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BOARD REPORT 03/19/2024

Board Members:

Stephanie Thompson:

I participated in various online meetings and events related to education:

- NM ECECD Tribal Communication Meeting
- Navajo Nation School Leadership Meeting
- Northern NM STEAM Coalition Meeting
- Meeting with Mekka Smith from US Dept of Ed STEM Focus
- NIEA Virtual Listening Session
- NM EPSCOR CIRCLES Alliance Meeting
- PED Re-Envisioning Math Pathways Listening Session
- Quality New Mexico Excellence in Learning Committee Meeting
- Reading Across America at Apache Elementary
- Virtual Webinar on 2024 Policy Priorities in Rural Education
- NMPED MSAC Quarterly Meeting
- BIE Strategic Direction 2024-2029 Tribal Consultation

Andra Stradling-Secretary:

Attended NMSBA Legislative Conference in Santa Fe

Stayed in contact with Senators and Representatives during the Legislative session Attended FMS February School Board Work Session and Board Meeting, completed the Superintendent Evaluation

Attended IGNITE Tutoring and Reading Showcase in Durango, CO, Sunnyside Elementary Attended Country Club Elementary Animal Project

Attended Farmington/Piedra Vista Wrestling Tournament in Bloomfield

Attended a 2024 Legislative Report from Local Senators and Representatives

Lisa Maxwell - Q4 2023 to Q1 2024:

Attended the NMSBA 2024 Board Member Institute Annual Conference in Albuquerque. Completed the NMSBA "How To Be A Better Board Member".

Met with and accompanied Apache Elementary in recognition of their award from PED for their excellence efforts for the Bilingual Multicultural Education Program (BMEP) Recognition Award 2024.

Completed the State of NM Legislative Education Study Committee (LESC) Annual Report to the Second Session of the Fifty-Sixth Legislature - January 2024.

Attended the NSBA Legislative Conference in Santa Fe.

Cody Diehl – Superintendent

Safety and Security	 Attended drills and met with administrators / continued with training new administrators 				
	Started unannounced emergency drills at schools and finished addressing Fire				
	Marshal reports at Elementary Schools				
	 Interviewed and selected for Armed Campus Safety Monitor Conducted AVERT classes with Apache and Esperanza 				
	Attended State School Security meeting in Albuquerque				
	 Met with SJC Dispatch and the Farmington Police Department on implementing the Handle With Care program 				
	Finished evaluation period for one of the two vendors on vape sensors				
	Conducted reunification training for the San Juan County Safe Schools group				
	 Received quotes for window film and fencing upgrades (start of grant process) 				
Public Relations	PR continues to celebrate school events and other happenings. In February we highlighted the following: • 2024 District Science and Engineer Fair • Math and Science at McCormick ES • Math at Mesa View's 6th Grade Class • Heights MS Advanced Band touring elementaries • Aerial Drone competition at FHS • Events and classroom happenings at the Preschool Academy, McKinley ES, FHS, CATE Center, • Piedra Vista's Finding Nemo				
	We also promoted: • Black History Month				
	National School Counseling Week				
	FMS College Fair				
	FMS Community Needs Assessment Survey				

	 Native American STEM Festival Mental Health Webinars, a partnership between FMS and Daybreak Health Spring Meals for families during Spring Break Board of Education meeting
Equity Council	 District Equity Council meeting on March 7th- Dr. Garrity provided copies of <u>The Yazzie Case</u>: Building a Public Education System for Our Indigenous Future for each Equity Council member. We will learn more about this case and use it as an anchor text to center our conversations around student outcomes. We continue to elevate student voice through our four Student Equity Councils and look forward to more schools leaning into this work next school year.
Athletics and Activities	 PVHS is still trying to fill its football schedule. We may have to look at doing something out of the norm and schedule a game outside that is a long-distance game. FHS Girls & Boys Basketball have made the state tournament. Girls are #3 and boys are #14. FHS & PVHS baseball fields are scheduled to be completed this week. We are working with a general contractor to begin installation of lights at PV soccer fields, as well as installing bleachers at the PV football field.
Other	 Will attend the NMASBO Spring Budget Workshop 3/20-3/22 3rd Quarter Principal reviews will take place the week of 3/25 We continue to refine the process for monitoring the leading indicators of HRS. It is a work in progress, but powerful collaborative discussions with school leaders are happening. Looking forward to presentations on leading indicators 1.8 and 4.2

