

Crosby-Ironton I.S.D. #182
Regular Board Meeting
April 28, 2025
6:30 PM
Crosby-Ironton High School
711 Poplar Street
Crosby, MN 56441

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A Regular Board Meeting of the Board of Education of Crosby-Ironton ISD #182 was held April 28, 2025 beginning at 6:30 pm.

Members: Beth Hautala, Laura Lee, Barb Neprud, Tommy Sablan, Mark Taylor, Hannah Wesner, Student Representatives Cadence Wynn and Bailey Kotzenmacher and Superintendent Jamie Skjeveland were present.

Welcome to Visitors—Chair, Laura Lee called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with a pledge to the flag and welcomed those who were present at the meeting

Approve Agenda-Motion by Sablan, second by Hautala to approve the agenda as presented. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Board Discussion/Comments on the Following Items:

1. CACR Goal #3 - College and Career Readiness - N. Ernst
2. Phase VI Project Summary and Bids – T. Fuechtmann, Contegrity Group, Inc.
3. Student Representative Report - Wynn and Kotzenmacher
4. Community Event Report
5. Policy Review Process
Policy 623 - Summer School Instruction - First Reading of Revision
Policy 624 - Online Learning Option - First Reading of Revision
6. Operating Referendum Election November 4, 2025
7. Sourcewell Representative Assembly, April 23, 2025 - M. Taylor
8. School Board From Six to Seven Members

The meeting was suspended from 7:27 p.m. to 7:44 p.m. due to a severe weather alert.

Approve Minutes - March 24, 2025 Regular Board Meeting-Motion by Wesner, second by Sablan to approve the March 24, 2025 Regular Board Meeting. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Consent Calendar- Motion by Wesner, second by Taylor to approve the consent calendar which consists of the following items:

Approve Bills Presented in the amount of \$1,030,648.75 checks #59300-59491

Acceptance and Filing of Financial Reports

Accept Monetary Awards and Donations

All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Personnel Consent Items-Motion by Neprud, second by Hautala to approve the following personnel consent calendar:

- Renew/Approve the following Coaches/Activities Contracts Effective with the 2024-2025 Spring Season:

Softball

Andrea Gressman

Bill Santi

Assistant Softball

Volunteer Coach

Baseball

Bob Wesner

Volunteer Jr. High Coach

- Accept Resignation of Justice Dewitt, Part-time Food Service Worker, Effective April 16, 2025 and Authorize Filling the Position, if Needed
- Employ Ashley Carlson, 11 Hour per Week Paraprofessional, Effective April 22, 2025
- Accept Resignation of Secondary Principal, Jen Strom, Effective at the End of the 2024-2025 School Year, with Thanks and Appreciation for Years of Service, and Authorize Filling the Position
- Employ Rebecca Pecha, Secondary Social Studies Teacher, at 1.0 f.t.e. Starting with the 2025-2026 School Year. This is an Increase from .57 f.t.e. in 2024-2025.

All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Action Items:

Approve the Following Policy: Motion by Taylor, second by Sablan to approve the second reading and adoption of revised Policy 619 - Staff Development for Standards. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Award Phase VI High School Construction Bids-Motion by Neprud, second by Taylor to award Phase VI High School construction bids to the identified lowest, responsible bidder. *Copy in legal minute book.* All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Approve Revision to the 2025-2026 School Calendar-Motion by Neprud, second by Hautala to approve the revision to the 2025-2026 School Calendar, adjusting the previously adopted calendar to the correct weekend for spring break/Easter. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Approve Contract with Rapp Strategies to Conduct Operating Referendum Communications Starting July 2025-Motion by Hautala, second by Sablan to approve a contract with Rapp Strategies to conduct operating referendum communications starting July 2025. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

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Adjourn- Motion by Wesner, second by Sablan to adjourn at 8:54 p.m. All voting aye, and the motion carried.

Recorded by Wm Tollefson

Tommy Sablan, Clerk