

LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE OF MEETING
Notice is hereby given and published in The Sidney Sun-Telegraph that the regular monthly meeting of the Wheat Belt Public Power District Board of Directors will be held on March 4, 2016, at 8:30 A.M. in the District office building at 2014 Illinois Street, Sidney, Nebraska. An agenda of the items to be discussed at the meeting is available at the District office and is kept continually current.
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PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING
The Cheyenne County Fairboard will meet in open and public session at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, March 7, 2016 in the Fairboard office, at the Cheyenne County Fairgrounds. /s/ Gerald Frerichs
President
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Proceedings of the
Leyton Public Schools
Cheyenne County School
District #03
Board of Education
February 8, 2016 - 7:30 p.m.
District Administrative Offices
in Dalton, NE
CALL TO ORDER:
President Jed Benish called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Jed Benish, Colleen Cruise, Ryan Lembke, Jennifer Powell, and Bryan Reimers. Members absent: Rob Rushman. Also

present were Principal Lance Howitt, Superintendent Greg Brenner and Recording Secretary Janella Kruse. In addition, there were three visitors.

The agenda was amended and approved by general consent.

Communications were read from Cindy Reilly and Mary Matsutani.

Bailey Cooper, FFA Chapter President, addressed the Board to thank them for the opportunity to attend the Stock Show in Denver and gave a recap of what the FFA members learned on their trip.

BUSINESS MEETING:
Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mrs. Cruise to approve the minutes of the Board's regular meeting for January 11, 2016. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Lembke, seconded by Mrs. Powell to approve General Fund bills and financial reports as presented. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mrs. Cruise, seconded by Mr. Reimers to approve bills and financial reports from the remaining funds as presented. Motion approved 5-0.

ACTION ITEMS:
Moved by Mrs. Powell, seconded by Mrs. Cruise to grant Special Recognition to the High Plains Music Festival participants (Caitlyn Deal & Jacob Ernest); to Scout Gamble, local Geography Bee winner for Grades 4-8; to the Spelling Bee participants for competing well at the Cheyenne County spelling bee; and to Scout Gamble, Josh Kruse, Jakob Kruse, Shawn

Kruse, Shad Benish, and Bill Abbott for helping out with a youth basketball tournament. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mr. Reimers to approve option enrollment requests for a high school student and a junior high school student. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mr. Reimers to offer a Principal's contract (Salary: \$67,200), plus extra duty assignment of Activities Director, to Mr. Lance Howitt for the 2016-2017 school year. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mrs. Powell to offer employment to Superintendent Greg Brenner for the 2016-2017 school year. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mr. Lembke to offer a Superintendent's contract to Mr. Greg Brenner with a 3% increase (\$99,830.69) for the 2016-2017 school year. Motion approved 5-0.

Moved by Mr. Benish, seconded by Mrs. Powell to approve Amy Henke and Lianne Higgins as new Leyton Public Schools Foundation Board members. Motion approved 5-0.

DISCUSSION ITEMS (WITH POSSIBLE ACTION):
Discussed building upgrades and getting quotes on roofs, windows, floors and cameras.

Discussed the need for a new route bus. Superintendent Brenner will continue the search for a new or used smaller bus to be available by fall 2016.
Reviewed Policy #5004

(Option Enrollment Students) and tabled discussion until the next meeting.

REPORTS:
Mr. Howitt reported on upcoming activities including the 5th grade Mardi Gras parade on February 9th; the 6th-8th grade science fair on February 25th; story hour (for ages 3-5) on Wednesdays through March; FFA CDE on February 10th; National FFA Week February 21st-28th; 2016-2017 football schedule to be released on February 10th; JH MAC BB tournament at Leyton on February 11th & 13th; and teacher in-service on February 15th.

Mr. Brenner reported on looking at a new reading series and to work with the Curriculum committee to help review those materials. He also discussed the cancelled basketball game due to roof leaks and that the District will split the gate receipts with Potter-Dix Public Schools.

TIME AND DATE OF NEXT REGULAR MEETING:

The next regular meeting of the Leyton Board of Education will be Monday, March 14, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the district's administrative offices at Leyton High School in Dalton.

ADJOURNMENT:
The meeting was adjourned by general consent at 9:10 p.m. Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Janella Kruse, Recording Secretary
Approved by,
/s/ Colleen Cruise, Secretary
Leyton Board of Education
February 2016 Expenditures

Action Communications, Service, \$331.60; Apple Computers, iPads, \$7,191.30; AS Central Services, Service, \$227.47; Banner County Public Schools, DL Class, \$750.00; Jill Bartling, Supplies, \$101.42; Leo Bowen, Mileage, \$975.20; Bridgeport Newsblade, Ads, \$23.75; Greg Brenner, Mileage, \$461.80; Cardmember, Miscellaneous, \$864.06; Computer Hardware, Supplies, \$180.00; Copier Connection, Service, \$369.98; Cranmore Pest Control, Service, \$100.00; Dalton Market, Supplies, \$158.37; Dalton Telephone, Telephone, \$375.33; Day & Night, Service, \$366.78; Jennifer Dobrinski, Other, \$15.00; Walker Dobry, Mileage, \$169.92; Bruce Ernest, Other, \$15.00; ESU 13, Services, \$9,363.93; Finney's, Supplies, \$112.64; Floyd's Truck Center, Parts & Labor, \$1,704.34; Susan Foster, Other + Mileage, \$144.60; Frenchmen Valley Coop, Fuel, \$1,627.88; Great American, Copiers, \$970.00; Lance Howitt, Mileage, \$154.08; Ideal Supplies, \$2,553.84; Industrial Shelving, Lockers, \$1,543.48; Jostens, Supplies, \$17.04; JW Pepper, Supplies, \$64.98; Lookout Books, Library Books, \$209.94; Marick's, Trash, \$100.00; Matheson Tri-Gas, Shop Supplies, \$152.06; Mary Matsutani, Mileage + Other, \$287.67; Miller Office Supply, Supplies, \$27.59; Dana Morgan, Mileage + Other, \$228.74; Napa, Supplies, \$135.80; Nebraskaland Tire, Service, \$14.43; Shawn Oakes, Mileage, \$108.00; Outlaws Meat,

