

Special School Board Meeting

Tuesday, November 12, 2024 5:30 PM

Conference Room 1148 MS/HS, 1401 7th St SW, Pipestone, MN 56164

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance**
3. **Approval of Agenda**
4. **Resolution Canvassing Returns of Votes of School District General Election**
5. **Resolution Authorizing Issuance of Certificates of Election and Directing School District Clerk to Perform Other Election Related Duties**
6. **CLOSED SESSION for Preliminary Consideration of Allegations Against an Individual Subject to the Board's Authority Pursuant to Minnesota Statute §13D.05**
7. **Possible Open Session, Following Closed Session, for Board Action**
8. **Adjourn**

Abstract of Votes Cast
Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA)
State of Minnesota
at the State General Election
Held Tuesday, November 5, 2024

Compiled from the Official Returns.

Summary of Totals
Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA)
Tuesday, November 5, 2024 State General Election

KEY TO PARTY ABBREVIATIONS

NP - Nonpartisan

School Board Member (ISD #2689) (Elect 4)

NP
Tyler Fruechte
2411

NP
Christina DeBates
2270

NP
Tami Taubert
2521

NP
Katie Wiese
2423

WI
WRITE-IN
430

Detail of Election Results
Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA)
Tuesday, November 5, 2024 State General Election

Office Title: School Board Member (ISD #2689) (Elect 4)

Precinct	NP Tyler Fruechte	NP Christina DeBates	NP Tami Taubert	NP Katie Wiese	WI WRITE-IN
51 0020 : CAMERON TWP	0	0	0	0	0
51 0025 : CHANARAMBIE TWP	9	9	9	11	0
59 0010 : ALTONA TWP.	44	42	39	36	9
59 0015 : BURKE TWP.	34	23	29	31	6
59 0020 : EDEN TWP.	110	116	113	95	10
59 0030 : ELMER TWP.	46	44	44	42	2
59 0035 : FOUNTAIN PRAIRIE TWP.	66	57	63	62	2
59 0040 : GRANGE TWP.	94	79	87	68	19
59 0045 : GRAY TWP.	110	94	93	95	23
59 0050 : HATFIELD	17	16	13	17	1
59 0055 : HOLLAND	59	61	69	66	11
59 0060 : IHLEN	18	19	22	18	0
59 0065 : JASPER	134	157	143	148	10
59 0075 : PIPESTONE PRECINCT 1	512	470	566	540	105
59 0080 : PIPESTONE PRECINCT 2	659	620	772	714	193
59 0100 : ROCK TWP.	38	35	32	39	2
59 0110 : SWEET TWP.	154	125	138	148	16
59 0115 : TROSKY	34	33	34	32	1
59 0120 : TROY TWP.	122	106	109	118	6
59 0125 : WOODSTOCK	32	28	28	31	7
67 0025 : DENVER TWP	6	7	5	5	0
67 0040 : JASPER	15	18	17	16	1
67 0100 : ROSE DELL TWP	62	70	61	57	6
67 0105 : SPRINGWATER TWP	36	41	35	34	0
Total:	2411	2270	2521	2423	430

We, the school board members of Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA), certify that we have canvassed the returns of the State General Election held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 and have herein specified the names of any candidates receiving votes and the number of votes received by each candidate, and have herein specified the number of votes for and against any ballot questions voted on in this election.

As appears by the returns of the election precincts voting in this election, duly returned to, filed, opened, and canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the clerk of Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA).

Witness our official signature at _____ in _____ County this _____ day of _____, 2024.

School Board Member

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School Board Member

State of Minnesota
Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA)

I, _____, Clerk of the Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA) do hereby certify the within and foregoing
_____ pages to be a full and correct copy of the original abstract and return of the votes cast in the Independent School District No. 2689 (PIPESTONE AREA)
State General Election held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024.

Witness my hand and official seal of office this _____ day of _____, 2024.

RESOLUTION CANVASSING RETURNS
OF VOTES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, Pipestone Area Schools as follows:

1. It is hereby found, determined and declared that the general election of the voters of the district held on November 5, 2024, was in all respects duly and legally called and held.

2. As specified in the attached Abstract and Return of Votes Cast, voters of the district voted at said election on the election of (four) 4 school board members for four-year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the general election as follows:

Tyler Fruechte 2,411

Christina DeBates 2,270

Tami Taubert 2,521

Katie Wiese 2,423

3. Tyler Fruechte, Christina DeBates, Tami Taubert, and Katie Wiese, having received the highest number of votes, are elected to four year terms beginning the first Monday in January, 2025.

4. The school district clerk is hereby authorized to certify the results of the election to the county auditor of each county in which the school district is located in whole or in part.

