



May 21, 2025 Agenda

Regular Meeting of Trustees

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of School District #35 has been scheduled for **May 21, 2025**, at **6:00 P.M. in the library and via Google Meet.**

Call to Order Pledge of Allegiance
Presiding Trustee's Explanation of Procedures Public
Comment- Non-Agenda Items

Guests:

John Nielson, Gallatin County Superintendent of Schools

Swear in Trustees - County Superintendent John Nielson
Reorganization of the Board

- Clerk Appointment
- Organization - Chair/Vice Chair elections

Declamations Winners Ms. Barry

Speech: Danica Maus (1st place), Tana Trainor, Kaylynn Melton (2nd Place), Aspen Lura
Essay: Sonny Barlow, Jershon Barlow (3rd place), Rosie Steed, Brielle Sperry (2nd place)

Consent Agenda

Minutes: April 16, 2025 Regular Board Meeting and May 7, 2025 Special Board Meeting; **Finance:** April Warrant Register; **Personnel:** Personnel Resolution

Superintendent Report

District Clerk-Business Manager Report

Old Business

Discussion Items:

Committee Updates

Arts Proposals to meet Music and Art Standards

Action Items:

Salary Advancement for MA+10 26 years

Classified Staff Work Agreements and Wages

Handbook Review and Discussion

Extra-curricular Stipends for DC Trip Advisors

New Business

Discussion Items:

State of the School Community Meeting Information

Action Items:

Non-Resident Student Agreements

Bus Cameras

Trustee Resolution Requesting County Conduct Elections



**APRIL 16, 2025 MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF TRUSTEES, GALLATIN GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT #35
DRAFT**

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Trustees of the Gallatin Gateway School District #35 met at 6:00 P.M. on April 16, 2025, in the Gallatin Gateway School Library and via Google Meet. Board Chair Tim Melton presided and called the meeting to order at **6:02 PM**.

TRUSTEES PRESENT

Tim Melton, Board Chair; Aaron Schwieterman, Board Vice Chair; Lucas Hancox; Brian Nickolay
Google Meet: None

TRUSTEES ABSENT

Carissa Maus

STAFF PRESENT

Kelly Henderson, Superintendent; Mary Thurber, District Clerk
Google Meet: None

OTHERS PRESENT

Casey Bertram, Superintendent, Bozeman Public School; Kim Stolte, Gallatin Gateway Community member; Mike Waterman, Executive Director, Business Operations, Bozeman School District; Sandra Wilson, Trustee, Bozeman School District.

Google Meet: Shawni Carver, OpenEd; Grant Hewitt, OpenEd; Erica Parrish, Gallatin Gateway Community member

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The meeting attendees recited the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

PRESIDING TRUSTEE'S EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES

Board Chair Tim Melton explained the public comment process to be followed for addressing the Board in accordance with Gallatin Gateway School policy. He noted that: 1) there will be time for public comment on non-agenda items; 2) prior to a vote the public may comment on agenda items; 3) the Chairperson has a right to control such comments to ensure an orderly progression of the meeting; 4) public comment periods are not intended to be a question and answer session.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

None

GUEST: Bozeman School District #7

Casey Bertram, Mike Waterman and Sandy Wilson represented BSD7. They handed out a Voter Information pamphlet as well as a District-wide 2024-2025 brochure. The District is asking voters to approve an additional General Fund “over-base” operating levy as well as a new \$2.3 million elementary building reserve levy to replace the one that is expiring this year. The District is worried about the potential of these levies not passing. Margins of approval have been declining because of changing demographics in the area. Bozeman’s population is booming; however, at the same time, people moving into the area have little to no connection with public schools; it is very expensive to live here; and, unlike with other taxes, people can say “no” to taxes associated with schools.

Superintendent Bertram gave a 30,000 foot overview of the District. An additional new goal area for BSD7 (#4), is student and staff well-being. There is a rise in anxiety, depression and suicide rates amongst students - very much connected to cell phone and social media use. BSD7 staff are also feeling overwhelmed and exhausted. While BSD7 saw a large increase in multilingual English learners, the percentage of literacy proficiency was relatively unchanged, thus showing that the District’s instruction and intervention strategies are working.

BSD7 has a reputation for financial transparency. It has the highest bond rating in the State, thus making it cheaper for the District to issue debt. It is the highest performing AA District in Montana.

If the levy requests fail this May, there won’t be any additional cuts; future staff compensation and benefits will be affected during contract negotiations. There are no future plans for high school redistricting.

Transparency is very important to BSD7. The District holds about 54 presentations during the Spring to meet the community, to pass along information and to stop any rumors before they get too widespread.

CONSENT AGENDA

Minutes: Regular Board Meeting - March 26, 2025 and Special Board Meeting - April 2, 2025

Finance: Warrants

Personnel: Personnel Action Report

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Seconded: Trustee Hancox

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

Individual Student Success:

- Special education students - 16
- Students with 504’s - 24

- No students on formal check in/check out process
- No disciplinary actions to report
- Current enrollment - 132

It has been a very busy month. The 7-8th graders went to MSU for a day of presentations on college admissions as well as college life. We had the following other student events:

- 5th grade Tribal Reports
- 4th grade Unwaxed
- Kindergarten Round Up
- Middle School Dance Lessons
- Track began on March 26
- Father-Daughter Dance
- Missoula Children's Theater
- Completed the Science MSA in 5th and 8th grade

We received our 2023-2024 School Report card. Once again, we are in the Universal Support category. In addition, we received our ELLs Assessment Observation Report and it was very positive. The MT Office for Public Instruction found that we had a very nice environment for testing ELL students. We will have to file for certification under Title VI to the US Department of Education. State Superintendent Hedalen will not be able to do a state-wide certification.

Upcoming events include Teacher Appreciation Week May 5-9 and Staff Breakfast with the Board on August 18, 2025.

OLD BUSINESS

Discussion Items:

Committee Updates

Facilities Committee - Aaron Schwieterman and Tim Melton

We received two estimates for the replacement of our HVAC System - one from Core Control and the other from Redline. The Committee has sent out additional questions to both of these companies in order to get clarification on a few items. Mike Coon is working on getting quotes for the demolition and remodeling of the boys and girls locker rooms.

Safety Committee - Brian Nickolay

We are working on improving the drop-off and pick-up process with parents to keep students out of the parking lot and to speed up the flow of traffic. Chairperson Nickolay has also been in contact with Patrick Lonergran, Chief of Emergency Planning for Gallatin County, regarding Critical Incident Response Training. The County has held large-scale emergency drills in the past; they may do some more over the next few years. Deputy Sheriff Dan Mayland will come into GGS to talk to various classes about internet safety. The Committee will be working on updating the Reunification section of the Emergency Management Plan, using information from the website, iloveguys.org. Finally, Gallatin

County is planning on installing a stop light at Mill Street and 191 in 2027. They will also be building infrastructure around this stop light, including sidewalks along Mill Street and a flashing beacon at our crosswalk.

