnel

Appointment:

Thomas Abbott	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Andrew Anderson	11/3/25-6/1/26	Volunteer, Kennedy
Brianna Barsness	9/24/2025	Event Worker, District
Erica Burgman	9/24/2025	Event Worker, District
Sharon Brown	10/1/25-6/8/26	Volunteer, West
Kristine Castillo	10/3/25-5/29/26	Special Education Volunteer, District
Kristine Castillo	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Bo Demarais	10/21/2025	Boys' Basketball Co-Coach, EMS
	9/16/25-	
Arthur Dick	11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, West
Bridget Dodge	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Evans, Jacob	10/21/2025	Girls' Basketball Coach, EMS
McKenzie Faulkner	9/29/2025	Event Worker, District
Bethanney Foley	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Brooke Fulmer	9/30/22-6/8/26	Volunteer Health Educator, District
Bonnie Goslin	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kaila Huizinga	9/30/25-10/1/25	Volunteer Flag Football Chaperone, BHS
Lindsey LeProwse*	10/21/2025	Boys' Basketball Co-Coach, EMS
James Martz	10/21/2025	Boys' Basketball Coach, EMS
Selika McGlynn	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kailee Murphy	10/21/2025	Boys' Basketball Coach, EMS
David Murto	10/6/25-10/7/25	Volunteer, BHS
	9/16/25-	
Megan O'Neil	11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Hillcrest
Traci O'Neill	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Nicholas Reed	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Sydney Ryan	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Brian Smyth*	10/21/2025	Boys' Basketball Coach, EMS
	9/16/25-	
Erin Stillens	11/26/25	Volunteer Volleyball Coach, Whittier
Cathleen Templeton	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Michael Wolfe	10/21/2025	Substitute Teacher, District
Kacie Woolverton	10/21/2025	Event Worker, District

Resignation:

Jarrett Rowling 9/12/2025 Assistant Girls' Wrestling Coach, BHS

Inactive Removal:

Abigail Johnson 10/2/2025 Sub Teacher, District

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Kujawa. Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS ITEMS

Item 7.1 – 2nd Reading and Approval – Policy 2100 – School Year Calendar and Day

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 2100 as presented last month.

Trustee Billteen made motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.2 – 2nd Reading and Approval - Policy 2150 - Suicide Awareness and Prevention

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 2150 as presented last month.

Trustee Kujawa made motion to approve, second by Trustee Milodragovich. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.3 – 2nd Reading and Approval - Policy 2165 - Early Targeted Intervention/2165F - Early Targeted Intervention Consent

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 2165 and 2165F as presented last month.

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Milodragovich. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.4 – 2nd Reading and Approval - Policy 2335 - Human Sexuality Instruction and Identity Instruction/2335F-1 Human Sexuality Instruction and Identity Instruction Annual Notice/2335F-2 Human Sexuality Instruction and Identity Instruction - 5 to 14 Notice/2335F-3 Human Sexuality Instruction and Identity Instruction

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 2335 and forms 2335F-1, 2335F-2 and 2335F-3 as presented last month.

Trustee Billteen motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.5 – 2nd Reading and Approval – Policy 2450 – Indian Education for All

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 2450 as presented last month.

Trustee Kujawa motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.6 – 2nd Reading and Approval – Policy 3655 – Student Safety

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 3655 as presented last month.

Trustee Billteen made motion to approve, second by Trustee Milodragovich. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.7 - 2nd Reading and Approval - Policy 5120P - Hiring Process and Criteria – Federal Background Check Fingerprints and Information Handling Procedure

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 5120P as presented last month.

Trustee Kujawa made motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.8 – 2nd Reading and Approval – Policy 5122 – Fingerprints and Criminal Background Investigations

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 5122 as presented last month.

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Billteen. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.9 – 2nd Reading and Approval – Policy 5252 – Notice of Nonrenewal of Nontenured Teacher for Financial Reasons

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of policy 5252 as presented last month.

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Kujawa. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.10 – Approval of the 2025-2026 Board Goals

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval of the Board Goals that were determined during the work session last month.

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Milodragovich. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.11 – Approval to go to Bid for Replacement of Naranche Turf

Judy Jonart, Superintendent is requesting approval to solicit bids to upgrade the turf at Naranche Stadium. The current turf has reached the end of its recommended lifespan and has shown signs of where it may impact both safety and performance. Trustee Billteen asked if there are any in-state providers or just out of state. Superintendent stated she is not 100% sure, but we will solicit bids from everyone.

Trustee Hepola made motion to approve, second by Trustee Lee. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 7.12 – Approval to Host the Special Olympics' State Basketball Tournament 2026-2028

Keith Miller, Assistant Superintendent, is requesting approval to host the Special Olympic tournament for the next three years. Keith explained how exciting it is at the potential to have it back in Butte as this is a foundation piece for all our unified champion schools that we have and encompasses our whole District. He stated he has also agreed to sign on as the game's director for the three years.

Trustee Kujawa made motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

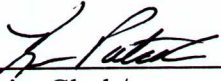
Item 7.13 – Approval of the 2025-2026 Pre-Employment Transition Services Contract

Melissa Johnson, Director/Principal of the Butte Pathway Academy is requesting approval of the CSCT contract. This program will help get some funds for students to start more work-based learning in our schools. In addition, this may also help with a 22-year-old and help with some of our resource room students getting some pre-employment opportunities before they hit the real world. We are going to work on employability in our schools, in our partners, some job shadowing, internships and different options for these students that are paid and unpaid.

Trustee Billteen motion to approve, second by Trustee Hepola. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, Trustee Hepola moved to adjourn, second by Trustee Kujawa. Motion carried unanimously. Chairperson Boston adjourned the meeting at 6:16 p.m.



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Chairwoman of Board of Trustees