(Attach Abstract and Return of Votes Cast)

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES
OF ELECTION AND DIRECTING SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK
TO PERFORM OTHER ELECTION RELATED DUTIES

WHEREAS, the board has canvassed the general election for school board members held on November 5, 2024.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, Pipestone Area Schools, State of Minnesota, as follows:

1. The chair and clerk are hereby authorized to execute certificates of election on behalf of the school board of Independent School District No. 2689 to the following candidates:

- a. Tyler Fruechte
- b. Christina DeBates
- c. Tami Taubert
- d. Katie Wiese

who have received a sufficiently large number of votes to be elected to fill vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election, based on the results of the canvass.

2. The certificate of election shall be in substantially the form attached hereto.

3. After the time for contesting the election has passed and the candidate has filed all campaign financial reports required by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 211A, the clerk of the school board is hereby directed to deliver the certificates to the persons entitled thereto personally or by certified mail.

4. The clerk is hereby directed to enclose with the certificate a form of acceptance of office and oath of office in substantially the form attached hereto.

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE
AND OATH OF OFFICE

To: Tyler Fruechte

The following acceptance and oath of office must be filed with the school district clerk within 30 days of the date of mailing or personal service of the certificate of election.

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

I hereby accept the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Tyler Fruechte.

Notary Public

OATH OF OFFICE

I swear/affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of this state, and that I will discharge faithfully the duties of the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 to the best of my judgment and ability.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Tyler Fruechte.

Notary Public

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE
AND OATH OF OFFICE

To: Christina DeBates

The following acceptance and oath of office must be filed with the school district clerk within 30 days of the date of mailing or personal service of the certificate of election.

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

I hereby accept the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Christina DeBates.

Notary Public

OATH OF OFFICE

I swear/affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of this state, and that I will discharge faithfully the duties of the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 to the best of my judgment and ability.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Christina DeBates.

Notary Public

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE
AND OATH OF OFFICE

To: Tami Taubert

The following acceptance and oath of office must be filed with the school district clerk within 30 days of the date of mailing or personal service of the certificate of election.

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

I hereby accept the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Tami Taubert.

Notary Public

OATH OF OFFICE

I swear/affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of this state, and that I will discharge faithfully the duties of the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 to the best of my judgment and ability.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Tami Taubert.

Notary Public

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE
AND OATH OF OFFICE

To: Katie Wiese

The following acceptance and oath of office must be filed with the school district clerk within 30 days of the date of mailing or personal service of the certificate of election.

ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

I hereby accept the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Katie Wiese.

Notary Public

OATH OF OFFICE

I swear/affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of this state, and that I will discharge faithfully the duties of the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 to the best of my judgment and ability.

Date: _____

Signature

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)
COUNTY OF PIPESTONE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of November, 2024 by Katie Wiese.

Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION
(Full 4 Year Term)

This is to certify as follows:

1. The School Board of Independent School District No. 2689 on November 12, 2024 canvassed the general election of school board members held on November 5, 2024.

2. Christina DeBates received the fourth largest number of votes cast for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term.

3. There are four (4) full four-year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election.

4. Therefore Christina DeBates is elected to the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

By authority of the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, pursuant to resolution dated November 12, 2024.

Dated: _____

Chair

Dated: _____

Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION
(Full 4 Year Term)

This is to certify as follows:

1. The School Board of Independent School District No. 2689 on November 12, 2024 canvassed the general election of school board members held on November 5, 2024.

2. Tyler Fruechte received the third largest number of votes cast for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term.

3. There are four (4) full four-year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election.

4. Therefore Tyler Fruechte is elected to the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

By authority of the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, pursuant to resolution dated November 12, 2024.

Dated: _____

Chair

Dated: _____

Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION
(Full 4 Year Term)

This is to certify as follows:

1. The School Board of Independent School District No. 2689 on November 12, 2024 canvassed the general election of school board members held on November 5, 2024.

2. Tami Taubert received the largest number of votes cast for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term.

3. There are four (4) full four-year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election.

4. Therefore Tami Taubert is elected to the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

By authority of the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, pursuant to resolution dated November 12, 2024.

Dated: _____

Chair

Dated: _____

Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION
(Full 4 Year Term)

This is to certify as follows:

1. The School Board of Independent School District No. 2689 on November 12, 2024 canvassed the general election of school board members held on November 5, 2024.

2. Katie Wiese received the second largest number of votes cast for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term.

3. There are four (4) full four-year term vacancies on the board caused by expiration of term on the first Monday in January next following the election.

4. Therefore Katie Wiese is elected to the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2689 for a full four-year term beginning the first Monday in January, 2025 and expiring the first Monday in January, 2029.

By authority of the School Board of Independent School District No. 2689, pursuant to resolution dated November 12, 2024.

Dated: _____

Chair

Dated: _____

Clerk