PDAC - Kelly Henderson

The Committee finished the professional development calendar for the 2025-2026 school year. The approval of this calendar is a later agenda item.

Staff and Teacher Compensation - STARS Act Requirements

Superintendent Henderson presented this item.

As of now, we aren't going to have the revenue and funding to give a salary or wage increase to any of our staff. The STARS Act funding will go to fund the certified teachers increase to the state minimum of \$41,615 and steps/lanes.

The STARS Act is currently on its way to the Senate Finance and Claims Committee.

Action Items:

Board Self-Evaluation and Action Plan

Chairperson Melton presented this item.

The Board met on April 2, 2025 to review the results of the Board self-evaluation. The three areas of improvement are as follows: 1) Board training; 2) Public involvement and dissemination of information; and, 3) Budget processes. The action plan is as follows:

- A. Schedule 2-3 training sessions during work study sessions that will include topics prioritized by the Board
- B. Contact MASBO/MTSBA for training on the budget processes and what to look for
- C. Continue discussions on how to disseminate and encourage public participation in the meetings

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman moved to approve the action plan and results from the 24-25 Self Evaluation

Seconded: Trustee Nickolay

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Stay Interviews - Questions and Information

Chairperson Melton presented this item.

Every year, the Board engages staff in conversations about GGS culture, climate and possible improvements to the school day. Staff make appointments during designated times. Ms. Thurber will develop the schedule and send out the notification to all staff in early May.

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman moved to approve the questions for the annual Stay Interviews to be conducted May 19-30 by appointment.

Seconded: Trustee Hancox

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Open Ed Contract and Services

Presented by Chairperson Melton and Superintendent Henderson

OpenEd is a virtual learning environment for students. Shawni Carver and Grant Hewitt shared a brief presentation on the virtual learning environment. The clientele of OpenEd includes families that have never been involved in the public school system as well as those families that left the school system during COVID. Partnering with OpenEd provides schools with a revenue sharing opportunity - Gallatin Gateway School, as school of record, will get 20% of ANB monies while OpenEd gets 80%. There is no cost to starting the partnership. As more students enroll, we may have to hire an additional registrar and someone to cover additional special education responsibilities (Gallatin Gateway School will be responsible for IEP's/504's) but that is down the road and should be offset with revenues from the additional students.

OpenEd's advertising can be geolocated away from the Gallatin Gateway School District so that they don't market to our families although, if we want, we can be named in some of the OpenEd advertising. The OpenEd students have to abide by the Montana testing requirements. Each student signed up with OpenEd will have a personalized learning program. Their attendance is monitored by a learning log. There are both asynchronous and synchronous learning opportunities for the OpenEd students. OpenEd subsidizes technology and internet connectivity needs for its families. In addition, Gallatin Gateway School would have first right of refusal before any additional MT districts were added.

The hope is to launch in Fall, 2025 with the expectation that 50-75 students will sign up in the initial cohort.

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman to approve the Distance Education Service Agreement between OpenEd and Gallatin Gateway School.

Seconded: Trustee Nickolay

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment:

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Budget Amendment Resolution

Presented by Ms. Thurber

The Board passed the Budget Amendment Proclamation, which was the first part of the Budget Amendment process. The Budget Amendment Resolution, which is the second part of the process, has been published in the Bozeman Daily Chronicle, posted outside of Gallatin Gateway School and has

been sent to the County Superintendent and County Commissioners. Approval of the Resolution is the last step in the process.

Motion: Trustee Nickolay to approve the Budget Amendment Resolution

Seconded: Trustee Hancox

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Rural Improvement District

Presented by Ms. Thurber

A Rural Improvement District (“RID”) is a legal taxing authority that can raise funds in specific areas for specific purposes. The Gallatin County Commissioners are very interested in creating a RID in Gallatin Gateway and would like to have the support of the Gallatin Gateway School Board in this regard.

Motion: Trustee Hancox to approve the creation of a Rural Improvement District in Gallatin Gateway.

Seconded: Trustee Schwieterman

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Safety/Security Film for Front Doors

Presented by Chairperson Melton and Superintendent Henderson

The Facilities Committee recommended that we add shatterproof security film onto the front entryway doors to enhance the security of Gallatin Gateway School. A local company, Clearview Solutions, will do the work; it will cost approximately \$4,850.

Motion: Trustee Nickolay to approve the purchase and installation of security film by Clearview Solutions.

Seconded: Trustee Schwieterman

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

NEW BUSINESS

Discussion Items:

Health Insurance

Presented by Ms. Thurber.

The District is researching other health insurance coverage that would be more beneficial for staff while decreasing costs for the District. We currently work with Marsh McLennan. They coordinate our BCBS and Guardian Life benefits. In an effort to reduce costs, we have been looking into an alternative provider, Joint Powers Trust (“JPT”). JPT is based out of Billings; its customer base includes Gallatin County, Billings and Belgrade school districts. JPT’s rates are less expensive than BCBS and there is a rate cap at 8.5% the second year we work with them.

Action Items:

Staff Non-Renewal Without Cause

Presented by Superintendent Henderson.

Motion: Trustee Nickolay moves that the Board of Trustees of Gallatin Gateway School District not renew the employment contract of Carly James, a nontenured teacher, for 2025-2026 school year without cause in accordance with Section 20-4-206, MCA.

Second: Trustee Schwieterman

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: passes 4-0

PDAC Schedule for 25-26

Presented by Superintendent Henderson

The PDAC Committee met on April 10th to review the survey results from the staff and to determine the calendar for the 25-26 school year. The survey results determined a continued focus on Standards-based teaching and learning, Student Engagement, and Dyslexia and Reading in the Content training.

Motion: Trustee Schweierman to approve the PDAC Schedule for the 25-26 school year

Seconded: Trustee Nickolay

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Negotiations - Memorandum of Understanding - STARS Act

Presented by Superintendent Henderson.

In lieu of changing the salary schedule, we are permitted to have an MOU that outlines the expectations of starting salary, stipends, and extra-duty stipends. This MOU obligates the District to utilize funding to increase teacher salaries to the minimum as well as utilize the remainder of the STARS Act money for extra-duty stipends.

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman to approve the 25-26 Salary Schedule

Seconded: Trustee Hancox

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None
For: All
Opposed: None
Motion: Passes 4-0

Preschool Attendance Requirements

Presented by Superintendent Henderson

In February, after the Spring count date, we were informed by OPI that any student who was not 4 by September 10 cannot be funded. We currently have a waitlist for preschool attendance. Preschool attendees also have to be potty trained. In addition, students are not automatically enrolled. They have to be assessed; they are admitted if there is concern that they won't be reading by 3rd grade. Currently, we have six returning students, 4 open positions.

