

Stanley County Special School Board Meeting

January 23, 2007

The Stanley County School District, #57-1, Board of Education met in special session January 23, 2007, 5:30 P.M., in the middle school learning center with Sonny Harrowa, Darby Nutter, Bridget Miller, Mork Norman and John Duffy present. Others in attendance were Superintendent Brad Caldwell and Business Manager Kevin Merscheid. Visitors included Travis Gulbrandson, Sam Tidball, David Carlisle, Jim Klemann, Craig & Tanya Heller, Blair Krueger, Greg Swanson, Julie Jeffries, Jim Geuther, Rod Stoeser, Kari Gabriel, Dan & Jeannell Scott and South Dakota Department of Transportation Officials.

President Sonny Harrowa called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M.

President Sonny Harrowa led the pledge of allegiance.

Loren Schaffer representing the South Dakota Department of Transportation presented information on the proposed SD Highway 83 project through Fort Pierre. The project is scheduled to start this spring. The details of the construction near the Stanley County School District's property were presented along with the national standards that must be followed. The Board and the public in attendance proposed the project be changed to meet safety issues for children attending school. Issues such as crosswalks, stop lights, caution lights, crossing guards, barriers and other items were discussed. The need for a five-lane versus three-lane highway was discussed by the public with the Department of Transportation. Moving the Parkview entrance to the north side of the building was also discussed. The officials from the Department of Transportation will be investigating some of the suggestions and will get information to the Board in the near future.

Nutter moved, seconded by Duffy, to adjourn at 7:42 P.M. All voted aye.

Sonny Harrowa, President
Kevin Merscheid, Business Manager