Other, \$50.00; Perkins County Schools, DL Class, \$10,440.00; Pioneer Publishing, Supplies, \$302.83; Points West Insurance, Bond Insurance, \$1,000.00; Pro Sports, Supplies, \$53.94; SA Foster, Supplies, \$82.80; Kathy Searles, Other, \$127.50; Sidney Regional Medical, Services, \$467.50; Sidney Sun Telegraph, Ads, \$247.09; Source Gas, Utilities, \$4,517.93; Liz Twarling, Mileage, \$46.80; USA Today, Subscription, \$254.95; Village of Dalton, Utilities, \$450.19; Village of Gurley, Utilities, \$686.13; Vistabean, Service, \$199.95; Wheatbelt, Utilities, \$5,100.84; Young's Plumbing, Service, \$910.00; Total: \$57,136.47.
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NOTICE OF MEETING
CHEYENNE COUNTY VISITORS COMMITTEE

Notice is hereby given that the regular open and public meeting of the Cheyenne County Visitors Committee will be held at 12:00 PM on Wednesday, March 2nd, 2016 at Perkins Restaurant in Sidney, NE. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the income & expenses incurred and any future plans for Cheyenne County Tourism. A current agenda is available at the Cheyenne County Visitors Center - 658 Glover Road, Sidney.

/s/ Heather Hausmann
Cheyenne County Tourism Director
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Annie's Mailbox

Dear Annie: My 26-year-old daughter has been married to a wonderful, hardworking man for three years. They have a beautiful child and a nice home. The problem is my son-in-law's mother.

This woman has disliked my daughter from day one, and for no discernible reason. My daughter and her husband tried talking things out with her, but she always returns to her passive-aggressive ways. I try to stay out of it, but it is so hard to watch this woman bring my daughter to tears and try to split this otherwise lovely family apart. Worse, she has most of the other in-laws on her bandwagon.

I understand my son-in-law is caught between a rock and a hard place, but he never stands behind his wife. Whenever the two of them are around his parents, he throws my daughter under the bus. We love our son-in-law, but cannot stand to see our daughter and grandchild treated with such disrespect. It is causing a great deal of strain on this new family.

Is there any polite way to deal with this problem without overstepping? -

Concerned Mother

Dear Mother: We know how hard this

must be for you to watch, but the problem belongs to your daughter, and she must find a way to deal with it. The best thing you can do is offer a sympathetic ear without passing judgment or telling your daughter how to handle her in-laws. But do suggest that she and her husband talk to a professional for guidance. A counselor will help your daughter develop better techniques to deal with this difficult woman, and also make your son-in-law understand the need to stand up to his parents in defense of his wife. The in-laws will never treat her better if he doesn't insist on it.

Dear Annie: I work in an office at a library, and one of my co-workers is continuously babbling and singing loudly. This is distracting and annoying to most of us.

"Dwayne" doesn't sit that close to me, but I can still hear him all of the time.

Since Dwayne is pretty well-liked by everyone, we're all uncomfortable asking him to stop the constant noise. Can you think of a nice and/or anonymous way to let him know he is distracting us? - **Driving Us Nuts**

Dear Driving: Some people who constant-

ly hum or babble do so because it is soothing. In many cases, they can't help themselves or don't realize they are doing it. We suspect Dwayne is unaware that he is constantly making noises, and certainly has no idea that you are all so annoyed.

Any of you could mention to Dwayne that he seems to sing to himself all day long, and when said in a kind and gentle manner, this is neither insulting nor offensive. However, there is a strong likelihood that Dwayne will continue to hum and babble, because

it is an unconscious behavior. He might try to curtail it, but you would have to constantly remind him, and that doesn't appear to be something you are willing to do. Instead, we recommend you invest in a pair of earbuds and either listen to your own music or use them to block out Dwayne's humming.

Dear Annie: You printed several responses to the letter from "Please Leave Animals at Home," about service animals in public places.

I work in a clinic and am well-aware that there are service dogs and other types of therapy animals out there. Service animals have

their place. However, let me point out that a "service vest" can be ordered online (as can a doctor's note), and that there are many people who just want to bring their pets everywhere, regardless of whether it is healthy for others. We are told not to ask whether the animal is a service animal for fear of offending the patient and being accused of discriminating against those with disabilities.

Having an untrained animal in the clinic is not healthy or sanitary. Many of our patients come in with real medical problems, and are then subjected to a waiting room with an animal circus. The trained service animals that come into our clinic are welcome. I wish the others would be kept at home. - **Train Your Animals**

Dear Train: Service animals are trained and acceptable (and legal) everywhere. The problem is untrained comfort animals, still a gray area. Who gets precedence - the person claiming an emotional disability requiring a comfort animal or his neighbor in the condo with a serious traumatic aversion to dogs? Or a child with a life-threatening allergy? We don't have the answers and right now, it seems no one else does, either.

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