

Public Notices

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF STEARNS

DISTRICT COURT
7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File Number:
73-CV-25-9888
Case Type:
Change of Name

Fatima Maryini Alaniz Ruiz
817 7th Ave. S.
Apt. 102
St. Cloud, MN 56301

Notice of Hearing
by Publication
(Minn. Stat. § 259.10)

In the Matter of the Application of Fatima Maryini Alaniz Ruiz OBO Minor Child for a Change of Name

Name of parent to be notified:

Heriberto Lopez Gonzales
Last known address:
312 Hillside Ave.
Des Moines, IA 50315

An Application for Name Change has been filed by Fatima Maryini Alaniz Ruiz for a change of name for the minor child(ren) from Juan Diego Lopez Alaniz to Juan Diego Alaniz. A hearing on this Application will be held via Zoom on:

April 6, 2026
9:00 AM

Type <https://zoomgov.com/join> in your browser's address bar

Meeting ID: 161 848 9022
Passcode: 321020

You may obtain a copy of the Application for Name Change from 725 Courthouse Square Room 134, St. Cloud, MN 56303.

If you do not appear at the scheduled hearing, the Petitioner's Application for a Name Change for the minor child(ren) may be granted.

Dated: February 6, 2026

George Lock
Court Administrator

Filed in District Court
State of Minnesota
Dated: February 6, 2026

(Publish March 10 - 24, 2026)

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF STEARNS

DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No:
73-PR-26-1479

NOTICE AND ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION OF INTESTACY, DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of
Joe Clarience Herges,
(a/k/a Joseph Herges),
Decedent

It is Ordered and Notice is given that on April 3, 2026, at 8:45 a.m., a hearing will be held in this Court at 725 Courthouse Square, St. Cloud, MN, for the adjudication of intestacy and determination of heirship of the Decedent, and for the appointment of Ann M. Tschida, whose address is 32653 Birch Forest Road, Melrose, MN 56352, Randall Herges, whose address is 1421 Whitecap Lane, Waconia, MN 55387, and Susan Morton-Herges, whose address is 1421 Whitecap Lane, Waconia, MN 55387, as Personal Representatives of the Estate of the Decedent in an UNSUPERVISED administration. Any objections to the petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper and if no objections are filed or raised, the Personal Representatives will be appointed with full power to administer the Estate, including the power to collect all assets, to pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, to sell real and personal property, and to do all necessary acts for the Estate. Notice is also given that (subject to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-801) all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representatives or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

BY THE COURT

Dated: February 24, 2026
Andrew Pearson
Judge of District Court

Dated: February 24, 2026
George Lock
Court Administrator

Filed in District Court
State of Minnesota
Dated February 24, 2026

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(Publish March 10 & 17, 2026)

Collegeville Township
Important Information
Regarding Property
Assessments
This may affect your
property tax payments
for next year.

The Board of Appeal and Equalization for Collegeville Township will meet on Monday, April 6, 2026 at 2:00pm at the Collegeville Township Hall. The purpose of this meeting is to determine whether property in the jurisdiction has been properly valued and classified by the assessor, and also to determine whether corrections need to be made.

If you believe the value or classification of your property is incorrect, please contact your County Assessor's office to discuss your concerns. If you are still not satisfied with the valuation or classification after discussing it with your assessor, you may appear before the local board of appeal and equalization. The board shall review the valuation, classification, or both if necessary, and shall correct it as needed. Generally, an appearance before your local board of appeal and equalization is required by law before an appeal can be taken to your county board of appeal and equalization.

Posted: 03/07/2026

By: Joe Pohl, Town Clerk

(Publish March 17, 2026)

STEARNS COUNTY
BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS
NOTICE OF INTENT TO
ADOPT ORDINANCE 705
DEER HUNTING
FIREARMS ORDINANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Stearns County Board of Commissioners, during its Board meeting on Tuesday, April 7, 2026, at 6:00 P.M., will hold a public hearing to consider ordaining and adopting an ordinance relating to approved deer hunting firearms. A printed copy of the ordinance is available for inspection by any person during regular office hours at the office of the county auditor. This consideration and discussion will take place in the City of Melrose City Hall, 225 1st St. NE, Melrose, MN, 56352.

