

# Memo

**To:** Board of Trustees  
**From:** Rob Sauer  
**Date:** 9/4/2025  
**Re:** Superintendents Board Report

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## Updates

- We are off to a fantastic start this school year! The staff and students have worked hard to make sure we are on the right track as we begin another great year for the Homedale School District.
- State Budget Updates – Governor Little has imposed a 3% budget holdback, a midyear spending cut, across most of state government. K-12 was exempt from the holdback. The cuts are meant to try and cover a projected nearly \$80 million budget deficit. State agencies are required to submit a budget request to the Governor's office by September 1<sup>st</sup> for the upcoming legislative session. The Governor has asked for only maintenance budgets, with no new spending requests. In spite of the that, The State Department of Education is requesting \$50 million to help fill the special education funding gap. This is a long shot, but an important request nonetheless.