Motion: Trustee Hancox to approve the Preschool programming to include the age and assessment requirements.

Seconded: Trustee Schwieterman

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Behavior Matrix

Presented by Superintendent Henderson

A team of staff, students, and parents worked to update the discipline matrix for the 25-26 school year. The expectation was to focus on natural consequences for unacceptable behavior. The team decided to include student voices in the process to learn more about their needs and concerns around student discipline. Committee members included: Ashley Davis, Hannah Hancox, Maddy Phelps, Marie Welch, Jacki Yager, and Sara Eykelbosch.

Motion: Trustee Hancox to approve the Behavior Matrix for the 25-26 school year.

Seconded: Trustee Nickolay

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

25-26 Governing Board Meeting Calendar

Presented by Superintendent Henderson

The calendar for the Governing Board is outlined in policy for the monthly regular Board meetings with the addition of the work study sessions.

Motion: Trustee Nickolay to approve the 25-26 Governing Board Calendar

Seconded: Trustee Hancox

Board Discussion: None

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

ADJOURNMENT

Board Chair Tim Melton adjourned the meeting at **8:14 PM**.

Tim Melton, Board Chair

Mary Thurber, District Clerk



**MAY 7, 2025 MINUTES
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
BOARD OF TRUSTEES, GALLATIN GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT #35**

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Trustees of the Gallatin Gateway School District #35 met at 1 PM on May 7, 2025 at the Gallatin Gateway School. Board Chair Tim Melton presided and called the meeting to order at 1:03 PM.

TRUSTEES PRESENT

Tim Melton, Chairperson; Aaron Schwieterman, Vice Chairperson; Luke Hancox; Carissa Maus.

TRUSTEES ABSENT

Brian Nickolay

STAFF PRESENT

Kelly Henderson, Superintendent; Mary Thurber, District Clerk.

OTHERS PRESENT

Lain Kay

PRESIDING TRUSTEE'S EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES

Board Chair Tim Melton explained the public comment process to be followed for addressing the Board in accordance with Gallatin Gateway School policy. He noted: 1) that prior to a vote the public may comment on agenda items; 2) there will be time for public comment on non-agenda items; 3) public comment periods are not intended to be a question and answer session.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Lain Kay, Community member. Ms. Kay made three points: 1) The WWLA awards \$750 scholarships every year to graduating high school seniors. This year, there were 9 applicants. The applicant pool was very impressive. Winners will be honored on May 21st at a special dinner held at the Gallatin Gateway Community Center. 2) One of the applicant essays focused on the bullying that she experienced while at Gallatin Gateway School. Ms. Kay recommended that we get bullying under control in the District. 3) Ms. Kay was very disappointed that the District did not participate in yesterday's election as we should have asked voters for additional monies to fund next year's budget.

NEW BUSINESS

Setting Agenda for the May Regular Board Meeting

Superintendent Henderson led a discussion regarding the agenda for the May 21, 2025 regular Board meeting. The individuals present discussed agenda items to be included on the agenda.

Action Item: Health Insurance for Staff

The administration recommended that the District move forward with a change in health care providers from Blue Cross Blue Shield ("BCBS") to Joint Powers Trust ("JPT"). This move will be more beneficial to the staff while saving costs for the District. The District's contract with Marsh McLennan indicated that health insurance premiums with BCBS would increase about 12% next year with no cap in sight. JPT offers less

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expensive health insurance premiums while including \$15,000 of Life/AD&D as well as vision coverage. Dental is a separate premium. Due to budget constraints, the District proposed that it continues to pay \$628.35/monthly toward premiums for certified staff as well as those 12 month salaried employees who wish to pick up health insurance with the District. The remainder of the health insurance premium would be picked up by the staff member.

Motion: Trustee Schwieterman to approve the District's move from BCBS to JPT for health insurance in the upcoming 2025-2026 school year, and that the District continue to pay \$628.35/monthly toward health insurance premiums for our certified staff as well as those 12 month salaried employees who wish to pick up health insurance with the District.

Second: Trustee Maus

Board Discussion: Trustee Melton asked if the staff had been notified of this change. Administration responded in the affirmative. The staff has had questions regarding JPT but they have all been answered. The staff seems comfortable with the change. There is less Life/AD&D insurance coverage than with BCBS, but this did not seem to raise any alarms with the staff.

Public Comment: None

For: All

Opposed: None

Motion: Passes 4-0

Discussion: Extra-Curricular Stipends

Extra-curricular stipends will stay the same except in two cases: Madison Phelps and Madeline Barry. Both of these teachers run the planning, fundraising and organization of the DC/NY Trip. The stipend for Phelps will increase to \$2,000 while the stipend for Barry will increase to \$1,200. The Foundation will be paying all of Phelps and Barry's trip expenses going forward which should save the District at least the additional cost in stipends plus some.

Ashley Davis will continue to be the lead and only mentor next year.

Discussion: Classified Staff Wages/Certified Salaries

Administration proposes increases in certified staff salaries next year; the increase will equate to about \$55,826.69, including benefits. Monies from the newly passed STARS ACT will cover this increase in certified salaries. The proposal also includes a 1.5% raise for classified staff. The raise for classified staff will equate to about a \$5,263.54 increase in salaries and benefits over last year.

Discussion: Percentage increase language for employees at the end of the salary schedule - contract language or addition to policies

The administration is proposing the addition of contract language or language in the District policy handbooks that installs a 1.5% annual salary increase to the base salary of a certified teacher that has maxed out of the salary matrix. The percentage increase methodology for handling this situation is seen more favorably by administration vis a vis the alternative: the payment of an annual stipend.

Discussion: Arts Positions (Art/Music) Open

Ashley Davis is going to teach middle school science as well as middle school social studies next year. She will no longer be teaching PreK-8 art. The music curriculum for PreK-5 will be covered with an online program. Teachers in these grades will teach music as part of their day. Unlike middle school music, middle school art classes are full. Either a music or art program is going to be important because of the Master Agreement (teachers are required to be given prep time) and accreditation with the Office for Public Instruction. The administration is struggling to figure out a plan on how to fund either a middle school music or District-wide art program, given current budget issues. Options that were discussed included Digital Academy and the potential sharing of a teacher with another district. Grant funding is probably not an option as we need

money for a salary and grants don't tend to fund salary expenses. Administration will continue to look at options for our arts program and report back to the Board.

