

LEGALS

WING SCHOOL MINUTES

April 13, 2026

Regular Meeting was held at the Wing School at 8:00 p.m.

Present was Amanda Fischer, Aaron Hertz, Kristina Fischer, Allison Morris, Twyla Helmer, Cassidy Lyngaas – Superintendent, Becky Bernhardt – Business Manager, and Tori Dickson.

Regular board meeting was called to order by the President.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion was made by Morris/Helmer to approve the agenda. MC

Motion was made by Hertz/K. Fischer to approve the regular March 2026 meeting minutes. MC

Motion was made by Morris/Helmer to approve the 3-24-26 Special Meeting Minutes. MC

Motion was made by Helmer/K. Fischer to approve the 4-8-26 Special Meeting Minutes. MC

BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT

Business Manager's financial report was approved in motion by Hertz/Helmer. MC

Accounts Payable were approved in motion by K. Fischer/Helmer. MC

Becky shared with the Board the CD interest that was applied to the CD on March 1, 2026.

Becky shared information received from the mayor regarding city street & sewer repairs that will begin in May 2026 and that she stated the sewer charge would be going up \$24.00.

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Mrs. Lyngaas shared with the board activities that took place and will be coming up in March and April. Mrs. Lyngaas also shared some other items that will be taking place or occurred during the upcoming month(s).

NEW BUSINESS

Financial Outlook of the school was discussed. Mrs. Lyngaas shared surveys with the board from the last community meeting. Property listings were reviewed and discussed. It had been talked about that the north teacherage would be put up for sale. Mrs. Lyngaas shared with the board information from two Auction companies and Century 21 Realty regarding listing the property and costs. The board would like Mrs. Lyngaas to gather more information.

The Excess Levy tax was also discussed. Motion was made by K. Fischer/Morris to put 30 mills of Excess Levy Tax on the ballot for the June 2, 2026, board election. MC

Roll call vote was taken: AH – yes, AM – yes, TH – yes, AF – yes, KF – yes

Mrs. Lyngaas will put together a letter/pamphlet letting voters know about the Excess Levy Tax.

Close-Up Fund in the Activities Account was discussed. Board decided to give funds from the Close-Up to the FFA to cover airplane flights for the FFA Leadership trip to Washington, DC. Motion was made by Morris/Helmer to allow Mrs. Lyngaas to transfer these funds. MC

Roll call vote was taken: MA – yes, TH – yes, AF – yes, KF – yes, AH – yes

Becky B. shared with the board the polling place for the school election – school lunchroom, voting time for the school election – 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and the workers for the school election – Pam Wolff, Belle Bernhardt, Kristina Fischer, and Donna Folmer. Motion was made by K. Fischer/Morris to approve the polling place, election time and election workers. MC

Roll call vote was taken: TH – yes, AF – yes, KF – yes, AH – yes, AM – yes

Counseling Contract with CREA was discussed. Currently, we are using a counselor from CREA for 72 full days (2 days/week). For the 2026-2027 school year we would only need a counselor for 36 full days (1 day/week). Motion was made by Morris/Hertz to approve the CREA Counseling Contract for 36 full days (1 day/week) for the 26-27 school year. MC

Roll call vote was taken: AF – yes, KF – yes, AH – yes, AM – yes, TH – yes

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

BEK Communications - \$382.54; Farmers Union Oil Company - \$8177.25; Menards – Bismarck - \$215.42; ND Educators Service Cooperative - \$125.00; NorDak North Publications - \$142.80; Pahlke Steele - \$40.60; Pearce Durick PLLC - \$427.50; SCP Special Education Unit - \$9956.55; Vestis - \$100.55; NDPHIT - \$19,786.24; Robi's Repair, Inc. - \$1823.51; ND Office of State Tax Commissioner - \$414.00; The Union Bank - \$20.00; AFLAC - \$812.61; Ottertail Power Company - \$3334.27; PAYROLL - \$60,160.11; IRS - \$16,382.38; ND TFFR - \$13,734.31; VISA - \$3650.77; City of Wing - \$791.00

OTHER BUSINESS

Next regular meeting will be held on Monday, May 11, 2026, at 8:00 p.m.

Coop meeting will be on May 4, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at the Wilton School.

The meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m. in motion by Morris/Helmer. MC
Amanda Fischer – Board President
Becky Bernhardt – Business Manager

(05-14-26)

Wing Public School District #28 School Board Election

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, an election will be held for the Wing Public School District #28, Burleigh County, State of North Dakota.

Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2026

Time: 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Purpose of the Election:

1. To elect two (2) members to the Wing Public School Board for a term of three (3) years each.

Write-in candidates are also permitted.

