



**JEROME**  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FOUNDATION

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE JEROME  
SCHOOL DISTRICT FOUNDATION, INC.**

The Board of Directors of the Jerome School District Foundation, Inc. (“Foundation”, “Board”) met Thursday September 5, 2019, at the School District Offices in Jerome, Idaho, at the hour of 12:08 pm. Present were Megan Williams, Linda Burton, Esmeralda Chavez, Liz Bingham, Callie Van Houten, and Patrick Crozier; visitor was Annette Lott from the School District Board.

Minutes from the August meeting were approved. (Motion: Patrick, Second: Esmeralda) The Diehl Family Goalpost Ribbon Cutting was a successful halftime event, although sharper scissors would be helpful. The event publicized the Foundation in the evening TV news and reached an audience of more than 1000 people on Facebook. Bayer grant money was acknowledged in between the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarters of the game; pictures were posted to our social media accounts.

Callie provided a current financial profit and loss statement to the Board. She is still sorting accounts but records are looking positive. She’s highlighted a few smaller accounts from donations and bequeaths that we need to remember in our grant assignments to zero those accounts out.

From Callie’s calculation and funds received, it was decided \$5000 was the aim for our grant giving this year 2019-2020. We received 19 grant submissions and have awarded 9 grants. We are awaiting possible business donations to see if we can fully fund all or more. *See attached chart of the grant distribution.*

Megan will talk with Denny Stauffer and Jessica Juarez as future board members and invite them to join our meetings, either in October or November. Further board members will be discussed in upcoming months. Our ultimate goal is a well-rounded, balanced community board.

The paver company offered a good deal on the pavers and we’ll try one last push to bring in more orders by the 15<sup>th</sup>. If not, Megan will proceed with the 5 orders that have been waiting for a long time. All board members are encouraged to help find 15 more individuals.

Next meeting is scheduled for October 3rd, 2019, at 12:00 pm- Jerome School District Offices. No further business coming before the meeting the same was adjourned at 1:17 pm. (Motion: Patrick, Second: Linda)

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**Teacher Mini Grant Awards 2019-2020**

| Applicant(s)   | Sponsor                 | Foundation Sponsored                                    | Business Sponsored |
|--|-------------------------|---|--------------------|
| Penny Aufderheide/ Connie McDonald (Summit)<br>- Bounce to the Beat            | Crozier Enterprises LLC |   | \$250.00           |
| Lisa Henderson (Jefferson)<br>- Building Geometric Shapes                      | Jiffy Lube              |   | \$406.02           |
| Julie Kirk (Middle)<br>- Hands-On Equation Manipulations                       | Walmart Grant           | \$513.57  |                    |
| Samantha Fletcher (Summit)<br>- Taking a "Walk" Around Idaho                   | Walmart Grant           | \$800.00  |                    |
| Denise Baugh (Middle)<br>- Robotics Team Advancement                           | Walmart Grant           | \$1000.00   |                    |
| Gayle Butts (Horizon)<br>- Math-Walk to Intervention                           | Title One               | \$127.24  | \$500              |
| Rosa Gonzalez (Summit)<br>- Hands-On Science                                   | Idaho Milk Products     |   | \$858.60           |
| Cheryl Farnsworth/ Megan Hinojos (Middle)<br>- Dystopian Novel Unit: The Giver | Walmart Grant           | \$934.90<br><small>(1 bundle &amp; 1 class set)</small> |                    |
| Chris Perry (Jefferson)<br>- Tumbling Mats (4 mats)                            | McDonald's              | \$775.00  | \$225              |
| Totals   |                         | \$4150.71   | \$2,239.62         |
| <b>Additional Sponsorship?</b>   |                         |   |                    |
| Ashlee Hillin (Jefferson)<br>- Shelving for Classroom Library                  | Black Pine Cabinets     | \$50<br>Bequeath  | ???                |

Donation distribution among schools (9 total grants):

Middle School: 3 grants

Summit Elementary: 3 grants

Jefferson Elementary: 2 grants, possible help in locating funds for Ms. Hillin

Horizon Elementary: 1 grant

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