

Thirkill Comments

Try to get the other schools in the county on board and build a school together
Appropriate maintenance yes, "secure entrance"? maybe, Make it safe and reasonably cost efficient to operate. Where can the public find the details of the plan being proposed here?
Enrollment is down and our facilities are just fine.
I agree that Thirkill needs a multi purpose room and secure entrance. However, the amount estimated for this cost is outrageous. I really think you can do this cheaper than estimated.
I am somewhat interested in this. It would be last on my list though as we have other resources for this.
I believe different bids can bring the cost down.
It is a want not a need. As the population goes down the needs for buildings should also go down. There is one building that is completely empty.
See Below
The elementary school is adequate for our elementary students. We cannot be expected to pay for these improvements through increased taxes.
The estimate on this sounds outrageous. I can't imagine how these improvements can be over \$100,000 in cost. I also do not agree that there needs to be more special ed classrooms.
The only way I will support this is if they add fifth grade classrooms at the same time and put fifth grade back in the elementary school. Then I'd be happy to vote for it.
What about Hooper school? Use what we have. With enrollment declining, state funding being cut and a million other reasons why in gods name would you think it wise to walk us off a cliff?! I read an article in the caribou county sun today about P&Z mtg held last week. Industry hiring in soda springs cannot get new emoyees to even buy a home here let alone enroll there kids in our district. Population is decreasing and you still are brassy enough to ask for my extra money to foot the bill on nonsense! I am not impressed. Our school district does not even have enough books for every current student enrolled. Let's focus on providing a better education not newer schools. I've said my piece and would like to also offer that this is one of the top 5 reasons I am moving my four children out of district 150 and out of caribou county. I wish the best for all of you and hope you have a plan b...because you can't get blood from a turnip and money doesn't grow on trees!
When I heard that the same company/individual that is proposing to build and therefore make a profit from the new buildings and additions, inspected the high school and recommended a new building be built, I WAS CONCERNED!! Doesn't that sound like a HUGE CONFLICT OF INTEREST? I think we need to get bids from several contractors, independent of inspectors.
Also would like 5th grade classrooms added to the elementary
how can you have a secure building with a double wide in back of school? You need everyone in one building.
a no until some other means besides property tax is used to pay the bill.
Hooper school is available - use it. Students could be bused there
I could agree with some parts, but not everything at each school lumped together so that it is included in a yes vote.
if it is a need and not just a want
make improvements only as/if our county's population grows and brings adequate taxes.
No secure entrance
taxes too high now as is
try at least once more at consolidation with Grace
we the citizens of soda springs already pay way too much in taxes, bonds. etc. These schools are just fine.
would like to know more about spec ed classrooms.
1-secure entrace
2-raise academic performance and
3-pay raises for teachers
3rd Priority
3rd Priority

