

AGENDA #25
BOZEMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7
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WEDNESDAY JUNE 12, 2019 – 4:00pm.

4:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRESIDING TRUSTEE'S EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES

Recognition of visitors and explanation of procedures to be followed when addressing the Board.
Please turn off cell phones.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS


1. Public Input Period: Members of the community are given an opportunity to make brief comments to the Board on any matters not included in the agenda.

DISCUSSION AND REPORTS

2. Superintendent Search: Finalists Interviews

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Public comment can be submitted electronically to trustees@bsd7.org

	Wilson	Willett	Tage	Reinhardt	Neil	Lusin	Fischer	Arneson
Motion								
Second								
Ayes								
Nays								
Abstain								

TITLE: PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON
NON-AGENDA ITEMS

CATEGORY: PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

ORIGINATED
BY: Board of Trustees


OTHERS
INVOLVED: N/A

DATA
EXPANSION: None

COST/FUND
SOURCE: N/A

IMPLEMENTATION
ACTION: No official action required.

DISCUSSION:
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TITLE: SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH
FINALISTS INTERVIEWS

CATEGORY: DISCUSSION AND REPORTS

ORIGINATED
BY: Pat Strauss,
Director of Human Resources

OTHERS
INVOLVED: Board of Trustees

DATA
EXPANSION: None

COST/FUND
SOURCE: N/A

IMPLEMENTATION

ACTION: Elementary and High School District DISCUSSION
June 12, 2019

DISCUSSION:

1. Superintendent Rob Watson submitted his resignation effective June 30, 2019 to become Superintendent of Missoula County Public Schools.
2. The Board of Trustees contracted with Montana School Boards Association (MTSBA) to conduct a Superintendent Search.
3. The Superintendent vacancy was nationally advertised with a closing date of May 17, 2019.
4. MTSBA collected applications and provided preliminary screening results to the Board of Trustees.
5. The Board of Trustees selected five finalists to interview. One of the five finalists was determined to not meet Montana requirements for Superintendent certification.
6. Four finalists were invited to interviews on June 12, 2019.
7. A responder panel of community members has been selected and will participate in providing input to the Board based on the finalist interviews.
8. A community reception will be held on June 12 from 2:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. at Bozeman High School North Cafeteria. Community members will be encouraged to attend.
9. MTSBA will conduct reference and background checks and provide a summary of these results to the Board of Trustees prior to June 17, 2019.
10. The Board of Trustees will make a final decision at the Board meeting on June 18, 2019.

FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS AND OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

June 12, 2019	Candidate Interviews
June 18, 2019	Recommendation for Hire
June 24, 2019	Special Board Meeting
July 15, 2019	Special Board Meeting
August 12, 2019	Regular Board Meeting
August 26, 2019	Special Board Meeting
September 9, 2019	Regular Board Meeting
September 23, 2019	Special Board Meeting
October 14, 2019	Regular Board Meeting
October 28, 2019	Special Board Meeting
November 11, 2019	Regular Board Meeting
December 9, 2019	Regular Board Meeting
January 13, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
January 27, 2020	Special Board Meeting
February 10, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
February 24, 2020	Special Board Meeting
March 9, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
March 23, 2020	Special Board Meeting
April 13, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
April 27, 2020	Special Board Meeting
May 11, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
June 8, 2020	Regular Board Meeting
June 22, 2020	Special Board Meeting



Bozeman School District #7 2018-19 TRUSTEE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Board of Trustee Standing Committees

