



Siksika Board of Education

Vision: Competent, confident, and knowledgeable Siksika students

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

March 28, 2025 – Regular Meeting of the SBE Board of Directors Summary

Locally Developed Courses Approval, Presented by Superintendent, Chris Scout

- Forensic Science 35 – LDC 3256 (3 credits)
- Guitar 15/25/35 - LDC 1568/ 2568/ 3568 (3 credit, 5 credit)
- Technical Theatre - LDC 1987/ 2987/ 3987 (3 credit, 5 credit)
- Theatre Performance 15/ 25/ 35 - LDC1367/ 2367/ 3367 (5 credit)
- Aboriginal Studies:
 - o Treaties and Sovereignty 15 - LDC 1068 (3 credit)
 - o Metis History and Stories 15 - LDC 1873 (3 credit)
 - o Indigenous Art and Ceremony 25 - LDC 2873 (5 credit)
 - o Pathways to Reconciliation 35 - LDC 3873 (5 credit)
 - o Traditional Land Based Learning 25 - LDC 2248 (5 credit)
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Motions:

- #2025.03.28.53 – MOVED to approve the implementation of the following locally developed course, commencing with the 2023-2024 school year, for three-years (course list above). MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.54 – MOVED to approve the purchase of two 24-passenger bus units at the cost of up to \$270,000.00. Funding for this purchase will be taken from surplus funding and will not impact any other programs or services. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.55 – MOVED to approve the purchase of two 53-passenger bus units and two 71-passenger bus units at the cost of up to \$725,401.40. Funding for this purchase will be taken from surplus funding and will not impact any other programs or services. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.56 – MOVED to approve the expenditure of \$65,550 for the conference registration costs of 30 representatives, including 28 staff members, and 1 Elder plus their guest, to attend the World Indigenous Peoples' Conference on Education (WIPCE) to be held in November 2025 in Auckland, New Zealand. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.57 – MOVED to approve the associated costs for sending 30 SBE representatives, which includes coverage of up to \$150,000 for air travel, accommodations, airport transportation, and travel insurance for all representatives. Funding for this purchase will be taken from interest revenue and will not impact any other programs or services. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.58 – MOVED to approve the reviewed and proposed Siksika Board of Education Organizational Chart as presented on March 28, 2025. MOTION CARRIED.
- #2025.03.28.59 – MOVED to approve the expenditure of up to \$150,000 at the Siksika Nation High School for pathway construction, parking lot and bus lane extensions. Funding for this project will not impact any current programs or services. MOTION CARRIED.

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