Are we selling Hooper Elementary building to fund this?
Before spending public funds on new construction, a consolidation of Caribou county schools should be seriously considered.
Before we put lots of money into a dying town, we should consolidate with Grace and N. Gem. Then lessen the burden.
Bring employment up to help with real estate taxes and schools
Build a gym
Build new school, sell current city buildings. City hall, PD etc at Thirkill
Can't we use Hooper classrooms
Consolidate
Consolidate
Consolidate Soda, Grace, & Bancroft first
Consolidation
County School
Do what the public wants and consolidate w/ the other schools in the county. No need for 3 districts in one county.
does it really cost that much
Dropping enrollment. 1 empty school not safe for children! but safe enough to rent
Fixed income - can't afford tax increase
For the last several months, I have seen my city bill rise every month for proposed improvements. However, I have not seen any of these improvements! I would rather have a new school at the "Y" for the county and have all county residents paying for it and not just Soda Springs
Frustrating you're seeking additional money but are foolishly spending money where it shouldn't be spent - like self-addressed stamped envelopes.
Gym is good enough for multi-purpose room. The modular works fine for the few who use it.
Haven't got the money
Hold the line "less kids"
how sad that spec ed students have to bundle up to go outto trailers! Get this done!
I am on retirement fixed income and can't afford anymore
I don't see these things necessary. I think the schools are all fine. I would just fix the things that need to make them safe and up to codes. I have kids at all 3 schools and they say the schools are great.
I think this would be good idea for more help with teaching.
I would like to see more handicap accessibility in the school.
If the Hooper school is good enough for businesses, open it up for students!
I'm in favor of consolidation.
It shouldn't cost that much for what you want to do.
it would be nice but the wee folk can get by
It's time for the state to do their job as outline in the Idaho Constitution
joint district
Let's live within our means and not pretend we are Washington DC
Liquidate Hooper School or Utilize it
Make do with what you have
Maybe I could support this one
merge with grace and bancroft
More in favor than against. What is wrong with the gym/multi purpose we have
Need to put all Elementary age kids in elementary school as well
No
No more expenses
None of the proposals solves the problem
On a set income! Enough is enough! Tax toilet paper!
Only secure entrance
Our taxes are outrageous. We all need to budget within our means.

Our Taxes are too high already
parents with children in this age category should be taxed for expenses.
People living oiv
Priority #3
Put a teacher at entrance fix the school we have
Ridiculous
Safe entrance yes!
school is shrinking not expanding
Secure entry is okay but it should be funded by the tax levy over ride funds.
Seems Sensible
State should pay for schools - too many taxes
Taxes already 2 hi
taxes too high already
The economy of Soda does not warrant spend and making a larger building
The other projects are more needed at this time.
The rumor is they wanted to close this school move children to the middle school
There is nothing wrong with Hooper school! What do we spend 1.8 million for a facility we already have?
This is totally uncalled for Why not open Hooper. If its good enough for Agrium it should work for kids.
Too Expensive
Too few students and less each year. Consolidate with Grace and N. Gem. Makes more sense
very much needed
We need a proposed plan where money for each area will be. A blue print would be nice.
What about using space at the old Hooper School?
What are costs for each? more details. These will raise my taxes 25% which are needed right away. More options.
what happened to the lottery moneys that state were supposed to take care of schools
Why isn't this broke down, why is it all or nothing.
Would like to be able to vote yes for all, but can't afford taxes as it is.
Would like to see secure entrance in all schools

Tigert Middle School Comments

"Replace"...who made this assessment? Do the maintenance needed. Where can the public go to see the details of this proposed plan above?
A new or updated gym is needed. The bathrooms at the current gym (especially the women's) are embarrassing and I avoid using it at all costs.
Again, the estimate on this seems very high. Secure entrance should not be very much cost unless the current entrance is demolished and a new one built which doesn't make any sense. The new gym I can agree with but the cost estimates need to be reviewed better. I don't agree we need new annex classrooms. Make due with what you have where you can like all of us are doing in this economy.
Enrollment is down and our facilities are just fine.
Fix the old bathrooms, renovate
Good to have a gym but not a necessity if we complete the high school and could have an extra gym there.
If anything, we absolutely need secure entrances in all schools.
Once again I think all of this is needed But feel the estimates are way to high. I would like to see a building plan to see how this is going to be layed out. I do not think we need another annex building as that will only increase security issues. I understand that a band room, art room, and possibly a computer room needs to be added onto the current school. The information in this survey is to vague to make a good decision for this proposal.
Please See comments noted after the elementary school Proposal above.
See below
The addition is fairly new still, we need to look at different options before spending this much money.
The middle school has needed a new gym for a very long time. I think this should be our school district's #1 priority.
This is the newest school in the district. Enrolent has dropped since the middle school was built...someone needs to explain how the proposal for the new middle school passed then when it's considered to small now. Again, treat our tax dollars and state funding like it was coming from your own bank account. If you eagerly sign up for debts and your retirement plans are social security and leaving your children and grand children saddened with debt due to your poor decisions then by all means build new schools and leave our future generations destitute! However, if your a reasonable adult, educated, hard working, and fair minded, putting away your earnings for the future, and act responsibly...then I would like to suggest applying those attributes to the proposals of new school buildings in soda springs. That should bring you to an overall conclusion that this a terrible, extravagant, poorly thought out decision! Maybe I'm looking at this all wrong..if you're willing to go into this type of debt please add my family to your personal bank account or trust fund. We could always help you spend your money!!!
We need a new gym for our junior high the greatest. It is sad when our kids do not have the facilities to be safe. When our kids have activities you feel like you can't invite family to come watch because there is no room for everyone to enjoy the activities that there kids are in. We need to focus on a junior high gym that everyone could you use and benefit from in our community.
a no until some other means besides property tax is used to pay the bill.
make improvements only as/if our county's population grows and brings adequate taxes.
parents with children in this age category should be taxed for expenses.
try at least once more at consolidation with Grace
combine school districts with Grace & Bancroft
if it is a need and not just a want
Just a new gym
No secure entrance
one thing at a time. it is quite an increase in taxes.
Pocatello high school is older than the gym and annex yet it's still being used efficiently and giving a quality education
school is shrinking not expanding
taxes already too high
think we need the new gym. it's really old and cold
This should happen first of all 3!!!