2. To vote on the following

question:

Shall the Wing School Board be given the authority to levy up to an additional 30 mills for the school general fund levy of Wing Public School District #28 of Burleigh County, North Dakota as permitted by NDCC 57-15-14, for the purpose of the School General Fund. The General Fund is the primary operational fund for, but not limited to, expenses like salaries, benefits, supplies, utilities, and transportation.

All qualified voters residing within the Wing Public School District #28 are encouraged to participate in this important election. Voters will have the opportunity to cast their votes for school board members and decide on the levy of an additional 30 mills.

For more information about voting locations or absentee voting, please contact the Wing Public School District office at 701-943-2319.

(04-30-26, 05-07-26,
05-14-26, 05-21-26)

Washburn School District #4

Washburn, ND 58577

February 9, 2026

A regular meeting for Washburn School Board was scheduled at 7:00 pm on February 9, 2026. Members present were Rick Tweeten, Sandi Erber, Aaron Solomonson, Luke Retterath, Jada Holznagel, Stacey Scheresky and Brooklyn Schaan. Superintendent, Penny Veit-Hetletved; Business Manager, Kendra Casavant, Elementary Principal Christina Reynolds, High School Principal Beau Eriksson and Maintenance Director Ivan Emel also attended the meeting. April Hetletved was also present.

A regular meeting for Washburn School Board was scheduled at 7:00 pm on February 9, 2026. Members present were Rick Tweeten, Sandi Erber, Aaron Solomonson, Luke Retterath, Jada Holznagel, Stacey Scheresky and Brooklyn Schaan. Superintendent, Penny Veit-Hetletved; Business Manager, Kendra Casavant, Elementary Principal Christina Reynolds, High School Principal Beau Eriksson and Maintenance Director Ivan Emel also attended the meeting. Marley Hair was also present.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm; opening with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Retterath/Holznagel motioned to approve the agenda with corrections. Motion carried.

Erber/Schaan motioned to approve minutes of the 1/12/2026 Board Meeting and the 1/27/2026 Academic Committee meeting. Motion carried.

Financial Report: \$25,816 spent this month in activities, which is 69.21% of the activities budget is spent. Student transportation is 67.4% spent, with recent repairs and tire replacement. Food Service has spent \$22,545.96; this fund is being supplemented by the General Fund. The General Fund is 64.66% spent, with spending being ahead of projection. An interest payment was paid to BND on 2/1/2026 for the building loan.

Presentation of bills: Erber/Scheresky motioned to approve the bills. Motion carried. IN FAVOR OF: JP Morgan 4609.43; Acellus Educational Services 1185.00; Advanced Business Methods 1281.95; AFLAC Dental/Vision 101.12; Brenco Janitorial Supplies 1041.38; Capital City Restaurant Supply 466.50; Kendra Casavant 131.23; Circle Sanitation 846.00; City Air Mechanical 3939.00; City of Washburn 616.48; D&E Supply Co. 702.43; Enerbase 3028.48; Guardian Lock Co. 14.00; Kacy Hardt 114.17; Penny Hetletved 130.20; I-State Truck Repair 176.00; Suzann Jacobson 37.72; Tracy Jaeger 28.00; Hannah Johnson 56.00; JW Pepper & Son 411.47; Michael Kamrath 140.00; Krause's Supervalu 91.19; Learnwell 656.64; Megan Leingang 56.00; Linde Gas & Equipment 64.87; Marco Technologies 300.00; McLean County Implement 1001.70; MDU 1615.72; Menard's 535.02; Mid-

American Research Chemical 364.11; Dustin Moe 137.96; ND Attorney General 200.00; NCEL 300.00; Nordak North Publications 632.56; Ottertail Power Co. 5120.86; Pearce Durick PLLC 1995.00; Rainbow Gas Co. 3834.41; Record Keepers 110.75; Region VII Music 70.00; Kathy Reich 56.00; Christina Reynolds 674.00; Roughrider Industries 144.00; Lora Schell 28.00; Scott's Hardware 78.31; Sherwin-Williams Co. 119.09; South East Education Cooperative 6220.35; Staples Business Advantage 354.26; Staples Business Advantage 92.78; Stein's 893.66; ULINE 112.47; Underwood Clinic 100.00; WRT 841.02; Judy Beaudry 1512.00; Heidi Boehm 360.00; Janet Derrico 288.00; Shaune Goetz 504.00; Mandy Grossman 558.00; Randy Hall 738.00; Randall Hanson 144.00; Kacy Hardt 4998.60; Kay Reiser 432.00; Bradley Rinas 360.00; Earlene Rothmann 1494.00; Trevor Schreiner 216.00

The audit for 24-25 was provided to each board member. The audit went well.

Offer for public input; none was offered.

