



**SWEETWATER COUNTY  
SCHOOL DISTRICT #1**

## Consent Agenda Item 10-a

Approval of the minutes from the November 12, 2018 Board Workshop

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**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Lenny Hay, Paul Kauchich, Max Mickelson, Carol Jelaco, Stephanie Thompson, Emma Waldner and Neil Kourbelas

**ALSO PRESENT:** Kelly McGovern, Scot Duncan, Nicole Bolton, Stephanie Tolman, Gina Harvey, Shannon Garrison, Dan Selleroli, Wanda Maloney, Kayci Arnoldi, Tiffany Gunter, Angie Erramouspe, John Bettolo, Matthew Jackman, Lisa DeBernardi, Tina Johnson, Mark Portillo, Thomas Jassman, Zach Gunyan and Tonette West. Also in attendance were staff members, students, constituents of the District and members of the media.

**CALL MEETING TO ORDER** – Mr. Paul Kauchich, Vice-Chairman of the Board called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Superintendent McGovern, Nicole Bolton, Scot Duncan, Gina Harvey and Thomas Jassman presented information on the following:

- Title IX and Survey Results
- Sweetwater #1 Softball Feasibility Study #1
- Sweetwater #1 Softball Feasibility Study #2
- Title IX Survey Results
- Rock Springs High School Athletics and Activities Ongoing Costs

Mr. Kourbelas inquired as to whether or not funding donations from the Rock Springs Softball Association could be funneled through the Sweetwater One Public School Foundation.

Mr. Mickelson suggested the possibility of looking into requiring all students participating in District activities and athletics to pay a participation fee.

Mrs. Waldner expressed how proud she was that the community came together with their petition for Rock Springs Girls Softball, however she cannot support their request due to the fact that District staff members have not received salary increases for several years.

Mr. Kourbelas stated that in regards to Title IX, funding cannot be a factor in the decision making and he feels that he took an oath to obey the laws. He feels if this situation is an inequality between male and female athletics then it needs to be corrected.

There being no further business the Workshop was adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

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Chairman

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Clerk