we don't have a great desire to replace the entrance or annex but we know the gym needs replaced.
you have more gyms than necessary
1st Priority
2 gyms are needed if foundation on middle school is sound, remodel it and build another gym
a fixed income
A new gym is the only necessary addition
All three schools districts in the county are facing the same dilemma. This just doesn't make sense!
ask for donations to help bring better teachers that would want to upgrade our quality of students
Before we pay all that money for less and less students, we need to consolidate with Grace and N. Gem. That makes more sense.
Break down of costs. Which is which.
Build a gym
Build and pay for one project before starting the next one.
Classrooms should have been done right the first time
Consolidate
Consolidate
Consolidate
Consolidate Soda, Grace, & Bancroft first
Consolidation
County School
Do this first!
Do we need to add classroom in the annex area just demo the gym
Enrollment is down and we already have gym. What is wrong with Hooper school for extra classrooms?
Every year the district asks for additional funds, because apparently being on a budget does not pertain to the district. These estimates are probably double from what I have seen from past "estimates". I have no children, grand children, or family that live in Soda Springs that utilize the schools. No, No, No. My taxes are high enough
Finish the school before you begin another one!
First Priority
Fixed income - can't afford tax increase
get by with what you have, take care of what you have, Kids counts down
Go back to the Hooper School!
Gym is needed
gym needed
Hire a police officer to move about the 3 schools on a regular basis
I am on retirement fixed income and can't afford anymore
I know the gym is old and has needed repairs for a long time
I would love to see this happen
I'm in favor of consolidation.
joint district
Just because the old people in this county have too much pride doesn't mean the kids need to suffer.
Les and Less people moving to Soda. We need to consolidate with Grace and N. Gem. Would be worth it.
Long over due. i am 50 years old and my mother graduated high school in that gym. promises made?
Maybe
merge save money
My income doesn't go up! 25.00 is a lot to me and NO kids in school!
Need a new gym bad.
need a new gym. city rec center could be built in conjunction
Needed Age related
New Gym - Yes
New seating in gym
No

