



Siksika Board of Education

Vision: Competent, confident, and knowledgeable Siksika students

Mission: To provide all students an innovative and globally renowned learning environment

November 1, 2024 – Regular Meeting of the SBE Board of Directors Summary

- 1. Blessing and Traditional Face Painting Ceremony** - by Elder Dennis Chief Calf
- 2. Sinakssin Communications Presentation** – Presented by Kelsey No Runner
 - This connection was focused on brainstorming ways Sinakssin can assist SBE in engaging the community for input on services and projects, clarifying SBE’s mandate, enhancing communication, and discussing key initiatives.
- 3. Key Updates and Announcements**
 - Moving forward, the SBE Board Elder’s role will take on a supportive advisory role for the Siksika Board of Education. This decision aligns with the recently updated Articles of Association.
- 4. Discussion on Board Processes: Addressing Concerns on Parents Reaching out to Board Directors**
 - Any complaints received at the board level should be referred to the Superintendent to ensure that the appropriate process is being followed.
- 5. Financial Update** – Presented by the Financial Controller, Darren Pietrobono
 - Second Quarter Report Presentation
 - Financial update for the SBE Powwow and Fair
- 6. 2024 Blackfoot Confederacy Education Conference Projected Expenditures**
- 7. Superintendent Updates** – Presented by the Superintendent, Chris Scout
 - October 23, 2024 - ISC School Tour Updates and Discussion
 - New Middle School and Composite School Capital Project Discussion
 - Overview of the Multi-Department Collaboration Meeting held on October 2, 2024
 - Updates on the Blackfoot Superintendents Professional Learning Network meeting held on October 16, 2024.

Motions:

- #2024.11.01.19 – MOVED to approve a budget of up to \$150,000 to send the Siksika Board of Education Staff to the Blackfoot Confederacy Education Conference in Lethbridge, AB on November 12 & 13, 2024. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2024.11.01.20 – MOVED to approve the second quarter financial report as presented on November 1, 2024. MOTION CARRIED.

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