A draft of the 26-27 School Calendar was presented. Retterath/Holznagel motioned to approve the 26-27 calendar as presented. Motion carried.

Superintendent's report: Restitution was approved for bathroom vandalism. An application for a cyber security grant was submitted. Much of our current equipment supporting the network will be outdated, preventing compatibility with the state after this year and will need replacing. Cost will be around \$150,000.00 however the grant will cover much of this cost. Hardware on gym doors are backordered. Heater in the Cardinal Bus needed replacement. The Glycol Leak repair cam in under budget. Washburn School is working toward being able to train our own bus drivers. DPI Projections for foundation aid for the 26-27 school year is \$4,020,084.55, which is increased due to enrollment. Weber Electric submitted an estimate for lighting in the board room, which was sent to the architect. Retterath/Scheresky motioned for Weber Electric to move forward with the work. Motion carried. Other concerns regarding various issues regarding the construction project were raised. The Building Committee will schedule a meeting with CCC and EngTech.

Principal's reports: Reynolds reports there will be an elementary data meeting to look at student assessments completed in January and discuss interventions. Some teachers attended an MTSS training, however that was steps ahead of where our school is currently, which is tracking behaviors.

Eriksson reports Washburn Public School hosted the McLean County Spelling Bee. The winner is from

Garrison, and the runner up is from Max. MathCounts is scheduled on 2/11/26. The NDCEL Mid-Winter conference for Principals was held last week. Next year Washburn Public School will offer full dual credits for students to work toward an Associate Degree. Elizabeth Neumiller was nominated for the Gold Team for the Academic All State Team.

The Academic Committee met on 1/27/2026 to discuss the grading scale. A proposed scale was presented, that better aligns with surrounding schools. A=100-94, B=93-86, C=85-78, D=77-70, F=69.4-0. The proposed scale would allow students to near proficiency to earn a D in comparison to peer districts, this model matched most postsecondary grading models. Additional discussion occurred regarding eligibility. Erber/Schaan motioned to accept the proposed grading scale starting in the 26-27 school year. Roll call vote: Solomonson – Yes, Retterath – Yes, Scheresky – Yes, Erber – Yes, Holznagel – Yes, Schaan – Yes, Tweeten – No. Vote is 6 yes and 1 no. Motion carried. Erber/Schaan motioned to change the eligibility to "No F" with the caveat of 1 week of probation to work through the F, if the F grade persists, the student will be ineligible until that grade is passing. If there are two Fs, there is no probation period. One probation for an F per semester. Tweeten/Scheresky moved to table the motion until the March meeting. Motion carried.

Open enrollment applications were presented for grades 5, 3, and K. Scheresky/Holznagel motioned to approve the applications. Motion carried. An application for a grade 10 student was presented. Holznagel/Erber motioned to approve the application. Motion carried. An application for a grade 10 student was presented. Scheresky/Erber motioned to approve the application. Motion carried.

Personnel: A teaching contract was presented for Jason Olson for the 26-27 school year. Scheresky/Holznagel motioned to approve the contract. Motion carried. Michael Kamrath submitted a letter of retirement. Erber/Holznagel motioned to accept the letter of retirement with much gratitude for Mr. Kamrath's dedication during his years of service. Motion carried. Wendy Miller submitted a letter of retirement. Erber/Scheresky motioned to accept the letter of retirement with much gratitude for Mrs. Miller's dedication during her years of service. Motion carried.

Pledge of securities was received by TRU Community Bank, BND and Dakota West Credit Union.

Next meeting: March 16 at 7:30pm. Meeting adjourned at 9:22pm.

Attest: Kendra Casavant, Business Manager
Rick Tweeten, Chairman

Date: _____
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with a revoked license, and received a written warning for no insurance, and verbal warnings for expired registration and not having a registration card in vehicle.

Deputies performed a traffic stop at about 5 p.m. on U.S. Highway 83 near mile marker 141 in Underwood for speeding. A 19-year-old male, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, was cited.

Deputies responded at about 6:30 p.m. to U.S. Highway 83 southbound near mile marker 139 for a welfare check. A person was walking on the highway and deputies made contact. Upon learning the person's identification, it was determined the person had a warrant in Rolette County. Tyrone Vondal, 48, of Grand

Forks, was arrested on warrants.

Deputies performed a traffic stop at 6:51 p.m. on U.S. Highway 83 near mile marker 163 for speeding. A 37-year-old was cited.

Feb. 6

Deputies responded to a motor vehicle crash at about noon on N.D. Highway 1804 northbound near mile marker 210 near White Shield. State radio requested additional first responders to a one-vehicle rollover crash. McLean County sent help to assist.

Deputies performed a traffic stop at about 10 p.m. to U.S. Highway 83 near Midway for speeding. A 32-year-old female, of New Town, was cited.

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