No more expenses
over due
Overpriced
Population declining. We don't need any of this. Maintain what we have! The school district should be reducing our taxes and using less money as student population goes down, not increasing. Common sense is all but dead nowadays.
Priority #1
Put a teacher at entrance fix the school we have
Reconsider placement of music room. Needs to be closer to stage area. Hauling instruments is difficult and damaging to instruments.
Relocate to sssh building or caribou jr. high
Ridiculous
School board must be like everyone else--live on budget!
secure entrance. see first comment
Secure entrance agree and new gym
Secure entrance yes! Classrooms sure. Gym no!
Secure entry is okay but it should be funded by the tax levy over ride funds.
see back
Should have been done several years ago!
Should have consolidated and taken care of all the schools problems. Each one needs help. The kids would have to get up earlier, but what does that matter. Build at the Y intersection!
State should pay for schools - too many taxes
Student number are dropping and you want to spend money with one school closed. It doesn't make sense.
Taxes already 2 hi
taxes too high
Tell the truth about the cost. If taxes go up, then businesses raise there costs of goods and we the "little people" pool for it. Its not just \$74.32 per \$100K of property that tax payers will be burdened with.
The current TMS gym is a disgrace to the whole community!
The gym needs to be replaced very badly!
The Jr. High Gym is an embarrassment to our community
This should have been done at the time the Jr High was built. Was a breech of promise there
This was already allotted for once.
Very badly needed. Got to be 90 years old. No Bathrooms or seating. Can be used more for community functions, The longer you wait the more it will cost. I am a idow on fixed income.
We should already have a new gym + as tax payers we are already paying for something we don't have. However the old gym needs replaced
Wee need a proposed plan of the gym not blind money
What happens if one of the major industry tax payers goes out of business? Who pays then?
When we built the new school the gym was supposed to be included - too bad someone didn't do their job correctly.
When you go to a basketball game and the gym is hardly 1/2 full. Why do we need more our #'s are down.
Why isn't this broke down, why is it all or nothing.
without the entrance. entrance is adequate now
Would like to be able to vote yes for all, but can't afford taxes as it is.
Yes on gym - NO on all else
You screwed the tax payers when this school was built so boo hoo.Why not open Hooper. If its good enough for Agrium it should work for kids.
The gym should have been built w/ the middle school years ago, but since it was not it is long over-due. A modern gym w/ extra space would be a benefit to the Middle School PE and Extra Curricular activities.

High School Comments

are you out of your mind if we're going to spend money like that let's build a new school and put all three schools in the county in it
Are you people insane? The right solution will become apparent, but not until you acknowledge that kind expenditure is only justified in a growing district. DO IT RIGHT: Define what you are trying to solve, Propose alternate solutions and Competitively bid the solution(s). To do any less than this with tax payer funds would be criminally negligent. FYI: Agrium built a seismic compliant, two story Admin for "LESS THAN HALF" this estimate. The neighboring communities and neighboring States are all Americans too. Great ideas and ingenuity all here on American soil if we'll stop this in-bred decision making and contract awarding. Soda Springs suffers when decisions are made in this incompetent fashion. I agree the HS building needs a high efficiency heating system, so do it. Same goes for seismic bracing and I.T. upgrades. You can do allot with \$5M. That's what I will support. Where can the public (stakeholders) go to see the details of the proposed plan they are being asked to fund?
Build one new high school and combine all of caribou county. With enrolent numbers dropping and 7onso funding being continually cut we do NOT NEED A NEW HIGH SCHOOL! Start thinking of tax payers dollars as your own. Is this how you would spend your own money?? We need to make money smart decisions. When my teenagers can not bring a math or biology book home for extra study because the school district at soda high cannot afford text books for every student..I strongly feel the district should not be asking for money to fund new buildings!! How does this help our children's education!?
Combine with Grace and North Gem. It's time. This is ridiculous.
Enrollment is down and our facilities are just fine.
For all proposals I would rather spend my property taxes on a consolidated school to serve Soda Springs, Grace, and Bancroft than millions to improvements for old buildings.
I am unfamiliar with the high school and the layout. I do not feel I have an educated opinion on this.
I feel that the high school is in perfect working condition. There is no need to build a completely new school. The auditorium could stand to be 7onsolida, and the brown wooden bleachers in the gym could be replaced. As for a complete tear down and rebuild, I feel it is totally unnecessary.
I feel we need a new high school and making improvements at this point will be a waste of money in the future. If it is decided to waste the tax payers money a remodel our current HS then I feel that our current Gym is just fine and does not need improvements. I strongly feel that we need to combine HS with Grace, and Bancroft but I know this has been an issue for years. Wishing the state of Idaho would come in and just make that decision.
I think this needs more explanation. Are you tearing down the old school and gym to build on the same site or will this be used for other purposes? Are you just adding on to the existing infrastructure?
I think we can fix the heat and electrical problems for FAR LESS than \$19 ,000,000! And the supposed problem with 2 levels and earthquakes? Couldn't the current high school be made more safe and usable? Please See further comments noted after the elementary school Proposal above.
I think we would serve our students better by focusing on consolidation with Grace and Bancroft.
I want a combined highscool to be built with Grace and Bancroft
I would rather see my taxes go to building a new high school for consolidation for the Bancroft, Grace and Soda Springs school districts. Our children will have more opportunities if consolidation were to happen. If repairs are needed for our high school, then get them done. We DO NOT need a new high school.
If it was a school for the entire county, I would support it.
Improving a building that needs total replacement does not make sense. I think it would be a waste of our money. Three schools in our area needs replacement and the most cost effective way to do that is to combine them in to one school.
Interested more in consolidation
Is this for a completely new building? I think that there may be better (more cost effective) option. I went to high school in a building almost 100 years old. Surely the existing building can be updated as needed, instead of spending all