Long Range Strategic Planning (LRSP) Committee

Trustees

Heide Arneson
Douglas Fischer
Greg Neil

Long Range Facilities Planning (LRFP) Committee

Trustees

Heide Arneson
Gary Lusin
Wendy Tage

District Safety Committee

Trustees

Heide Arneson
Tanya Reinhardt

Board of Trustee AD-HOC or as Needed Committees

Budget Committee

Trustees

Heide Arneson
Douglas Fischer
Greg Neil
Sandy Wilson, Alternate

Teacher (BEA) Negotiations Committee

Trustees

Greg Neil
Gary Lusin
Wendy Tage
Tanya Reinhardt, Alternate

Future High Schools: Transition

Greg Neil
Sandy Wilson
Tanya Reinhardt, Alternate

HS2 Construction Liaison

Gary Lusin
Wendy Tage, Alternate
Sandy Wilson, Alternate

BHS Renovation/Design Team

Greg Neil
Wendy Tage
Sandy Wilson

Stadium Project/Infrastructure

Greg Neil
Andy Willett

Grade Level Reading Campaign

Douglas Fischer
Andy Willett
Wendy Tage, Alternate

Legislative Issues (Local Option Tax)

Douglas Fischer
Tanya Reinhardt, Alternate

Trustee Representation on Committees/Councils Associated with BSD #7

Bozeman Schools Foundation (BSF)

Wellness Advisory (WAC)

Indian Education for All (IEFA)

MTSBA Municipal Director and Delegates

School Liaisons

Bozeman High School
Bridger Charter Program
Chief Joseph Middle School
Sacajawea Middle School
Emily Dickinson Elementary School
Hawthorne Elementary School
Hyalite Elementary School
Irving Elementary School
Longfellow Elementary School
Meadowlark
Morning Star Elementary School
Whittier Elementary School

Trustees

Sandy Wilson
Heide Arneson, Alternate

Gary Lusin

Douglas Fischer

Gary Lusin, Municipal Director
Greg Neil, Delegate
Tanya Reinhardt, Delegate
Wendy Tague, Delegate
Sandy Wilson, Delegate
Heide Arneson, Alternate
Douglas Fischer, Alternate

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Wendy Tague
Douglas Fischer
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Andy Willett
Wendy Tague
Gary Lusin
Greg Neil



BOZEMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT #7 LONG RANGE STRATEGIC PLAN

Core Purpose

“Bozeman Public Schools exist to provide an outstanding education that inspires and ensures high achievement so every student can succeed and make a difference in a rapidly changing world community.”

Core Values

- ✓ **High Student Achievement:** We are committed to ensuring that all students achieve at high levels.
- ✓ **Committed, Quality Staff:** We employ and retain well qualified and talented staff members who demonstrate a commitment to the core purpose of the District.
- ✓ **Community and Family Engagement:** We believe that parents and the community are essential contributors in the achievement of our goals.
- ✓ **Climate:** We operate in a climate of respect, honesty and hard work, recognizing the need to be adaptable and open to change.
- ✓ **Fiscal Responsibility:** We are fiscally responsible in the management and expenditure of all District resources.
- ✓ **Decision Making:** We rely on best practices research to guide our decision-making.

Big Audacious Goal – Envisioned Future

“The Bozeman Public School District is widely recognized as a vibrant, flexible and progressive educational system that generates student excellence and engages students to succeed and positively contribute in a global community.”

Goals of the Bozeman Public School District

Goal Area 1: Academic Performance: Every student meets or exceeds the high academic standards of the Bozeman Public School District.

Goal Area 2: Operations and Capacity Building: District operations, facilities and human resources support an efficient and progressive educational system.

Goal Area 3: Community Engagement and External Relations: Bozeman Public Schools has created an environment in which parents, community, legislators and all education stakeholders are supportive, engaged, and contribute to successfully educate our students.

Goal Area 4: Student Success/Safety/Health/Welfare: Bozeman Public Schools has effective systems in place for students to learn and staff to work in a safe and healthy environment.

