

Rich School District  
**BOARD MEETING**  
Randolph, UT 84064  
February 12, 2025  
6:00 p.m.

Present: Superintendent Dale Lamborn, President Richard Lamb, Scott Sabey, Tyler Pugmire and Jennie Johnson; Business Administrator

Visitors: Taralyn Cornia-Director of Curriculum/Assessment, Brian Toomer-Director of Special Education Services/Technology Assistant, Principal Jesse Calder, Principal Alan Schwab, Tristynn Argyle, Kelsey Peart, Competition Cheer Team

Excused: Zack McKee and Vice President Eric Wamsley

President Lamb called the regular board meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Opening Remarks      Scott Sabey

Pledge                      Tyler Pugmire

**Request to Speak**

Competition  
Cheer Team                      President Richard Lamb welcomed the cheer team and turned the floor over to Principal Jesse Calder. Principal Calder talked about how serious the cheerleaders have taken the competition and how professional they have been in representing the Rich School District. The coaches and some of the cheerleaders spoke to the board about supporting each other and thanked the board for their support. Scott Sabey congratulated the cheer team and told them he was very impressed. Tyler Pugmire thanked them for supporting his students in particular and Rich School District.

Proposed  
Veteran's  
Plaque                      Mr. Lex Cornia, Zenick Stocking and James Wamsley (via Zoom) were present to propose bronze memorial plaque at Rebel Stadium. Zenick explained that this would be an opportunity for Rich students to give back.

Mr. Cornia presented information on the proposed Dale B Rex award. He was a graduate of South Rich High School Class of 1939 (now Rich High School), exemplified they highest ideals of courage, selflessness, and duty throughout his remarkable life. Born and raised on a family ranch in Randolph, Utah, ranch life instilled in him a strong work ethic and a deep appreciation for community and service. Mr. Rex's plans changed when World War II called upon his sense of duty. Enlisting in the U.S. Army Rangers, Dale's character shone as he served with the 5<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division in England, France, and Germany. Dale's

selflessness extended to his final moments. Despite sustaining fatal wounds in December 1944, he urged medics to prioritize treating others before himself.

There would be annual an award tied to this memorial for a Rich High School graduating senior, the Dale B. Rx Award would be a prestigious recognition, celebrating a graduating senior who exemplifies the values of courage, selflessness, and duty.

The board was grateful to honor our veterans with this award and display this plaque at Rich High School.

### **Consent Items**

Minutes Scott Sabey made a motion to approve amended the January 15, 2025, regular board meeting minutes with the corrections proposed. Tyler Pugmire seconded the motion, and it carried 3-0.

Expenditures Tyler Pugmire made a motion to approve the expenditures January 09, 2025, through February 08, 2025. Scott Sabey seconded the motion, and the motion carried 3-0.

### **Action Items**

Spring Sport Schedules Principal Calder explained that the golf and track schedules are not finalized but he will make sure the board sees them as soon as possible.

Scott Sabey made a motion to approve the spring schedules as long as there are no contests except for culminating events on school days. Tyler Pugmire seconded the motion and it carried 3-0.

The possibility of holding the region track meet at Rich High School was discussed.

Approve 2025-2026  
Fees Schedules

Jesse Calder commented that there were very few changes to the high school fee schedules. Jennie Johnson reminded the board that when a student reaches \$2,000.00 the remainder of the school fees would be waived. There has not been an instance when a student has reached the maximum. Mrs. Johnson continued to explain the difference between curricular and extra-curricular fees and what the school district can charge.

Jennie Johnson also recommended increasing the drama budget by \$1,000.00 to help Mr. Woods cover the cost of costuming so the parents didn't have to pick up that fee.

Unified Sports was discussed and the board was notified that there were minimal fees added to the fee schedule.

Scott Sabey made a motion to approve the 2025-2026 fee schedules. Tyler Pugmire seconded the motion and it carried 3-0.

#### Staffing

President Lamb presented a letter of resignation from Andrea Carlisle, the current 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher at North Rich Elementary.

Tyler Pugmire accepted the resignation of Andrea Carlisle with appreciation for a job well done. Scott Sabey seconded the motion and it carried 3-0.

Tyler Pugmire made a motion to open a position until filled at North Rich Elementary. Scott Sabey seconded the motion and it carried 3-0.

### **INFORMATION ITEMS**

#### Report on the AI Agent Discussion

Mr. Brian Toomer did a quick presentation addressing some questions around having an AI agent to help navigate our policy book and make it easier to understand. He discussed AI agent in Adobe while having the policy book open. He showed a couple of examples using the agent.

Scott Sabey recommended going through one policy a month.

#### Update on HB 40 (Prior Year HB 84) Safety & Security

Mr. Toomer, President Lamb and Mrs. Johnson reported on the meeting with the commissioners and law enforcement. Mr. Toomer feels like the county, sheriff's department and school are all on the same page. Mr. Toomer went through the guardian program in HB 40.

Mr. Toomer went through the emergency protocols, including Hold, Secure, and Lockdown.

#### Possible Summer Projects

Superintendent Lamborn went through some of the proposed summer project, but there were no hard numbers to present. Mr. Limb will be working on bids.

Superintendent Lamborn discussed the proposed bleachers in the new gym at Rich Middle school and other upcoming projects.

There was a discussion on the middle school being able to use the new field facility at Rich High School while their field gets "fixed" with holes filled in and leveled. The pros and cons were discussed. Superintendent Lamborn recommended getting the high school fall schedule before committing to the middle school using the facility.

#### Report from "Day on The Hill" and other Legislative issues

President Richard Lamb, Scott Sabey, Jennie Johnson and Taralyn Cornia attended the USBA Day on the Hill and reported to the board on the outcomes

of that day. Scott Sabey enjoyed sitting on the floor with Representative Auxier. Jennie Johnson reported that they were able to meet with Senator Wilson and Representative Auxier.

USBA

Tyler Pugmire reported on JLC (Joint Legislative Council). President Lamb has been forwarding the Monday Memos from USBA.

Jennie Johnson reminded the board that the NSBA annual conference will be April 3-8, 2025 in Atlanta.

UHSAA

Mr. Calder addressed the 8-team tournament possibility for the next year's basketball tournament. Nothing is set in stone yet, but he reported that it was still a possibility.

Bridgerland

Nothing to report.

Home School  
Requests

The current month's home school requests were reviewed by the board.

Board Meeting

The next regular board meeting will be held Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at 6 p.m. in Randolph. Noelle Pikus Pace will be speaking in the district to student body, staff and parents during the day on March 19<sup>th</sup>, but it will not interfere with the board meeting.

Adjourn

A motion to adjourn was made by Zack McKee. Tyler Pugmire seconded the motion carried 5-0.

Adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Richard Lamb, President

Jennie Johnson, Business Administrator