ADJOURNMENT

Board Chair Tim Melton adjourned the meeting at 2:12 pm

Tim Melton, Board Chair

Mary Thurber, District Clerk

Claim Checks

Check #	Type	Vendor #/Name	Check Amount	Date Issued	Period Redeemed	Claim #	Claim Amount
39831	S	2056 Anonymous Alerts	1800.00	04/10/25		CL 4498	1800.00
39832	S	153 BOZEMAN DAILY CHRONICLE	99.00	04/10/25		CL 4495	99.00
39841	S	228 CENTURLINK	312.53	04/22/25		CL 4505	312.53
39833	S	1337 CORE CONTROL	2431.35	04/10/25		CL 4496	2431.35
39842	S	441 GALLATIN GATEWAY WATER & SEWER DISTRICT	937.33	04/22/25		CL 4506	937.33
39843	S	545 Hillyard	423.06	04/22/25		CL 4508	423.06
39834	S	577 KELLEY CREATE	286.05	04/10/25		CL 4497	286.05
39844	S	577 KELLEY CREATE	23.31	04/22/25		CL 4504	23.31
39835	S	629 KROGSTAD, NEAL	300.00	04/10/25		CL 4489	300.00
39845	S	1563 L&L SITE SERVICES	334.50	04/22/25		CL 4499	334.50
39846	S	1989 LEAF	45.38	04/22/25		CL 4500	45.38
39847	S	686 MASBO	50.00	04/22/25		CL 4502	50.00
39836	S	751 MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	4598.35	04/10/25		CL 4494	4598.35
39837	S	1297 MONTANA OPTICOM	794.40	04/10/25		CL 4492	794.40
39848	S	806 MTSBA - MONTANA SCHOOL BOARD ASSOCIATION	4812.00	04/22/25		CL 4503	4812.00
39849	S	856 NORTHWESTERN ENERGY	3628.33	04/22/25		CL 4507	3628.33
39850	S	939 PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM	7273.24	04/22/25		CL 4501	7273.24
39838	S	2057 Schladetsch, Paige	129.96	04/10/25		CL 4490	129.96
39839	S	1118 TEAR IT UP LLC	56.80	04/10/25		CL 4491	56.80
39840	S	666 THOMAS, LORRIE	100.00	04/10/25		CL 4493	100.00

Total for Claim Checks
28435.59
Count for Claim Checks
20

* denotes missing check number(s)

of Checks: 20 Total: 28435.59

Agenda Item: Summer 2025 Technology needs proposal

Physically clean and update software for all computers in school – Annual Maintenance

Break-down

Install new firewall, switches, and access points	40 Hours
24 laptops – Teacher/Faculty Laptops Update Software	20 hours
24 Laptops – Configure to Airtame and network	20 hours
160 Chrome Books – School wide – Clean (Physically) Power wash and Update	30 hours
25 Tech lab computers – Update operating system & Update inventory	20 hours 10 hours
Install new teacher computers and student chrome books	10 hours
Update 4 office workstations / 4 office laptops	10 hours
Update Network school wide and add to newly acquired Chromebooks that replace broken Chromebooks from this year.	40 hours
Update operating systems and update Whitelist school wide.	40 hours
Update and clean all school projectors including filters	10 hours
Perform service on computers in Tech lab	20 hours
Update Inventory School Wide & create new student accounts for 2025-2026 school year, (Lock account so only student can use C.B. checked out to them)	40 hours

Estimated total hours **310 hours**

Networking and maintenance for existing network

Update and configure Google domain whitelist site and roll over websites for Bark and Google Whitelist	20 hours
Update network/technology inventory Includes new camera/security system	30 hours

Estimated total hours **50 hours**

Estimated total: 360 total hours

Recommended motion:

to hire Mike Coon at \$25/hour for maximum of 360 hours from June 9, 2025 - August 26, 2025 to update and maintain the district's technology, software, and network. Also, any other maintenance work needed at school during summertime is included in this contract.

Superintendent's Report

May 21, 2025



Strategic Goals

Individual Student Success

- Special Education students - 16
- Students with 504's - 24
- Check In/Check Out - no students on formal check in check out process
- No disciplinary actions to report
- Current Enrollment - 133

Staff and Volunteers

- PLC meeting topics: Standards based grading and instruction, data compilation and analysis, planning for spring events.

Student Events

- Field Trips Galore -
 - 7th grade Whitewater Rafting;
 - 2nd grade Museum of the Rockies,
 - 3rd grade Buffalo Jump, PreK-2 Storybook Park,
 - 5th grade Butte Mining

Discussion Points:

- Teacher Appreciation Week May 5-9
- New Subdivision Information
- Contract with Denning and Downing which is changing names to Nexus with Mr. Denning's retirement
- Business Office - Ms. Thurber has been diligently working on reconciling with the county. Here are the links to the work that has been completed so far:
 - [Check Reconciliation](#)
 - [General Reconciliation](#)
 - We are currently working on the BMO Credit Card reconciliation
- Stay Interviews are being scheduled
- Security Film was installed May 17th

Upcoming Events:

Bronze Museum	May 21st 9am
No School - Memorial Day	May 26th
Student Appreciation Day	May 30th (Schedule of Events at the end of this document)
Graduation	June 4th 6pm

Last Day of School

June 6th

8th Grade Trip to DC and NYC











Student Appreciation Schedule

Schedule of Events:

8:00-12:00 – Academic Displays (Gym)

Pre-Kindergarten - Alphabet Handprint books
Kindergarten – Self Portraits and Student Work Portfolios
First Grade – Young Authors Books, Footprint Art
Second Grade – President Reports and Habitat Dioramas
Third Grade – Bronze Museum Display, Bird Beak Line Plots
Fourth Grade – Unwaxed Trifolds and Portraits
Fifth Grade – Water Presentations
Sixth Grade – Social Studies Art, Yellowstone Journals, Career Exploration
Seventh Grade – Declamations, MT Maps
Eighth Grade – Declamations, Science Fair Projects, Monument Reports

8:15-10:15 am – Classroom Presentations

Pre-School, Kindergarten, First and Second Grade Cafeteria (8:30am)
Third Grade – Mural Stories (9:45am)
Fourth Grade – Regions Project from Unwaxed Presentations
Fifth Grade – Westward Expansion Maps and Tribe Flags
Sixth Grade – International Fair
Seventh Grade – Genius Hour
Eighth Grade – Genius Hour -D.C. Slide Shows

10:15-11:15 am - Gator Math Bowl and Math Fact Bowl Grades 3-8 Gym

11:15 am – Lunch on the Lawn- Please call 763-4415 by May 26th, if you will be joining us for lunch!
Ms. Hancox will call grade levels over the intercom
Adult \$5.00 / Children \$3.90

11:30 – Presentations on the Green

5th Grade Aerodynamics/Water Bottle Rockets

12:30 – Talent Show (Gym)

1:30-3:00 - Awards Assembly with Kindergarten Graduation



Kelly Henderson <super@gallatingatewayschool.com>

Proposed 4-Lot Mixed Use Subdivision (15 OG Kush Ln, Gallatin Gateway, MT)

1 message

ldurkin@alpinesurveying.net <ldurkin@alpinesurveying.net>

Fri, Apr 25, 2025 at 2:18 PM

Reply-To: ldurkin@alpinesurveying.net

To: super@gallatingatewayschool.com

Superintendent Henderson,

We are presently preparing a Potential Impact Statement for inclusion in a Preliminary Plat Application for a proposed subdivision in Gallatin County and are requesting your input. Please review the proposed layout and provide your written comments addressing the effects this project may have on the community and your ability to provide services to the area.