the money for a new building.
Keep up maintenance, remodel the auditorium, even new buildings have to be maintained. Some say we need new buildings to lure new students. Why not lure them by going back to 5 days a week school, like Preston did. Isn't it about education, not new buildings. Our community is an aging community the average age continues to rise, they do not need raised taxes on their fixed incomes. I have heard that we cannot take pride in our old buildings. Why not? Can't we take pride in maintaining and being wise stewards of a building that is 50 years old? Do we have to go into more debt and raise taxes to have pride, I think not. The status symbol of choice should be the best education offered in the state of Idaho, not a new building.
Land and business owners will be paying an unfair amount. There should be a cap on the amount of taxation. Even if they are worth a large amount of money doesn't mean they will have the extra income to cover the new bill they will receive. Consolidation needs to be discussed first!
Really need secure entrances into schools
Since the Soda School district has went to 4 day school week the supplemental levy has doubled. The 4 day school week was predicated on only about \$50k/yr in savings. Yet in this time with a doubled levy there appears no interest in \$50k to focus back on what matters; educating our children. I will pay double or triple my property taxes for a quality education. Sadly that does not seem to be the motive for any of the proposals, therefore I will not support any bonding, especially for a gym. This town is atrophying and more new area employees are living elsewhere, education is a dominating causal factor in those decisions. As fewer people live here, the town contracts making it even less appealing; this is a downward spiral which will lead to decreasing enrollment. Should these proposals advance I will likely may my points public and actively campaign against these bonds. Get us back to 5 days a week and focus on educational performance and I'll lobby publicly for support of these bonds.
The high school is in better shape then the Middle school gym and does not need an up-grade at this time. I went to school there and there are less kids there now then before and they also have an elevator so no need for the single level school.
Secure entrance would be great but the other is too much at this time. The other school need the attention first.
The only way I will support any money being given to build a high school is if it is a high school for the county. I think building three different high schools in 8onsolid, grace and soda springs is ridiculous.
This proposed plan will increase our taxes to double what we pay now. How can this county think this is a good idea. Who can afford this? We can't.....
UNIFY!!!!
We need to consolidate first. Then talk about new buildings. There needs to be a limit on what land owners will be taxed. It is unfairly over taxing them.
A no until some other means besides property tax is used to pay the bill.
Combine school districts with Grace & Bancroft
We are already burdened with a sewer bond and a 35% increase in city fees. We can't afford another tax. Fixed income indivudals don't get a raise
All 3 of these are desperately needed for our students.
Build a new high school for soda springs, grace and 8onsolid combined. Use savings from a reduction in total costs to pay for the new school.
Everything but the gym
Except the gym. We have a new one already. Upgrades would be ok.
I would hope that the current gym remain for an extra practice facility
I would like to see the county schools consolidated before building a new high school.
JOBS!!! Better teachers Better standing Where parents want their children to go to school here
no secure entrance
Not justified due to declining enrollment
parents with children in this age category should be taxed for expenses.
Population in decline, too expensive!
Population in decline, too expensive!
Save this money for new school when people realize we should combine the school district
school is shrinking not expanding
tax increase would be guaranteed

