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February 21, 2025

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE:

School District No. 50, East Glacier Park Grade School

The Board of Trustees for the East Glacier Park Grade School, School District No. 50, will hold their regular board meeting on **Monday, February 24, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in the school lunchroom**. If any individual will need accommodations, inform the school administration 72 hours in advance. The agenda is attached.

You may phone or email the District Clerk if you would like to request additional accommodations: 406-226-5543 or laurengandurski@eastglacierschool.com

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District Clerk of School District No. 50

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AGENDA

The Board Chair is authorized to adjust the order of agenda items to accommodate the scheduling needs of interested parties.

- I. Call the Meeting to Order.
- II. Recognition of Visitors.
- III. Review procedures for addressing the Board.
- IV. Approve the January 27, 2025 Regular Board Meeting Minutes.
- V. Principal's Report:
 - A. March calendar and upcoming events.
 - B. Administrative activities and reports.
 - C. Summary of school activities.
- VI. Staff Report: Casey Stellanata, Office Manager; Aides Robin Foote, Haley Parker, Cole Sherburne, and Stephanie Wolf.
 - A. Introduction to duties: statistics and activities.
 - B. Tour of work spaces.
- VII. Student Council Report.
 - A. Student Council completed activities.
 - B. Student Council planned activities.
- VIII. Strategic Plan Report.
 - A. Next Meeting is March 12, 2025 at 2 p.m.
- IX. Unfinished Business:
 - A. Negotiations for 2025-26 School Year for Certified Staff.
 - B. Negotiations for 2025-26 School Year for Classified Staff.
 - C. Negotiations for 2025-26 School Year for Off-Schedule Classified Aide.
 - D. Negotiations for 2025-26 School Year for Office and Business Managers, Custodian.

- X. New Business:
 - A. Consider staff for existing extracurricular positions:
 - a. Consider hiring Summer Graham for Girls Basketball Coach (Gr. 3-8th) (2024-25 season) (\$800 Stipend).
 - B. Consider extra duty stipends at \$40/hr for Certified staff K. Salisbury, S. Schildt, and M. Petersen for hours worked on the Literacy Grant due March 14, 2025.
 - C. Sign Letter of Reasonable Assurance for Literacy Grant.
 - D. Discuss Board approval of procedures to manage Community use of School Facilities. [Policies 4330, 4330F, 4330P]
 - E. Consider approving 8th grade trip to San Diego in May 2025.
 - F. Consider Teacher Letter: Intent to Move Horizontally on Teacher Salary Schedule.

F. RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO IMPOSE AN INCREASE IN LEVIES
 EAST GLACIER PARK GRADE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 50
 GLACIER COUNTY (Changes in Permissive Levies and SB 307).

As an essential part of its budgeting process, the East Glacier Park Grade School (School District #50) Board of Trustees is authorized by law to impose levies to support its budget. The East Glacier Park Grade School Board of Trustees estimates the following changes in revenues and mills for the funds noted below for the next school fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, using certified taxable valuations from the current school fiscal year as provided to the district:

TOTAL - ALL FUNDS USING PRIOR YEAR TAXABLE VALUE:

Fund	2024-2025 Actual Levies		2025-2026 Projections							
	\$	Mills	\$	Mills	Change \$	Change Mills	Est. Annual Tax Impact \$100K home	Est. Annual Tax Impact \$200K home	Est. Annual Tax Impact \$300K home	Est. Annual Tax Impact \$600K home
General - BASE	\$ 52,915	22.57	\$ 52,915	22.57	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
General - OverBASE	\$ 194,775	83.10	\$ 194,775	83.10	\$ (0)	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Transportation	\$ -	0.00	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Bus Depreciation	\$ -	0.00	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Tuition	\$ -	0.00	\$ 6,726	2.87	\$ 6,726	2.87	\$ 3.87	\$ 7.74	\$ 11.61	\$ 23.22
Adult Ed	\$ -	0.00	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Technology	\$ 20,725	8.84	\$ 20,725	8.84	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Flexibility	\$ -	0.00	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Debt Service	\$ -	0.00	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Building Reserve Permissive	\$ 4,871	2.08	\$ 6,000	2.56	\$ 1,129	0.48	\$ 0.65	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.95	\$ 3.90
Building Reserve Voted	\$ 45,000	19.20	\$ 45,000	19.20	\$ -	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Grand Total	\$ 318,286	135.79	\$ 326,141	139.14	\$ 7,855	3.35	\$ 4.52	\$ 9.04	\$ 13.56	\$ 27.12

SB307 impacts above are based on the certified taxable valuations from the current school fiscal year (2024-25). The final certified taxable valuations available August 1, 2025 and student enrollment for the 2025-26 school year may result in changes to these estimates.