If you require additional information, please don't hesitate to call or email. We appreciate your assistance and prompt reply. Please contact our office if you have any questions. Thank you.

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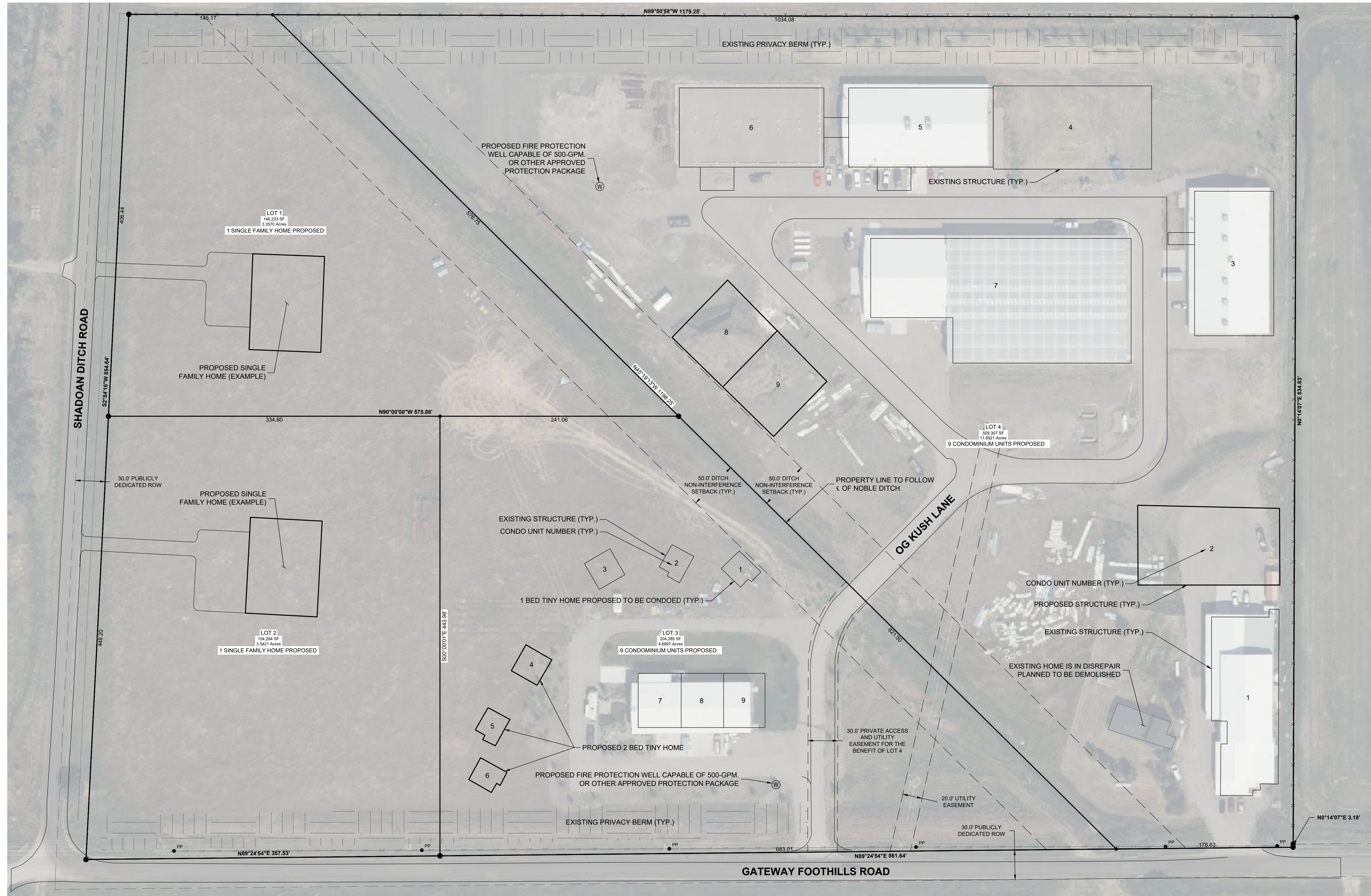


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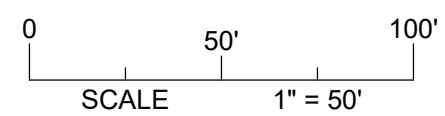
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May 1, 2025

Board of Trustees
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Mary Thurber, District Clerk

Gallatin Gateway Public School

We are engaged to audit the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Gallatin Gateway Public School for the year ended June 30, 2024. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit. We would also appreciate the opportunity to meet with you to discuss this information further since a two-way dialogue can provide valuable information for the audit process.

Our Responsibility under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards and *Government Auditing Standards*

As stated in our engagement letter dated August 22, 2022, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to express opinions about whether the financial statements prepared by management with your oversight are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Our audit of the financial statements does not relieve you or management of your responsibilities.

As part of our audit, we will consider the internal control of Gallatin Gateway Public School. Such considerations will be solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Gallatin Gateway Public School's financial statements are free of material misstatements, we will perform tests of Gallatin Gateway Public School's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions is not an objective of our audit.

Our responsibility is to plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

We are responsible for communicating significant matters related to the audit that are, in our professional judgment, relevant to your responsibilities in overseeing the financial reporting process. However, we are not required to design procedures specifically to identify such matters.

We are also responsible for communicating particular matters required by law, regulation, agreement, or other requirements applicable to the engagement.

We gave significant consideration to particular circumstances or relationships such as financial interests, business, or family relationships, or non-attest/non-audit services provided or expected to be provided, and have implemented safeguards to ensure independence.

Generally accepted accounting principles provide for certain required supplementary information (RSI) to supplement the basic financial statements. Our responsibility with respect to Budgetary Comparison Schedule and Budget-to-GAAP Reconciliation, Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A), Schedule of Changes in the Entity's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios, Schedule of Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, and a Schedule of Contributions, which supplement the basic financial statements, is to apply certain limited procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. However, the RSI will not be audited and, because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance, we will not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the RSI.

