

Loup City Public Schools Board of Education

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Special Session

Friday, January 3, 2025

7:00 PM

Loup City High School, Room 334

7:00 PM

1. Call Meeting To Order:
 - A. Pledge of Allegiance
 - B. Announce Open Meetings Act - Posted in Meeting Room
 - C. Publication of Meeting
 - D. Approval of Agenda:
2. Action Items:
 - A. Approve the resignation of Dean Tickle, Superintendent
 - B. Discuss, consider and take all necessary action to approve the selection of a Superintendent Search Firm.
3. Discussion Items:
4. Executive Session:
5. Adjourn:

Note 1: The Board in its discretion may revise and consider any listed item at any time during the meeting.

Note 2: This agenda does not become final until 24 hours prior to the scheduled commencement of this meeting. All listed reports which are in writing are a part of the Agenda for this meeting and may contain action items or otherwise call for Board action on the subject matter(s) listed therein; complete copies of such reports, except for any legally confidential information are available upon request from the Office of the Superintendent of Schools as part of the agenda.

Note 3: The Board of Education is empowered to act on any item listed on the Agenda at any time during the meeting, irrespective of the order listed. Further detail on agenda items may be obtained by speaking to the Superintendent. The Board of Education by the approval of all consent items is also approving, authorizing and directing the Board President, Board Secretary, the Superintendent or their designees to take or cause to be taken all necessary action and sign all documents necessary or appropriate to complete the matter or transaction as approved.

Note 4: The Open Meetings Act requires that agenda items shall be sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting. The Board releases its agenda well in advance of most meetings and desires that all interested persons are fully informed. Any interested person who has a question about a report or needs clarification about the sufficiently of any item on which action could be taken at this meeting should contact the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Note 5: The Board of Education reserves the right to go into closed session at its discretion, but will only do so for the prevention of needless injury to a person's reputation or for the protection of the public interest.

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Public Notice for January 3, 2025

The Board of Education of Loup City Public Schools will meet in **special session** on **January 3, 2025**, at **7:00 PM** in the Loup City Public Schools, Room 334, 800 North 8th Street, Loup City, NE 68853-0628. An agenda for the meeting, which shall be kept continually current, is readily available for public inspection at the Superintendent's office during normal business hours. The current meeting agenda is also available on our district website:

<http://www.loupcitypublicschools.org>.

December 24, 2024

To the Loup City Public Schools Board of Education,

Please accept this letter as my official notice of resignation and retirement from my position as Superintendent of Loup City Public Schools, effective June 30, 2025. After much reflection, I have decided that it is time for me to conclude my career in education and step into retirement.

Serving as Superintendent of Loup City Public Schools over the past four years has been one of the most rewarding experiences of my professional life. I am deeply grateful for the trust and support that the Board of Education, staff, students, and community have shown me throughout my tenure. Together, we have worked to enhance the quality of education, strengthen our schools, and foster a community where every student can thrive.

I am proud of what we have accomplished during these four years. From implementing innovative programs to ensuring that our facilities and resources meet the needs of our students, these successes would not have been possible without the dedication of our remarkable team of educators and the guidance of this Board. Thank you for allowing me to be part of this journey.

As I prepare to step away, please know that I remain committed to ensuring a smooth transition for my successor. I will work diligently over the coming months to provide any assistance needed to support the Board in this process and to maintain the momentum of our ongoing initiatives.

Thank you for the privilege of serving the students, families, and community of Loup City Public Schools. This has been an extraordinary chapter of my life, and I leave with a heart full of gratitude and pride.

With sincere appreciation,



Dean Tickle
Superintendent
Loup City Public Schools