### WELCOME TO A MEETING OF THE RE-4A BOARD OF EDUCATION

### VISION STATEMENT

Our vision is to provide excellence in education for all students.

### MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to provide an educational foundation that fosters personal success for all students through an effective, innovative, and positive learning environment.

### BOARD MEMBERS

Vangí McCoy Joye McHenry Deanna Truelsen Línnea Vass Dee Prock

#### SUPERINTENDENT

Scott Cooper

# STRATEGIC PLAN ACTION AREAS 1. STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT 2. POSITIVE, STUDENT CENTERED ORGANIZATION CULTURE 3. SCHOOL FUNDING AND FACILITIES

- \* The board's meeting time is dedicated to the mission and top-priority focus areas.
- \*Your insights are needed and welcomed, and the board encourages you to meet with the most appropriate person.
- \*"Public participation" is an opportunity during the business meeting to present brief comments or pose questions to the board for consideration or follow-up.

  Each person is asked to complete a "Request to Speak" form one week prior to the board meeting, and return it to the District Secretary. Each person is also asked to limit comments to three minutes. The boundaries are designed to help keep the meeting focused and in no way should limit conversations beyond the board meeting.

## DOLORES SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-4A BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA

Regular Board Meeting
Professional Development Room

**January 14th**, 2016

7:00 p.m.

Large building behind (northwest) of the new District Office at 100 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. PLEDGE
- IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- V. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING FOR REVIEW OR CORRECTION
- VI. CITIZENS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD
- VII. STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE:
  - A. Strategic Plan #1: ACT vs. SAT
  - B. Strategic Plan #2: Student Government Report
  - C. Strategic Plan #3: Final FY 2016 Budget Presentation and Adoption (Action Item)
- VIII. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT
- IX. ACADEMIC REPORT
  - A. Elementary
  - B. Middle School
  - C. High School
- X. BOARD REPORTS AND REQUESTS
  - A. Student Government Report
  - B. BOCES
  - C. District Accountability Wildly Important Student-Centered Advisory Team (WISCAT)
  - D. Legislative Network Reports
  - E. Board requests for agenda items, information, etc.
  - F. Communication plan reports and discussion
  - G. Town Board Report
  - H. Other
- XI. ACTION ITEMS
  - A. Approval of January bills and financial statements for period ending December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015
  - B. Approval of minutes for the December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015 board meeting.
  - C. Personnel:

### Approval of:

Middle School Boys Basketball Assistant Coach: Jessica Schliesser

### **Resignation of:**

Bus Driver: Patty Tutton

### STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

- Dolores School District students will meet or exceed the adopted School and District academic goals.
  - Goal: The DSD will attain accreditation with distinction
     (80% in each category).
  - Goal: Implementation of redesigned grade level configurations (K-6, 7-8, 9-12). COMPLETED!
  - Goal: The DSD Preschool will achieve National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) accreditation. COMPLETED!
  - Goal: Will provide high quality professional development for our staff.
- 2. The Dolores School District will provide all students with a positive, student-centered organizational culture
  - Goal: Communication plan to be revisited three times a school year.
  - Goal: In order to provide opportunities for all students to be involved in their school community, the DSD will continue to develop multiple extra-curricular opportunities.
     These opportunities may include
    - academic, fine arts, athletics, § CTE (Career and Technical Education).
  - Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBiS) will continue to be the foundation of student support.
  - The DSD will continue to utilize student perception survey data to support the professional growth of our teachers.
- 3. The Dolores School District will remain fiscally responsible and will maintain our facilities:
  - Goal: The DSD will complete the BEST/BOND funded capital improvement project. <u>COMPLETED!</u>
  - The DSD will create a long-range maintenance plan for the district. COMPLETED!
  - Goal: The DSD will develop fiscal strategies to ensure that salaries and benefits (PK-12<sup>th</sup> grade teachers and all staff) will be comparable with neighboring districts.
  - Goal: The DSD will create and maintain modern technology and infrastructure.
  - Goal: The DSD will remain fiscally sound and assure transparency, as measured by annual audit.
  - Goal: The DSD will develop a plan to continue the current mill levy over-ride being that it sunsets in 2016. This work will include clarifying se of funds, etc. for a fall 2015 vote. <u>COMPLETED!</u>

- D. Approval of the following sites as the designated places for posting notice of Board of Education meetings: the side windows at the entrances of the Preschool, Elementary, and Middle / High Schools, the outside display board at the District Office and the Dolores School District website
- E. Approval of Middle School and High School Unified Improvement Plans
- F. Approval of donations from Dolores Rotary Club: \$1849 for Spirit Council and \$1849 for High School Football
- G. Approval of January 7<sup>th</sup> and January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 as snow days
- XIV. DISCUSSION AMONG BOARD MEMBERS
  - A. Homework policies
  - B. Set policy meeting for March (Action Item)
  - C. Superintendent Evaluation
- XV. ADJOURNMENT