

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
Independent School District No. 750
Cold Spring, Minnesota
April 14, 2025

The regular meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 750 was called to order by Chair Bohnsack at the ROCORI District Office Boardroom at 5:30 pm.

Board Members present: Jenna Kollar, Kayla Nierenhausen, Jennifer Bohnsack, Matt Thompson, Robin Vettleson

Board Members absent: Lynn Schurman

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A motion by Matt Thompson to approve the agenda. Seconded by Kayla Nierenhausen. The motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Jennifer Bohnsack to approve the consent agenda with the addition of: Resignation of Amy Krohn – Kid Care Site Supervisor and the hire of Nicholas Keppler – Boys Head Hockey Coach. Seconded by Matt Thompson. The motion carries unanimously.

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the Regular Board Meeting and the School Board Work Session held on March 24, 2025. Recommend approval of the minutes from the meeting.

B. EMPLOYMENT

Recommend approval of the assignment as outlined.

- a. Richmond Elementary and John Clark Elementary Speech and Language Pathology Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Theresa Ziebarth-Moritz.
- b. ROCORI Middle School Special Education teacher - Carrie LaCasse. Carrie will be transitioning from a paraprofessional to a special education teacher for the 25-26 school year.
- c. ROCORI Middle School Agriculture Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Nicole Luhr.
- d. Cold Spring Elementary Summer Spartan Spot Childcare Assistant - Kendall Eggert
- e. Cold Spring Elementary Summer Spartan Spot Childcare Assistant - Addison Hansen
- f. Cold Spring Elementary Summer Spartan Spot Childcare Assistant - Mason Schmitt
- g. Cold Spring Elementary Spartan Spot Childcare Assistant - Abigail Stewart
- h. ROCORI Secondary School Business Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Connor Schoborg
- i. Cold Spring Elementary Special Education Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Sonja Annis
- j. ROCORI Middle School Math Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Mia Fiedler
- k. ROCORI Middle School EL Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Randi Branson
- l. ROCORI High School English Teacher for the 25-26 School Year - Jon Koenig
- m. ROCORI High School Long Term Substitute Choir Teacher - Katrina Andrusick
- n. ROCORI Activities Head Boys Hockey Coach (River Lakes) – Nicholas Keppler

C. LEAVE OF ABSENCE REQUEST

- a. ROCORI Secondary School Choir Teacher - Kimberly Morford. Requesting leave from March 27-May 30, 2025 with an expected return date of the first day of the 25-26 contract.
- b. John Clark Elementary Paraprofessional, Grant Johnson, is requesting leave from April 14-May 5th.

D. RETIREMENTS-RESIGNATIONS

Recommend approval of the following resignations and/or retirements.

- a. ROCORI Secondary School custodian - Judas Huffman. Resignation effective March 27, 2025.
- b. ROCORI Kid Care Site Supervisor - Amy Krohn. Resignation effective April 25, 2025.

E. RETIRED-REHIRED CONTRACTS

The following contract is being presented for a retire-rehire teacher for the 2025-2026 school year.

- a. ROCORI Secondary School Teacher for the 25-26 school year - Dave Hinkemeyer

Director of Facilities and Grounds, Brent Neisinger, gave an update on summer projects.

A motion by Jennifer Bohnsack to approve policy 203.2. Seconded by Robin Vettleson. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Jennifer Bohnsack to approve the retirement of Gary Distel. Seconded by Matt Thompson. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Jennifer Bohnsack to approve calendar #2A for the 2025-2026 school year. Seconded by Matt Thompson. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Kayla Nierenhausen to approve the commercial lease agreement between ROCORI and Stone 3000 for CTE classroom space. Seconded by Robin Vettleson. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Matt Thompson to approve the copier proposal with Marco. Seconded by Kayla Nierenhausen. Motion carries with Jennifer Bohnsack abstaining from the vote.

A motion by Jennifer Bohnsack to approve the HVAC project change order. Seconded by Matt Thompson. Motion carries unanimously.

The board provided the March 24th closed session summary regarding the non-renewal of a probationary teacher.

Superintendent Kevin Enerson provided an update on the district.

Chair Bohnsack called for comments and requests from visitors.

Upcoming events and activities on the school calendar were reviewed.

The regular meeting adjourned at 6:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Jenna Kollar, Clerk