taxes too high
There's not enough kids to justify it
this is fine but I would prefer combining with other high school in the area and building a new one.
Try at least once more at consolidation with Grace
We need to combine school districts and then build a new high school for everyone so we can open up more opportunities for our kids.
Why a new gym? What about upgrades to existing?
Why not consolidate, using the millions it would take to build 3 high schools and build one nice one. Would save you're all crazy! No and hell no
\$20 million for a community the size of caribou county is 9onsolidat and irresponsible.
2 nd Priority
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Absolutely Not! We need to look at repairing the existing school!
Allow more time for seeking possible better options
As a senior, our income never changes, but thy always find more things to have us pay on. Our income is already well used up. It is hard. Why do we just need all on one floor?
Before spending money to construct a new school in current location, we should seriously consider the possibility that schools in Caribou County may combine their school districts in the future. If that occurs, the need of location of the new high school will be difficult
Before we pay all this money for a small student base, we need to consolidate with Grace & N. Gem – makes sense.
Build a decent gym this time
Build a gym
Build a new school
But keep the old gym as a 9onsolid gym so all teams have a place to practice.
Cannot afford it!
Can't afford this. In 10 years, see what the high school population is and look at it again.
Cant 9onsol eney more
Caribou High School
come on! These kids don't need a glass palace like century. Focus on getting the soft skills up.
Consolidate
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Consolidate
Consolidate
Consolidate – look at Bear Lake School Dist #33!
Consolidate and build one school. It would make more sense.
Consolidate Soda, Grace, & Bancroft first
Consolidate!
Consolidate?
Consolidation
County Consolidation
County School
decreasing enrollment still life in the building
Definitely Not!
Do repairs and keep it up.
9onso need a new high school
Each year the number of students drop. Why do they need more rooms.bigger school isn't going to bring new people to the community.
Enrollment is down why do we need a new gym and auditorium.
Far too expensive. County should consolidate schools!
Find more reasonable estimates
Fixed income – can't afford tax increase

Gym- Yes
HS needs attention since the community spends time there a lot for activities.
I am on retirement fixed income and can't afford anymore
I don't understand why you shutdown Hooper School and then need to add on to other schools. Does not make a lot of since.
I think the high schools should all combine and we should only build one new high school.
I think this is actually the most important building, but we should consolidate and NOT build 3 new schools in Caribou County.
I think we need a new high school, but need to continue to push for consolidation.
I think we should consolidate and build a new school at the Y
I would be in favor of this if we were combining with the county school districts who are all slowly declining enrollment. As it is I can't see the wisdom in all three districts operating individually.
I would go for a new high school if there was a chance of a consolidation between Grace, Soda, and Bancroft. Have we given up on that?
I would prefer a county high school consolidation and then update middle and elementary schools.
I would rather see you educate than recreate. Maybe a banker and a large farmer who knows money management might serve on the board
If all three are taken on, I would then not support any of those
if it is a need and not just a want
IF Thirkill and Tigert are implemented, the incremental cost of the high school would be too much.
I'm in favor of consolidation.
Joint district
Let's go for the first 2 and wait on the HS. I understand it has at least 10 years life left. We just as well use it up.
Lets take one thing at a time
Make 1 high school for all three communities: Grace, Bancroft, Soda.
Merge save money
No
No – one will vote for this plan
No more expenses
No urgent need! Future increase in students is small! No! No! No! Listen to Wayne Tufts please!
Now is not the time to be building schools. Money is very tight. Is not the time for new schools.
One at a time!
Only secure entrance
Other ideas needed. Additions and changes to what we have. We are now a small A-2. Way Soda is going we'll be smaller yet. To many people on small fixed incomes. \$\$\$
Plus I am happy to support new additions even schools when this county consolidates. It will happen.
Predicated on how many years? I'm all in for 10!
Priority #2
Put a teacher at entrance fix the school we have
Really – people don't want to move here now! They drive from Pocky rather than move here. People don't want to live here so lets raise taxes that will help.
Ridiculous
Same age as building
secure 10onsolid. see first comment
Secure entrance Great! New Gym & Auditorium NO!
Secure Entrance Yes
Secure entry is okay but it should be funded by the tax levy over ride funds.
See back
State should pay for schools – too many taxes
Tax Toilet Paper more! Everyone buys it!