Bozeman School District #7

BOARD REOCCURRING CALENDAR



JULY

- LRSP Annual Report
- Learning Materials Review Committee
- Set Health and Dental Insurance Price Tags
- Supplemental Book Adoption-One Book-One Bozeman and Bozeman Schools Foundation

AUGUST

- Opening School Activities
- Approve Final Budgets (on 2nd Monday)
- Begin budget process for following year

SEPTEMBER

- One Book-One Bozeman Participation
- LRSP Implementation Framework and Reporting
- Board Luncheon LRSP Reports

OCTOBER

- Attend Montana School Boards Association Annual Meeting
- Board Luncheon LRSP Reports

NOVEMBER

- LRSP: Annual Facilities Master Plan Review
- Preliminary Enrollment and Projection Reports
- Board Luncheon LRSP Reports

DECEMBER

- Bozeman High School New Course Proposals
- Hold Board/Employee Holiday Celebration
- Annual Facilities Master Plan Adoption

JANUARY

- CAFR and Audit Report for prior year
- Consider MHSA Resolutions
- Building Reserve Allocation
- Evaluate the Superintendent

FEBRUARY

- School District Calendar Approval

MARCH

- Call for Annual School Elections
- National Merit Awards
- Hold Budget Review Meetings
- Professional Development Plan Approval
- Board Resolution for Screen Free Week
- Out of State Field Trips and Travel
- Budget Discussion Referencing Staffing

APRIL

- National School Boards Association Annual Conference
- Hold Budget Review Meetings
- Teacher Appreciation Week
- District Technology Plan Approval
- RIF Notification
- Set Special Levy Amounts if Levy Election is in May

MAY

- Approve or Non-renewal of Teachers
- Hold Trustee Election (first Tuesday following first Monday)
- Reorganize the Board and Recognize Retiring Members
- Consider MSBA Resolutions
- Administrator Compensation Policy
- Federal Grant Applications
- Appointment of Bozeman Public Schools Foundation Directors

JUNE

- Recognize Retiring Staff

MONTH VARIES

- Approve Employee Contracts
- Consider Policy Changes
- LRSP Mega Issues Dialogues
- Approve Curriculum Adoptions
- Approve Instructional Material Purchases
- Approve Memorandum of Understanding for Services

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Andy Willett, Chair
- Sandra Wilson, Vice Chair
- Heide Arneson
- Douglas Fischer
- Gary Lusin
- Greg Neil
- Tanya Reinhardt
- Wendy Tage

Bozeman Public Schools

Calendar 2018-2019

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Aug 22 - 24	K-12 PIR Days (School Not In Session)
Aug 27	School Begins 1-12
Aug 30	K Full Day Begins
Sep 3	Labor Day Holiday
Oct 8 - 9	K-5 P/T Conferences (No School K-5)
Oct 19 - 20	Flexible PIR Days (No School K-12)
Nov 21 - 23	Thanksgiving Holiday
Nov 26	K-12 PIR Day (No School K-12)
Dec 24 - Jan 4	Winter Break
Jan 21	K-12 PIR Day (No School K-12)
Jan 22	9-12 PIR Day (No School 9-12)
Feb 18	Presidents' Day Holiday
Mar 18 - 22	Spring Break
Apr 11	K-5 Parent/Teacher Conf 6-8 PIR Day (No School K-8)
Apr 12	K-5 Parent/Teacher Conf K-12 PIR Day (No School K-12)
May 24	K-12 PIR Day (No School K-12)
May 27	Memorial Day Holiday
Jun 2	Graduation!
Jun 6	Last Day Of School Students Released @ 12:45

GRADING PERIODS

K-5:	Jan 18 Jun 6
6-8:	Nov 20 Mar 1 Jun 6
9-12:	Period 1 - Oct 5 Period 2 - Nov 21 1st Sem - Jan 19 Period 1 - Mar 1 Period 2 - Apr 19 2nd Sem - Jun 6

SYMBOL CODES

	Dist. Flexible PIR Days (No School)
	K-12 PIR (No School K-12)
	K-5 P/T Conf (No School K-5)
	K-8 PIR (No School K-8)
	9-12 PIR (No School 9-12)
	Holiday and/or Break
	School Begins
	School Ends
	Kindergarten Starts

With the approval of this calendar, the Board of Trustees, in commemoration of Martin Luther King Day (1/21/19), is directing that all teachers (K-5) and all Social Studies teachers (6-12) take action in class to recognize and celebrate the principles for which Martin Luther King stood.