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North Prairie Township would like to inform all landowners, farmers, and residents that we have been informed by NDIRF that the road right of way (33.5 feet on each side of the road) must be kept clear of all obstructions. This includes crops, hay bales, machinery, trees, ect.

Board of Supervisors
North Prairie Township
4/30-5/21/2026



VELVA PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2026 7:30 AM MEETING ROOM - VELVA PUBLIC SCHOOL

The regular meeting of the Velva Public School board was held Monday April 13, 2026 at 7:30am. President Selzler called the meeting to order at 7:30am.

Present were Lance Selzler, Melissa Haskins, Robert Kasowski, Tonya Harden, Monty Mayer, Skyler Helseth, Kendra Colby, Mikhaila Niess, Pavyn Peterson, Mrs. Braaten, Mrs. Mogen, Ms. Dockter, Kate Beudrie and Braleigh Anhorn.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

There was a motion to approve the agenda by Haskins with a 2nd from Colby. Motion carried.

FBLA national qualifiers were recognized and will move on to San Antonio, TX. Braleigh Anhorn presented her 1st place business plan about "Greenwashing" to the board.

Pavyn Peterson and Kate Beaudrie-presented "their" 2nd place sales presentation product to the board.

Amarie Yellow Hammer took 2nd Cybersecurity and the team composed of Mason Kraft and Reese Steffen took 2nd place in financial planning.

The Boys Basketball team ended the season with a 3rd place district finish and a 4th place finish at the regional tournament. Mason Kraft, Reese Steffen, and Cooper Kittelson were named to the All-District team and Reese Steffen was named to the All Region team.

Notable academic achievements this month include All State Music in March, where Hailee Cree was selected. Also, both 7-9 and 10-12 Science Olympiad teams qualified to compete in Fargo for the state competition.

There was a motion to approve the Consent Agenda by Kasowski with a

2nd by Harden. Motion carried. Agenda to include the March regular meeting minutes, tuition agreements, teacher letters, and administrative reports. The March bills and reports were approved to include the following funds:

General- #31786-31815 \$130,318.97
ACH #'s 227801507-09&1516-1520 \$107,583.34. Payroll: check #'s 133988-997 \$5425.02 ACH #'s \$227801506, 801511-1515 \$141,071.15. DD#'s \$ VOID #229620005-20010. SL: ACH #'s 16,17 \$13,976.53 Check #'s 9224-9230 \$3,880.76. ACT: Check #s 31607-31942 \$22,992.36.


The board designated the precinct and polling location and time for June 9th from 11am-7pm at Velva Public Schools. Kasowski made a motion to accept the location and time of the voting with a 2nd from Haskins. .

New teacher hires were discussed and approved with a motion from Haskins motion carried with a vote from Harden.

Colby made a motion to accept the new drivers ed fee at \$175 with a 2nd from Kasowski.

The boys locker room remodel was approved with a motion from Harden carried by Haskins.

The next meeting will be Monday May 13, at 7:30am at Velva Public Schools. 5/21/2026

ANNUAL MEETING IN MADDOCK, ND FRIDAY, JUNE 5

5 PM Doors Open
6 PM Dinner & Meeting
at the
Maddock Community Center

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efforts and reminds communities of the significant role veterans continue to play long after their military service ends. Since establishing the award in 2000, the North Dakota department has continued recognizing individuals whose dedication reflects the values of service, patriotism, and commitment to fellow veterans.

"Being nominated is incredibly exciting, but it's more important to recognize that this achievement is not solely mine. It's the result of a collective effort, driven by dedication and talent of a fantastic team that has brought us to this point" remarks Frankl.

Chief Master Sargeant Frankl exemplifies the core values of The American Legion through a life defined by measurable service, sustained leadership, and extraordinary community impact. A mem-

ber of the Velva American Legion Post 39, Jamie has dedicated more than 22 years of military service and nearly 2,000 volunteer hours in the past year alone to serving veterans, service members, and the citizens of North Dakota. Frankl places a high value on education and professional growth. He holds an Associate Degree in Criminal justice/Police Science and is currently completing his Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration/Business Management at the University of Mary. He believes continuous education is essential to effective leadership and service.

Whether serving in uniform, rebuilding a historic American Legion post, or volunteering alongside his family. Chief Master Sargeant Jamie Frankl embodies the Legion motto: "For God and Country."



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