Admin Reports to the Board March 2025

Kyle Luedtke Superintendent	 CGI Group is producing a video series for Polk County to promote living in and visiting Polk County. Each school district has been approached about having a video prepared for the website. The cost for the video production ranges from \$8,000 to \$13,000. I am going to discuss this further with the other superintendents and will bring back more information if this seems viable for Frederic. At the March 7 in-service our new school nurse, Adriana Addison, updated the entire teaching staff on health procedures including diabetes. We recently have had 2 students diagnosed with diabetes making these trainings essential. On Tuesday, March 25 I will be participating in a Housing and Talent Attraction Seminar in Siren. This forum will focus on Burnett County. The discussion will focus on discussing efforts to address both issues.
Megan Challoner Elementary Principal	 Our students had a fantastic time celebrating Read Across America with surprise guest readers in their classrooms throughout the week! Volunteers shared their love of reading, making the event truly special. The biggest surprise? An inflatable unicorn reader—who turned out to be Ms. Challoner in disguise! Students also kicked off Phy Ed classes with a reading focus and celebrated Dr. Seuss's birthday with green eggs and ham at lunch. Fifth graders teamed up with 4K students for storytime. Fun dress-up days and birthday cupcakes made the celebration even sweeter! But the best part was having the Cat in the Hat visit all of the classrooms. Frederic Elementary hosted the 2nd and 3rd grade music concert on February 27th, themed "Frederic Rock Movies," as chosen by the students. The program featured music and dance from classic films like The Breakfast Club, Ghostbusters, The Lion King, Pirates of the Caribbean, and more. Students showcased xylophone playing, singing, dancing, bucket drumming, and funny skits. The audience enjoyed joining in on beloved songs. The story was compiled and directed by Lisa Mattson, who came as Queen Elsa for the occasion. At the March 7th inservice and during the instructional following week, I was able to conduct one-on-one check ins with all instructional staff on their Student Learning Objectives and Personal Practice goals progress thus far. We made modifications as needed and teachers are all well on their way to accomplishing their goals. We also participated in mid-cycle data chats for students who are making progress or need additional support within our response to intervention system. Summer School Sign-up is underway
Erin Hansford 6-12 Principal	 The Human Growth and Development Advisory Committee met on March 4th. The District HGD Standards and HGD Family Handbook are being finalized and will be brought to the April board meeting for approval. 25-26 teaching assignments and master schedules are being finalized at this time as well. Grade level and content teams will be meeting this spring to organize the many procedures involved in each schedule. Curriculum resources and consumable reorders are being requested for the 25-26 school year. Options to renew licenses with Fastbridge or transition 4K-8