

MINUTES OF THE
CENTRAL CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
October 20, 2025

The Central City Board of Education met 8:00 p.m., on Monday, October 20, 2025 in the Central City High School Conference Room at 1510 28th Street in Central City, NE 68826.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll call showed the following members present: Brian Buhlke, Aaron Heins, Chuck Homolka, Brent Kennedy, Lisa Wagner, and Brett Zikmund. Also present: Jeff Jensen, Superintendent.

It was moved by Homolka, seconded by Buhlke, that it is hereby determined that this meeting was preceded by advanced notice by publishing in the Republican Nonpareil and by posting notices at the Superintendent's Office, Merrick County Courthouse and City Hall Office and is hereby declared to be duly convened in open session and a copy of the agenda is posted in the Superintendent's Office. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The school district treasurer's financial report disclosed a reconciled unencumbered balance of \$6,037,073.60 as of September 30, 2025.

The high school activities fund account disclosed a balance on September 30, 2025 of \$313,336.73, middle school activity fund disclosed a balance of \$18,065.17, and the elementary activity fund disclosed a balance of \$16,586.58. The cafeteria account disclosed a balance \$16,325.80.

It was moved by Buhlke, seconded by Kennedy, to approve the agenda of the meeting. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

It was moved by Buhlke, seconded by Heins, to approve the consent agenda action items, which include minutes from September 15, 2025, financial review of funds, and October claims with the exception of claim #37781. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

It was moved by Heins, seconded by Homolka, to approve Claim #37781. Motion carried 5-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None. Abstain: Kennedy.

The Board Reviewed policies 2007, 2010, 2011, 2013, and 2014 with no Changes.

The Board listened to a presentation by Jack Moles of NRCSA.

It was moved by Buhlke, seconded by Kennedy, to approve support of building improvements at South Park to include labor of shed and noted expenses not to exceed for Softball. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The Board discussed, with no action, Fall Map Score Assessments and 2026-2027 Certified Staff Negotiations.

It was moved by Heins, seconded by Zikmund, to set regular board meeting for **Wednesday, November 12th**, 2025 at 8:00p.m. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

It was moved by Buhlke, seconded by Heins, to recognize: Kip Lenhart and Josh Lueders as Veterans' of the Community, the Girls Softball Team for their State Runner-Up Finish, the Girls Golf Team for qualifying for the State Tournament, and State Cross Country Individual Qualifiers of Julia Buss, Janaya Davis, Amelia Buhlke, and Jacob Zimmerman. Motion carried 6-0. Ayes: Buhlke, Heins, Homolka, Kennedy, Wagner, and Zikmund. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Meeting adjourned at 8:42p.m.

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Central City Board of Education, hereby certify that the foregoing minutes is a true and correct representation of the meeting of the Central City Board of Education held in open session on October 20, 2025. Dated this 20th day of October 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,

Aaron Heins, Board Secretary