Nate Pierantoni- Support Services

Nursing and Mental Health	 Daybreak is going well. Mental Health Services for families/students/employees. Roberto has shared info via email and social media. This will occur monthly until May. (8 classes). Meeting with the County Support Services Director and all other schools in the County March 8. The hope is that the County will pay for Daybreak services next year including telehealth services. Need a resource SW for the district. Position posted PV Social Worker retiring. Position Posted. In the middle of doing observations at all schools for Nursing Evaluations. Working on obtaining epinephrine Working on yearly school site inspections with consulting pharmacist.
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 Reviewing Erin's law and resources to decide a direction Updating protocol for death notification • Working on new protocol for medication inventory in the charting system • Reviewing school safety plans (Nursing and Mental Health portions) • The second grade sweep is finished. We continue to see a slight **Exceptional Programs Office** downward trend in the number of students who meet criteria for gifted eligibility. • Christa Kulidge and Laura Huish attended the state special education director's winter academy and attended sessions on gifted, CYFD, PRO and other agencies. Much was learned. We hope you enjoyed the Project SEARCH presentation during the work session and look forward to seeing you all at graduation • The EPO facilitators have partnered with Kara Lund to work with teachers in integrating proficiency scales into IEP goals. Amazing work! Christa has been asked by the OSE (Office of Special Education) to serve on a task force designed to address the needs of students with disabilities in the various regions of New Mexico. Korth Ellsworth hired as EPO director effective 7.1.24 **Multicultural Office** • Thursday, February 8, 2024-The Native American Programs facilitated the continuation of Topic & scales work with the Navajo Bilingual teachers at Central Offices. Monday, February 12, 2024-Attended the Community School Site-based meeting with Animas School. Topic: Asset Inventory. Friday, February 16, 2024-Dr. Garrity traveled to the Crownpoint BIA office to obtain the original Impact Aid source check forms and discuss future collaborations. • Monday, February 19, 2024- Although it was a holiday, the Indian Education Committee met with Dr. Garrity to discuss the Education plan priorities and plan for the upcoming NNJOM grant year. • Tuesday, February 20, 2024 - Native American Programs facilitated an accounting course for District financial managers. • Wednesday, February 21, 2024-Participated in the Navajo Nation Leadership virtual meeting. Thursday, February 22, 2024-Dr. Garrity met with Dr. Sage, NTU faculty to discuss potential Navajo Language & Culture Masters and PhD program offering here at the district. Monday, February 26, 2024 - State Seal of Bilingualism and Biliteracy with **PVHS** • Thursday, February 29, 2024 - Farmington Municipal Schools hosted the Navajo Nation State Seal of Bilingualism and Biliteracy testers as they

assessed students in our region.

- Thursday, February 29, 2024-Dr. Garrity attended the NM STEM Advisory Circle virtually.
- Friday, February 29, 2024 Native American Book Fair and Schools Supplies Event occurred at Central Offices.
- Tuesday, March 5, 2024 Diane Arrington met with the FHS credit recovery team to discuss credit recovery for ELs.
- Wednesday, March 6, 2024 Marzano's Lindsey Troutman met with the FHS ELD Scales and Topics team to begin working on ELD updates to curriculum.
- Wednesday, March 6, 2024 Indian Education Meeting (IEC) Special Meeting was held to obtain funding for VEX Field Trip.
- Thursday, March 7, 2024 Diane Arrington met with the SJC Herencia Latina Center Advisory Committee.
- Thursday, March 7, 2024-Title VI part I grant application was submitted.
 Title VI part II will open in April.
- Friday, March 8, 2024 ACCESS annual English Proficiency assessment window closes. An MCO team has been administering the ACCESS daily since January 16, 2024.
- Friday, March 8, 2024-Native American Program hosted the Google sheets training with an onsite facilitator.
- Monday, March 18, 2024 The Navajo Nation Oral Navajo Language & Culture (ONLC) state Assessment window opens.
- Tuesday, March 19, 2024 District Diné Spelling Bee
- Tuesday, March 19, 2024 Jessica Shay (district EL Facilitator) and Diane Arrington met with FHS to assist with the 2024-2025 scheduling of EL and Bilingual Multicultural Education students.

Bobbi Newland - Chief Financial Officer:

The Spring Budget conference will be held in Albuquerque March 20-22. The district should learn the unit value for the 24/25 SEG, the indirect cost rate and other information for the 24/25 budget.

The 120-day student count occurred on 2/14/24. This and the 80-day student count have not yet been certified but the initial counts show a decline in enrollment that will decrease SEG funding for 24/25.