We have been engaged to report on the Schedule of Enrollment, and the Schedule of Revenue and Expenditures – Extracurricular Fund – All Fund Accounts, which accompany the financial statements but are not RSI. Our responsibility for this supplementary information, as described by professional standards, is to evaluate the presentation of the supplementary information in relation to the financial statements as a whole and to report on whether the supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Planned Scope, Timing of the Audit, and Other

An Audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements; therefore, our audit will involve judgment about the number of transactions to be examined and the areas to be tested.

Our audit will include obtaining an understanding to the entity and its environment, including internal control, sufficient to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements and to design the nature, timing, and extent of further audit procedures. Material misstatements may result from (1) errors, (2) fraudulent financial reporting, (3) misappropriation of assets, or (4) violations of laws or governmental regulations that are attributable to the entity or to the acts by management or employees acting on behalf of the entity. We will generally communicate our significant findings at the conclusion of the audit. However, some matters could be communicated sooner, particularly if significant difficulties are encountered during the audit where assistance is needed to overcome the difficulties or if the difficulties may lead to a modified opinion. We will also communicate any internal control related matters that are required to be communicated under professional standards.

We expect to begin our audit on approximately May 1, 2025 and issue our report on approximately June 15, 2025. Robert Denning is the engagement partner and is responsible for supervising the engagement and signing the report or authorizing another individual to sign it.

This information is intended solely for the use the Board of Trustees and management of Gallatin Gateway Public School and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

Angela Holmes, Senior Auditor
Denning, Downey & Associates, P.C.

Old Business
DISCUSSION ITEM

Committee Updates

Presented by: Tim Melton

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

Facilities

Whole Child

Safety

PDAC - this committee has finished up their work for the year and will convene January 2026.

Old Business
DISCUSSION ITEM

Arts Proposals

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

In looking at the master agreement, Mr. Coon and I determined that each teacher must have a minimum of 225 minutes weekly for a preparation period. Each of our class periods are 56 minutes giving them 225 minutes in 4 days. We would still continue to meet the master agreement requirements with 4 weekly prep periods.

Music:

PreK-5

- The teachers have been previewing a music program called QuaverEd. This resource comes with slides and everything the teacher needs to teach music in the classroom. We will put together a resource cart for the teachers. This will assist us in meeting the standards while being mindful of the budget. There would be a dedicated time period during the school week where each teacher would teach music.

6-8th grade

- MTDA: Exploring Music. This is a one-semester course for middle school students interested in music.
- Theater: To meet the theater requirements, we could do elementary and middle school play performances.
- Guest Artists
- Outside Performances

Art:

PreK-5

- This would be completed in class by the teachers using the standards and pacing calendars that are already developed. Most grades do art projects in their classroom.
- Staff could rotate teaching art for a week. That would be one rotation every 4 weeks for PreK-2 and one rotation every 3 weeks for 3-5.
- Art Seminars/Visiting Artists. We could bring in resident artists for seminars for the students. We do this for the bronze statues for third grade. We could incorporate this type of activity for all grades but particularly the middle school students.

6-8th grade

- MTDA: Fine Arts. This is a one-semester course for middle school students interested in art.
- Art Seminars/Visiting Artists. We could bring in resident artists for seminars for the students. We do this for the bronze statues for third grade. We could incorporate this type of activity for all grades but particularly the middle school students.

Old Business
ACTION ITEM

Salary Advancement

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate) Teachers who are at the top of the salary schedule receive no salary increase, steps, or lanes after MA+10, 25 years. In the past, the district has provided a 1.5% increase to teachers at the top of the schedule. We would like to implement this again for any teachers at the top of the salary schedule. If the staff salaries/wages are frozen, the same would be true for all staff. This language would be added to the master agreement.

Recommendation: Administration recommends the approval of the 1.5% annual salary increase for teachers at the top of the salary schedule (MA+10/year 26).

Old Business
ACTION ITEM

Classified Staff Work Agreements

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

	Days/Mo	Salary 24	Salary 25
Taylor	10	\$ 35,360.00	\$ 35,890.40
Stoner	12	\$ 65,520.00	\$ 66,502.80
Quarters	9	\$ 23,808.00	\$ 24,165.12
Inman	9	\$ 23,808.00	\$ 24,165.12
Thurber	12	\$ 62,000.00	\$ 62,930.00
Hancox	12	\$ 44,000.00	\$ 44,660.00
Bennett	9	\$ 26,226.00	\$ 26,619.39
		\$ 280,722.00	\$ 284,932.80
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This would increase the general fund budget by \$4,210.83 for salaries. The estimated cost of benefits for the next school year would be (25%) \$71,233.21. Estimated benefits from 2024-2025 is \$70,180.50 (25%).

Mary Thurber - District Clerk/Business Manager - 12 month contract

Hannah Hancox - School Secretary/Athletic Director - 12 month contract

Darwin Stoner - Facilities Manager - 12 month contract

Shelby Taylor - Kitchen Manager - 10 month contract (This is a change from a 12 month contract.)

LaDonna Quarters - Paraprofessional - 9 month hourly contract

Claudia Inman - Paraprofessional - 9 month hourly contract

Jeffrey Bennett - Bus Driver - 9 month hourly contract

Recommendation: Administration recommends approval of the classified staff presented and the wages outlined.

Old Business
ACTION ITEM

District Handbooks

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

Changes in handbooks:

- Curriculum - added proficiency based learning language - a condition of accreditation, added link and information about the scheduling tool for the MAST assessment. Provided a form to obtain this information. Will update the MAST Testing window schedule when it is provided from OPI. Updated the Engagement section to fit with the requests of the staff more information and focus on student engagement. [25-26 Curriculum Guide.docx](#)
- Assessment - updated the schedule of assessments for next school year [25-26 Assessment Handbook.docx](#)
- HR Handbook - updated reimbursable per diem process [25-26 HR Handbook \(2\).docx](#)
- Volunteer - updated the supervised and unsupervised description to include either name based or fingerprint background check. [25-26 Volunteer Handbook \(2\).docx](#)
- Staff - added new calendar, updated the board, updated staffing list, updated master schedule, the annual calendar, and the PDAC Calendar, ICE Protocols [25-26 Staff Handbook](#)
- Student/Parent - clarified tardies for K-2; updated the discipline matrix and processes; updated calendar, student email use, updated language about enrolled students in the SPED evaluation process, updated language about smart watches, updated eligibility guidelines for athletics, updated the absence policy to reflect standards based grading requirements and homework completion, added anonymous alerts information, added information about the Little Gators Preschool. [25-26 Student-Parent Handbook \(1\).docx](#)
- Wellness - updated the rubrics with progress information [25-26 GGS Wellness Plan.docx](#)
- 25-27 Master Agreement - updated the salary matrix, included the STARS information/MOU, and made changes to the 45 minute duty free lunch, updated the pay schedule for 2025-2027. [2025-2027 Certified Master Agreement.docx](#)
- Athletics - updated the eligibility guidelines; added dates and schedule for each sports [25-26 Athletic Handbook.docx](#)
- Behavior - updated the discipline matrix, updated the reporting form, added the Teacher Lunch Room Procedures [25-26 Behavior Expectations.docx](#)

No changes to the ELL, 504, Butte Science, Expedition Yellowstone, Mentoring, MTSS, Title IX, DC, Support Staff, IRP, IEFA, writing, EMP, Classroom Management

Recommendation: Administration recommends approval of the changes to the district handbooks

Old Business
ACTION ITEM

Extra-Curricular Stipends

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate) Starting next year, the Foundation will be paying for the DC Advisors portion of the DC trip. The workload for these two positions has increased exponentially. I'd like to raise the stipend amount for both positions. The main advisor would receive \$2,000 and the co-advisor would receive \$1,200. The remainder of the stipends will stay the same.

