

SANDHILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Minutes of Special Meeting for the Purpose of Approving 2024-2025 Budget
and Tax Request for the 2024-2025 school year

Monday September 23, 2024

7:00 p.m.

Sandhills High School Lecture Hall

Special Meeting

- 1. Call to order:** The special meeting of the Sandhills Public Schools Board of Education is called to order on September 23 at 7:02 p.m. in the Sandhills High School Lecture Hall.
- 2. Mission Statement** - "The mission of Sandhills Public Schools is to provide quality education in a safe, respectful, equitable and inclusive learning environment to develop productive citizens for an ever-changing global society."
- 3. Nebraska Open Meetings Law** - Posted in meeting room
- 4. Publication of Meetings**
 - a. Per Policy 204.07-reasonable advanced notification was made of the meeting. Verification of Publication on minutes in the Thomas County Herald September 23 Budget Hearing, and September 23, 2024 Special Meeting to Approve the proposed 2024-2025 budget and approve resolution setting the property tax request for the 2024-2025 year.
- 5. Roll Call** -Present were board members Tedd Teahon, Rory Zutavern, Reed Larsen, Tyson Cox, Jeff Martindale. Also present was Superintendent Jamie Isom, and Principal Patrick Recoy. A motion was made by Jeff Martindale, seconded by Rory Zutavern to excuse the absence of Michelle Milleson. Voting aye: Zutavern, Larsen, Cox, Martindale, and Teahon. Motion carried.
- 6. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 7. Public Comment:**
 - a. Thank you for attending the meeting. Comments from the public should be made during this time. Please introduce yourself. Comments should be limited to under five minutes.
No public comments were offered.
- 8. Approve 2024-2025 budget**

A motion by Tyson Cox to approve the 2024-2025 budget as presented, seconded by Rory Zutavern. Voting Aye: Cox, Zutavern, Martindale, Larsen, and Teahon. Absent: Milleson. Motion passed.

General Fund: \$4,438,060.00 plus cash reserve of \$765,000 for total \$5,203,060.00,
Depreciation Fund: \$235,308.00
Activity Fund: \$180,893.00
School Nutrition Fund: \$178,912.00

Special Building Fund: \$351,000.00
Total All Funds: \$6,149,172.00

9. Approve Tax Request Resolution relating to the 2024-2025 budget

Motion by Jeff Martindale to approve Tax Request Resolution including General Fund \$2,765,962.00 and Special Building Fund \$132,980.00, seconded by Reed Larsen. Voting aye: Martindale, Larsen, Cox, Teahon, and Zutavern. Absent: Milleson. Motion carried.

10. Adjourn

The special meeting of the Sandhills Board of Education for the purpose of budget approval and tax requestion resolution approval was adjourned by President Teahon at 7:15 p.m.