

**Proceedings of the
Bridgeport Public Schools
Morrill County School District #63
Board of Education
Monday, October 10, 2022 – 7:00 PM
Jr./Sr. High School Media Center**

President Justin Corman called the school board meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

President Justin Corman informed the public of the Open Meetings Act posted by the Library door.

The public was informed of this meeting by public posting at United States Post Office, Sonny's Super Foods, and Prairie Winds Community Center on Friday, October 7, 2022.

The Board meeting was also live streamed on STRIV, so remote users were able to access the live meeting.

Roll call was taken. Members present: Justin Corman, Kay Anderson, Jeff Pohl, Linda Norman, Greg Wickard, and Ryan Amateis. Also present were High School Principal George Schlothauer, Elementary Principal James Simmons, Principal of Instruction Erin Reynolds, Superintendent Chuck Lambert, and Recording Secretary Vonnie Brown.

It was moved by Norman and seconded by Anderson to approve the Agenda as presented for the Regular Meeting. Yes: Corman, Pohl, Anderson, Norman, Wickard, and Amateis. No: None.

There was a thank you from the Pat Beyer family for the contribution in her memory.

Visitors were recognized.

Business Meeting:

It was moved by Pohl and seconded by Amateis to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. The Consent Agenda includes the minutes of the September 12, 2022, Regular Board Meeting, financial reports and payables ending September 30, 2022, October Expenditures, and October General Fund payroll and withholding of \$557,609.38 and Lunch Fund payroll and withholding of \$15,840.57. Yes: Corman, Pohl, Anderson, Norman, Wickard, and Amateis. No: None.

Bills were paid as follows:

<u>Paid To</u> <u>General Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
AED Authority	480.00
Allo Communications	436.01
Amazon Capital Services	4,893.66
Black Hills Energy	462.22

Bomgaars	246.84
City of Bridgeport	19,222.62
Crescent Electric Supply Compa	2,253.63
Culligan of Scottsbluff	724.00
Cycletherapy Counseling Servic	10,400.00
DAS State Acctg-Central Financ	476.26
Dennis Supply Co	696.73
Druide Informatique Inc.-CANAD	360.00
EBSCO Information Services	341.40
ESU #13	21,705.69
Follett School Solutions	33.15
Josie Freiburger	1,122.00
Victor Gutierrez	673.31
HomeTown Leasing	6,109.84
Ideal Laundry and Cleaners Inc	5,669.54
Impact Applications Inc	462.00
IXL Learning	2,225.00
Jackson's Garage LLC	90.00
Todd Janicek	53.48
KLog Inc	2,019.75
KSB School Law	1,309.50
Lee's Service	10,066.27
Naomi Loomis	598.50
Matheson-Linweld	475.42
Morrill County Community Hospi	790.50
National School Forms	261.11
Nebraska Council of School Adm	1,005.00

Nebraska Bank	20.83
Bridgeport News Blade	653.50
Panhandle Coop System	495.38
Plummer Insurance Inc.	31,825.72
Prestige Group Inc	3,500.00
Principal Life Ins Co	1,377.55
Purchase Power	34.70
Riverside Lumber	38.19
Michaela Ryan	50.00
Safelite Fulfillment	579.95
Scholastic Inc	417.56
Sherwin Williams	269.28
Soar Pediatric Therapy	2,747.57
Sonny's Super Foods	1,141.49
TK ElevatorCorporation	531.58
Trading Post	248.81
Underground Printing	2,486.87
Wells Fargo Card Services	<u>43,384.67</u>

185,467.08

Lunch Fund

Cash-Wa Distributing	32,974.31
Hiland Dairy	5,018.01
Inman Service	869.86
Simply Clean	487.86
Sonny's Super Foods	3,920.68
Wells Fargo Card Services	<u>5,018.04</u>

48,288.76

Unfinished Business

None.

New Business

None.

Reports and Discussion

Erin Reynolds, Principal of Instruction, reported on the 2021-2022 Special Education Financial Report due to the state by October 31. She also reported that Bridgeport has one student attending Panhandle Beginnings Treatment Center in the ESU13 Consortium this year. Bridgeport will have two student teachers this year, two scheduled for next year, and an alumni beginning in January as a Paraprofessional. Unified Bowling begins October 24 with one team of eight students. K-3 Reading Committee, ELA Committee, MTSS Instructional Model, Wellness Competition, SPED Department, and ACT PREP Math and Science are scheduled for the Professional Development Inservice on October 19. Fall NSCAS, NWEA, and Maps Reading Fluency testing has been completed, and Individual Reading Plans have been mailed. Progress Monitoring K-3 will be done every three weeks. The Spring NSCAS individual reports have been mailed to parents, while district results have not been released yet.

James Simmons, Elementary Principal, reported on a 95% turnout for Parent-Teacher conferences. The Book Fair has been completed with 676 books sold, and thanks was expressed for Librarian Sharon Schluterbusch for setting up and coordinating classroom visits. He also reported that staff is being sent to learn about the new state math standards and will bring that information back to the school to collaborate to ensure all staff is coordinating in the direction that is required. Bridgeport Volunteer Fire Department will visit the K-6 students to go over fire safety and give tours of the fire truck. The school is grateful for the time and service of these volunteers. Red Ribbon Week is scheduled for October 24-28 with dress up days for elementary students and a theme of "Better Things to do than Drugs."

George Schlothauer, High School Principal, reported a 69% attendance for the 7-12 Parent Teacher Conferences. He talked about items to be addressed at the October 19 Professional Development including language arts programs, Nebraska Teacher Principal Performance Standards, and ACT training. He reported on the Lockdown Drill that took place on September 28, and expressed appreciation for the local law enforcement and emergency responders assistance. He congratulated Ruthie Loomis Goltl for being a finalist in the Believers & Achievers for October.

Chuck Lambert, Superintendent, reported that Bridgeport will host District Cross Country on October 13, and there will be Donkey Basketball on April 24 hosted by the cheerleaders as a fundraiser. The football schedule next year will be the same as this year, except for swapping where they will be played. He explained how 8-man football playoffs work. He reminded of the 7-12 Fall Concert to be held on October 11 and the 12:30 dismissal on October 19 for the Teacher Inservice. He announced that the Morrill County Spelling Bee will be January 27 in Bridgeport with a 12:30 dismissal for students. He also discussed potential for opening a pre-school in the 2023-2024 school year. He reported on the purchase of a Suburban with COVID funds and hail insurance proceeds for routes. He reported on several upcoming activities and tournaments. He also reported the resignation of the NSAA Executive Director and Nebraska Commissioner of Education.

Board of Education reviewed Committee assignments and Negotiations Committee membership was confirmed for Greg Wickard, Jeff Pohl, and Linda Norman.

It was moved by Wickard and seconded by Pohl to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 PM.
Yes: Corman, Pohl, Anderson, Wickard, Norman, and Amateis. No: None.

Respectfully Submitted,
Vonnie Brown
Recording Secretary

Approved by:

Chuck Lambert, Superintendent

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