Recommendation. Administration recommends approval of the increase in the stipends for the DC trip advisors.

New Business
DISCUSSION ITEM

State of the School Community Presentation

Presented by: Tim Melton

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

New Business
DISCUSSION ITEM

Non-Resident Student Applications

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate) These are the non-resident applications received for the 25-26 school year.

Transfer In: 20 students from Bozeman (11), Belgrade (4), Cottonwood (4), and Monforton (1) (9 MS Students/11 Elementary students). All approved by administration

Transfer Out: 7 students to Anderson (1), Bozeman (6) All approved by administration

Recommendation: Administration recommends approval of the accepted and rejected student applications for out of district enrollment.

New Business
ACTION ITEM

Bus Dash Cameras

Presented by: Kelly Henderson

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate)

The purchase of these dashcams would come from Bus Depreciation funds as this is a safety issue. Deputy Mayland recommended that we have these installed in both buses. The current camera system does not capture the outside - only the inside of the bus. This prevents the driver from having to access his phone to take pictures or videos of violations.

Samsara: Dual facing dash cam - \$2,160.00

Front facing dash cam - \$1,584.00

AngelTrax: Stop Arm Mounted - \$1,503.44

Recommendation: Administration recommends the approval of the dash cams for installation in the two district owned buses.

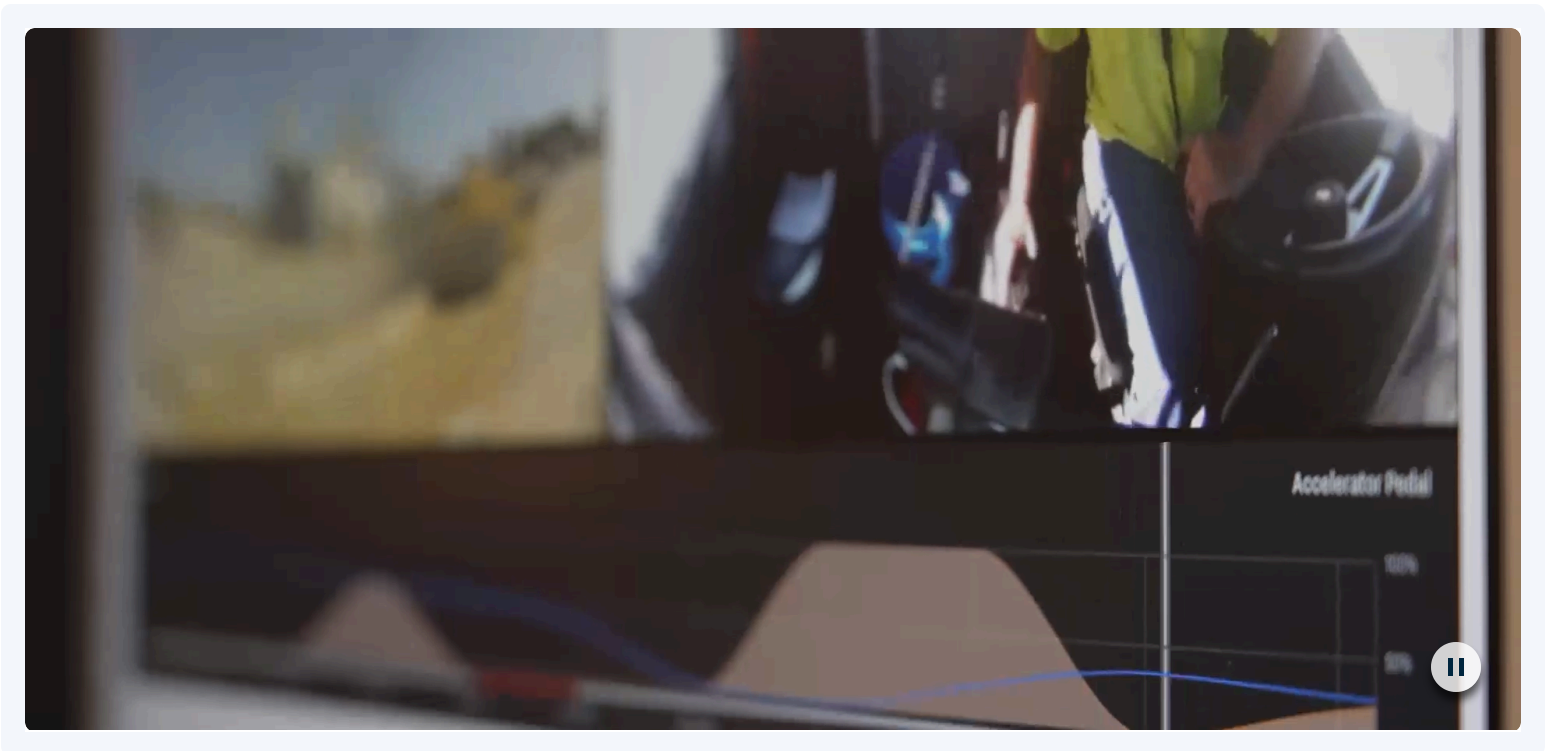
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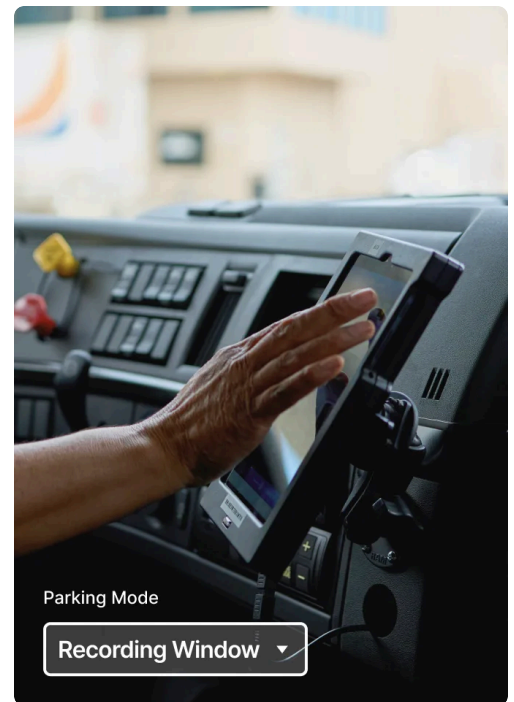
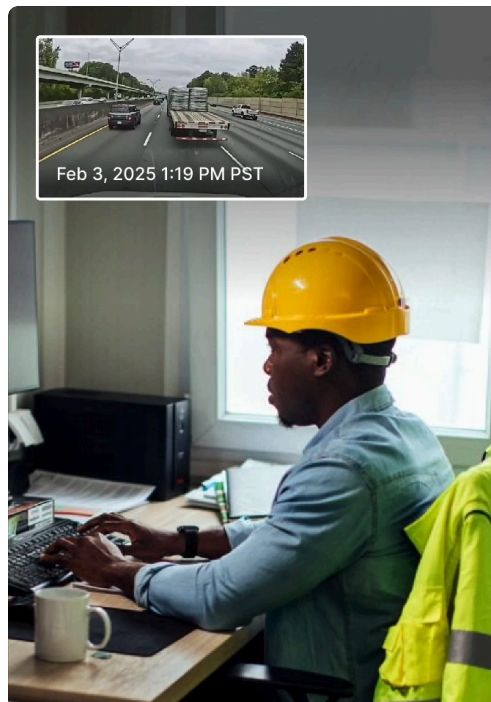
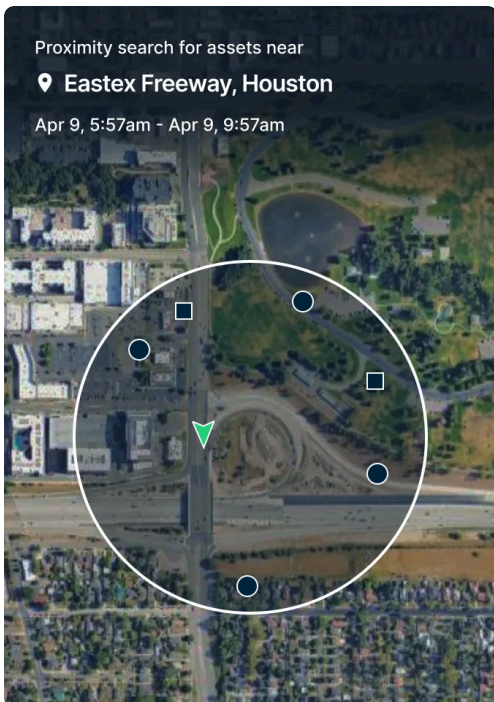
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MODEL & DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
<p>AngelTrax VULCANV642M2 Mobile Digital Video Recorder System (System Contents and Product Descriptions Listed Below)</p>	1	\$1,503.44	\$1,503.44
<p>V642M2 Vulcan Series 6-Channel HD/IP Mobile Digital Video Recorder • 6 Channels with 4 Channels D1, WD1, 720P, or up 1080P + 2 Channels IP 720P, 1080P, up to 4MP • Supports (1) M.2 SATA Solid-State Drive, up to 4TB (Sold Separately) • Supports (2) microSD cards, up to 512GB Each (Sold Separately) • 64GB microSD Card for Redundant Recording (Included) • Built-in Wi-Fi Module • Built-in G-Force Sensor • Vandal-Resistant Locking Hard Drive • Panic Button • H.264/H.265 Compression</p>	1		
<p>SSD1TBM2 Solid State 1TB M.2 SATA Hard Drive for 3.5" Tray REQUIRES PURCHASE OF HARD DRIVE TRAY</p> <p>We recommend the use of storage media provided only by AngelTrax for our recording devices. AngelTrax hard drives and SD cards are optimized for around-the-clock video surveillance and are designed to withstand extreme temperatures. Standard hard drives and SD cards purchased through consumer resellers are not made for surveillance devices and have been known to stop functioning at any time without warning, causing a loss of video.</p>	1		