Regarding the increase in the building reserve permissive levy referenced above, the school will continue to save for the facility maintenance projects of upgrading the plumbing and Safety System Upgrades. It is expected, but not guaranteed, that the State of Montana’s Office of Public Instruction will provide \$3.59 for every \$1 levied locally to the permissive building reserve levy (up to \$17,500).

The Board of Trustees authorizes Lauren Gandurski, Business Manager/Clerk, to adjust the 2025-26 projections for accuracy before publication by March 31, 2025.

XI. Indian Education Committee Report.

XII. District Clerk's Report:

A. By Consent Agenda:

1. Revenue Report: January 2025;
2. Expenditure Report: January 2025;
3. Balance to Bank Statement: January 2025;
4. Student Activity Report: January 2025;
5. Approve:
 - a. claims: #17071-17085;
 - b. voided claims: None;
 - c. claim warrants: #8118-8129;
 - d claim direct deposit ACH (Bank/P-Cards): January 29th, 2025 and February 13th, 2025;
 - e. voided claim warrants: None;
 - f. payroll warrants: #3820-3824;
 - g. payroll direct deposits: January 30th, 2025 and February 14th, 2024 regular payrolls;
 - h. voided payroll warrants: None;
 - i. purchase orders: ;
 - j. voided purchase order: None;
 - k. students' activity checks: 918-920; and,
 - l. voided student activity check: None.
6. Approve:
 - a. Consider the Indirect Cost application for the 2025-26 school year.
 - b. Consider Montana School Boards Association (MTSBA) membership renewal for the 2025-26 SY for \$1,369.00. (*\$82 increase*).

B. Community and all interested entities' input on Impact Aid and Title VII. The Board will review and act upon any recommendation of the Blackfeet Tribe, parents of Indian children and other parents regarding program operation, staffing, and policies.

XIII. Public Input.

XIV. Adjournment.

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Information about this agenda, including the Board packet and supplemental documents, is available at the School District office. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

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Citizens may comment on items appearing on the agenda when invited to participate during that agenda item by the Board Chair. Citizens may comment on items related to School District business not appearing on this agenda during the public comment portion of the meeting. Public meetings may be recorded or broadcast by citizens in accordance with Montana law. Citizens broadcasting or recording a meeting are encouraged to notify the board chair so appropriate accommodations and notifications can be made.

Montana law requires school districts and other public agencies to include on the agenda for public meetings an item allowing public comment on any ***public matter not otherwise specifically listed on the agenda*** that is within the jurisdiction of the agency. As has also been the practice of the District, and in accordance with Montana law, if any Board or public representative desires to speak to an item that is ***specifically listed/identified on the agenda***, you will be allowed to do so at the discretion of the Board chairperson when the item comes up for discussion and action. The public comment portion of the agenda is not the time designated to hear items that are specifically listed/identified on the agenda.

For those individuals who desire to address the Board during the “public comment” portion of the meeting, if you haven’t already done so, please sign your name to the sheet located on the table and indicate the general topic on which you will be commenting. The Board Chairman will call individuals to speak in the order listed on the sheet provided. The Board would like to remind everyone in attendance that to avoid violations of individual rights of privacy, a member of the public wishing to address the Board during this time will not be allowed to make comments about any student, staff member, or member of the general public during his/her designated time to speak. In addition, the Board will not hear comments on contested cases or other adjudicative proceedings.

Depending on the number of persons who wish to address the Board, the Board Chairman may place reasonable time limits on comments, in order to maintain and ensure effective and efficient operations of the Board.

By law the District cannot take any action on any matter discussed during the “public comment” portion of the meeting, until such time as the matter is specifically noticed on the agenda, and the public has been allowed the opportunity to comment.

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