

**BRUNEAU GRAND VIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

**August 31, 2026 8:00 a.m.
Location: Room 203**

The Bruneau Grand View School District Mission: BGVSD will provide a high-quality education, prepare students for their futures, and enable them to be positive contributors to society.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

**Scott McNeley, Chairman
Allen Merrick, Vice Chairman
Steve Boren, Trustee
Raelynn Mathews, Trustee
Elaine Eldridge, Trustee**

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT:

**Ken Higbee, Superintendent
JayDene Aquiso, Clerk/Treasure**

I. WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER

Chairman McNeley called the meeting to order at 8:02 a.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Clerk Aquiso confirmed that a quorum was present.

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Trustee Mathews moved to approve the Agenda. Trustee Eldridge seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

IV. Action Item

The Board discussed a proposed one-year football cooperative agreement with Mountain Home High School. Dr. Higbee explained that the District had previously closed its football program due to insufficient participation, with approximately 6–8 students participating. Mountain Home High School contacted the District regarding the possibility of establishing a football co-op.

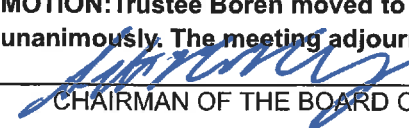
Under the proposed arrangement, an assistant coach from Mountain Home High School would provide transportation for participating students to and from Mountain Home High School. Justin Yetzer addressed the Board and spoke about the importance of providing students with the opportunity to participate in football. It was noted that approximately two students may participate in the program.

Dr. Higbee explained his desire to continue working toward rebuilding the District's football program. Board members expressed concerns regarding liability and requested that the proposed arrangement be reviewed by legal counsel before proceeding.

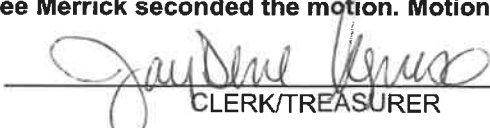
MOTION: Trustee Mathews moved to approve the football cooperative agreement with Mountain Home High School, pending approval by the District's legal counsel. Trustee Eldridge seconded the motion. Trustees Merrick and Boren opposed the motion. The motion passed, subject to approval by the District's legal counsel.

Chairman McNeley requested clarification from legal counsel regarding the transportation arrangements and any required student release forms.

MOTION: Trustee Boren moved to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Merrick seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 8:51 a.m.



CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEE



CLERK/TREASURER

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