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 <p>VULPBH Vulcan Series Panic Button Housing PC color</p>	1		
 <p>HDLP5MP-L Vulcan Series HD 5MP SAV Camera for Driver's Side Facing Front of Bus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16mm Lens • IP68 Rated Waterproof Exterior Camera • 1080P HD • 5 Megapixels • Super Infrared • Anti-Vibration, Vandal-Resistant Casing • Scratch-Resistant, Anti-Glare Polarized Glass Lens Cover • Designed to Capture License Plates as Vehicles Pass By • Mounted on the Driver's Side Exterior and Faces the Front of the Bus </p>	1		
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 <p>HD12CBL (2) 39.37 ft. HD Camera Cable</p>	2		
 <p>V642SECKEY Vulcan Series Blue Light Security Key USB 3.0 for V642M2</p>	1	\$31.92	\$31.92
<p>CONT3RD Installation not included. Installation to be performed by Dealer or End User as specified by Dealer.</p>	1	\$0.00	\$0.00
<p>SHIPPING/HANDLING Shipping and Handling Charges - 1 box * Optional items are not included in the calculation.*</p>	1	\$50.00	\$50.00

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MODEL & DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
TOTAL			\$1,585.36

QUOTED PRODUCTS - OPTIONAL ITEMS		NOTE: OPTIONAL ITEMS BELOW ARE NOT INCLUDED IN TOTAL PRICING ABOVE.	
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New Business
ACTION ITEM

Trustee Resolution Requesting County Conduct Election (s)

Presented by: Mary Thurber

Background: (Include funding sources as appropriate). Each year, the Trustees must request that Gallatin County conduct our elections for the following year. Functions that the County will perform include issuing, receiving and counting ballots.

Recommendation: Administration recommends the passage of the Trustee Resolution Requesting County Conduct Election (s)

TRUSTEE RESOLUTION REQUESTING COUNTY CONDUCT ELECTION(S)

BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees for Gallatin Gateway School District No. 35, Gallatin County, State of Montana, requests that Gallatin County, State of Montana, conduct the following school elections for Gallatin Gateway School District No. 35, Gallatin County for Fiscal Year 2025-2026:

All Elections

Specific Elections

In accordance with 20-20-417, MCA, the county will perform the duties imposed on the trustees and the clerk of the district for school elections in 20-20-203, 20-20-313, and 20-20-401, and deliver to the trustees, for the purpose of canvassing the vote, the certified tally sheets and other items as provided in 13-15-301.

Other election duties not specified will be conducted by mutual agreement between the district clerk and the county election administrator.

Tim Melton, Board Chair

Signature of Board Chair

Mary Thurber, District Clerk

Signature of Clerk

DATED this _____ day of _____, 20____.