

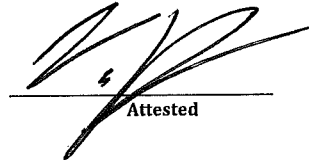
*Swan Valley School Mission Statement*  
"Committed to Excellence in Teaching and Learning for All"

## Regular School Board Meeting Minutes

Swan Valley School District 92 Irwin, Idaho  
Regular School Board Meeting in the School Library  
Wednesday March 13, 2024  
7:00 PM

- I. **Chairman Brainard called meeting to order at 7:00pm.**
- a. Chairman Brainard, Trustee Jacobson, Superintendent and Clerk Heilesen all present. Vice-Chairman Liss arrived at 7:14.
  - b. Board Meeting Etiquette Reminder  
This is an open meeting in front of the public for citizens to observe the way their government works. To ensure this meeting runs smoothly, **PLEASE**
    - i. follow the chain of command (start with the source of your complaint)
    - ii. refrain from side conversations during the meeting
    - iii. sign up and wait until patron input for comments
- II. **Chairman Brainard led the Pledge of Allegiance.**
- III. **CONSENT AGENDA - ACTION ITEMS:** Trustee Jacobson motioned to approve the Consent Agenda. Chairman Brainard seconded. 2 in favor. 0 opposed.
- a. Approval of Agenda
  - b. Board Meeting Minutes from February 21, 2024
  - c. Payment of Bills March 2024
- IV. **INFORMATION ITEMS/REPORTS**
- a. Swan Valley School Student of the Month –February 2024
  - b. Superintendent Report
    - i. School Security: Card readers for the exterior doors have been installed using the SOF Grant. We have submitted a second grant with SOF to replace the interior doors.
    - ii. HVAC Project will start Tuesday May 28, 2024. Staff, students, or patrons will not be allowed in the school after May 27<sup>th</sup> until August when the school is wrapped up and ready for the staff to start in-service days. The Library is working on alternatives to having the library outside of the school building. The board held a discussion.
    - iii. 2024-25 School Year – Math Curriculum: The school will continue using GoMath for the next two years and will reevaluate the math curriculum then.
  - c. Swan Valley School District #92 – 1000 Level Policies: No questions.
  - d. 2024-25 School Calendar – Second Reading: A lengthy discussion was held with the board regarding the 4-day vs 5-day school calendar. Topics that were discussed included but are not limited to: Classified staff salaries, schedules for Art/Music/SLP/OT/PREK/Library, Food service for families in need, Remediation, and more.
    - i. 4 Day School Week
    - ii. 5 Day School Week
- V. **PATRON INPUT: Concerned about the 4-day school week. Concerned about students going to school longer in a day with less days in the week. School calendar survey. HVAC System upgrade concerns. Teacher and staff pay concerns.**  
Please sign up by the beginning of the meeting, limit your comments to 3 minutes on a specific agenda item listed, and time allotted for public comments will not exceed one (1) hour. All comments must be respectful and directed to the School Board as a whole. Comments or complaints regarding district personnel and/or students are **PROHIBITED**. The Board will **NOT** approve or disapprove any topic; but may include it on a future agenda.
- VI. **ACTION ITEMS- the board may take action to approve, deny, amend, modify, or postpone action on any of the items listed below**
- a. Trustee Jacobson motioned to approve the Swan Valley School District #92 – 1000 Level Policies – Second Reading. Vice-Chairman Liss seconded. 3 in favor. 0 opposed.
  - b. Vice-Chairman Liss motioned to approve the 4-day school week 2024-25 School Calendar – Second Reading. Trustee Jacobson seconded. 3 in favor. 0 opposed.
- VII. **INFORMATION ITEMS-**
- a. Board Member input for future agenda items
  - b. April School Board Meeting – Wednesday April 17, 2024, 7:00 PM
- VIII. **ADJOURNED @ 8:41PM.**

  
Approved

  
Attested

4-17-2024  
Date