Taxes already 2 hi
The approximate needs to identify TAXABLE value more clearly. Many people won't read beyond the colored squared. (x2 there's 2 adults in this household).
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The condition of the HS is terrible. We need a new building.
The gym is not 1/2 full at a Bgame. We don't warrant a new building
There is not enough kids in school to warrant extravagance
They need to consolidate with Grace and Bancroft
this proposal is ridiculous!
This school has been large enough for enrollment for many years – cant we just repair and up keep what we have!
Time is now the need is now and construction costs will just get higher later
Time to 11onsolidate Grace, Bancroft and Soda
Totally against rebuilding any schools in Soda when we should consider consolidation! Makes more sense.
Try other options to meet high school neds
Try to get everyone together – build new schoo at the Y
Until further information is gather and also the ever pending consolidation
Until the powers to be overcome their petty reasons for not consolidating the 3 schools districts within 20 miles and put all this money into building a state of the art facility that will better educate our students to enter this ever changing technical world, upgrade our sports and other elective programs.
We have less students in Soda than when I went in the 70's. Its a good building and has had updates through the yrs.
We need to consolidate with Grace and Bannock. Then we will support a new high school.
We need to get over our pride and consolidate. We owe our kids the best education possible, not a half ass one with 3 new high schools in one county. NOT NEEDED
What are other options. Costs for updates, etc.
What is the cost of upgrading? You are asking for a replacement. I can't give it a yest without understanding the alternative.
What's wrong with the gym and auditorium?
Why build something new when population keeps declining? Just upgrade like was done o Poky High. If it worked for them; why not us?
Why isn't this broke down, why is it all or nothing.
Why single level , people too fat to climb stairs? Multi level is more secure less egress points also makes more ground available for other purposes.
Why wait! This is needed and costs will only go up!!
Would consider if all school districts in Caribou County consolidate
Would like to be able to vote yes for all, but can't afford taxes as it is.
Would support if county consolidated schools.
Yes – After Consolidation
You all must think everyone is as rich as Monsanto big wigs Why not open Hooper. If its good enough for Agrium it should work for kids.
You should have let Buck Knife Factory come to town for more tax revenue
Now the high school...recently there was a power bump that burned up the motor to the air handler. School was dismissed and parts ordered to fix the problem...the motor was, from my understanding the original or one from the 60's. At any rate the air handler was not working, heat was turned on and the thermostats were not regulating temps. The rooms were unbearably hot and certainly not conducive to a learning environment, but we pushed on. This is just one example of a myriad of problems just waiting to happen. As patrons do we continue to pay for band-aids to fix these problems in a building with a "10 years of useful life" label? Or do we invest millions to try and address the "big problems" only to be in the safe position 10-15 years from now? My family will choose to invest in the children and try to provide the best learning environment we can. That is why we vote yes to all three proposals!