

Central SD Enhancement District
Board Meeting
Pierre Area Chamber of Commerce, Community Room
Pierre, SD

Wednesday, September 10, 2025

Attendees: Krysti Barnes, Ashley Geigle, Paul Mehlhaff, Gary Grittner, Lori Jacobson, Jay Drayer, Lorraine Polak, Francine Hall, Jack Valentine, Jamalia Franzen, Vikki Day, David Reiss, Malinda Hetzel, Sadie Goodman, Via Teams: Cadence LaBeau, Kristi Honeywell, Rondha Hiller. Randy Hague, Josh Schmeidhel, Jennie Walters

Call to order: Chairwoman Barnes called the meeting to order at 1:35pm.

Introductions: Introductions were made around the room.

Approve the Agenda: there being no additions to the agenda, a motion to approve was made by Jamalia Franzen, second by Jay Drayer. All voting aye, motion carried.

Approve June 23, 2025, Meeting Minutes: a motion to approve the June 23, 2025, meeting minutes by Jamalia Franzen, seconded by Jay Drayer. All voting aye, motion carried.

Presentation and Discussion: Director Reiss introduced Lorraine Polak, SD State Director, USDA Rural Development and Jack Valentine, Finance Director, SD GOED who presented information about their respective entities programing to members of the board and invited guest and field questions.

Financial Report: Director Reiss shared the current financials with the board briefly visited about expenses and forecasted income for the district.

District Works: Director Reiss reviewed briefly a few highlights from the full work report noting that if anyone has questions to please reach out to CSDED staff.

Paul's Remote Work Request: Director Reiss reviewed Paul's request to work remotely with the board. Motion to approve remote work for Paul from December 1, 2025, to April 20, 2025, made by Jamalia Franzen, second by Jay Drayer. All voting aye, motion carried.

EDA Disaster Recovery Grant Application, Position funding: Director Reiss discussed the proposed planning and position that the grant would be utilized for if awarded. Motion to apply to EDA Disaster Recovery Grant made by Jamalia Franzen, second by Jay Drayer. All voting aye, motion carried.

There being no other business, Chairwoman Barnes declared the meeting adjourned at 3:02pm.