Written comments must be submitted to Stearns County Administration at Rm. 121, 705 Courthouse Square, St. Cloud, MN 56303 or to deerhunting@stearnscountymn.gov by 12:00 p.m. noon on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, to receive full consideration by the Stearns County Board of Commissioners.

Michael Williams
County Administrator
Interpretive Services will be provided upon request.

(Publish March 17, 2026)

Stearns County
Board of Commissioners
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, February 17, 2026
Call to Order

9:00 AM Meeting called to order by Chair Steve Notch, on Tuesday, February 17, 2026, in the Board Room of the Stearns County Administration Center, 705 Courthouse Square, St. Cloud, MN.

Roll Call

Present: Commissioner District 1 Tarryl Clark, Commissioner District 2 Joe Perske, Commissioner District 3 Jeff Bertram, and Commissioner District 5 Steve Notch
Absent: Commissioner District 4 Bob Johnson

Approve Agenda

Motion was made to approve the agenda.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

Presentations and Awards

E.1. A virtual presentation

took place acknowledging 41 County employees who have reached their work anniversary within the period July 2025 through December 2025 with a combined total of 820 years of County service.

Consent Agenda

F.1. Approve Minutes of the January 27, 2026 County Board Meeting.

F.2. Approve Bid Award for Phase I Kraemer Lake-Wildwood County Park Project to G&M Outdoor Services in the amount of \$995,084.41.

F.3. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for a Conditional Use Permit submitted by Jason and Marie Felling of Sauk Centre, MN, according to requirements of the Stearns County Land Use and Zoning Ordinance #439. Section 6.8 requires a Conditional Use Permit for feedlots greater than 700 animal units that are proposing additions or changes. Property is subject to 3 conditions and 7 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property under consideration is located at 38572 County Road 187, Sauk Centre, MN 56378, in the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 28 and 33 (T126N, R034W) in Sauk Centre Township.

F.4. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for a Conditional Use Permit submitted by Belgrade Cooperative, Belgrade MN, according to Sections 4.8, 6.6, and 9.3.5 B of Stearns County Land Use and Zoning Ordinance #439. The request is to have an agriculturally oriented business in the Agricultural 40 (A-40) zoning district. Specifically, the property would be used for anhydrous ammonia and liquid fertilizer. Property is subject to 6 conditions and 4 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property is in part of the NW1/4NE1/4, lying east of County Road 200 in Section 15 of Crow Lake Township (123/35). The property address is 23866 County Road 200, Belgrade MN.

F.5. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for an Interim Use Permit submitted by 200th Street Solar 1, LLC, Lowell MA on behalf of Neil Gerten, Cold Spring MN, according to Sections 4.18, 6.54, and 9.3.6 G of Stearns County Land Use and Zoning Ordinance #439. The request is to construct and operate a 4.5 MW solar garden for 35 years in the Agricultural 40 (A-40) zoning district. Property is subject to 8 conditions and 5 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property is in part of the E1/2NE1/4, lying north of 200th Street and west of Kinzer Creek in Section 34 of Wakefield Township (123/30). The property address is 15802 200th St, Cold Spring MN.

F.6. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for an Interim Use Permit submitted by Kern & Tabery Inc, Wadena MN on behalf of Carl & Ruth Lieser, Paynesville MN, according to Sections 4.18, 7.17, and 9.3.6 F of Stearns County Land Use and Zoning Ordinance #439. The request is to have a mining operation on approximately 3 acres for 1 year in the Agricultural 40 (A-40) zoning district. Property is subject to 4 conditions and 4 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property is in part of the SE1/4SW1/4 and in part of the SW1/4SE1/4 (Lots 66 and 67 in Auditor's Subdivision No. 7), lying east of County Road 12 in Section 26 of St. Martin Township (124/32).

F.7. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for an Interim Use Permit submitted by Kern & Tabery Inc, Wadena MN on behalf of Charles & Cheryl Schaefer, Paynesville MN, according to Sections 4.18, 7.17, and 9.3.6 F of Stearns County Land Use and Zoning Ordinance #439. The request is to have a mining operation on approximately 5 acres for 1 year in the Agricultural 40 (A-40) zoning district. Property is subject to 4 conditions and 4 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property is in part of the SE1/4NE1/4, lying northeast of County Road 12 and northwest of County Road 113 in Section 27 of St. Martin Township (124/32).

F.8. Approve, as recommended by the Stearns County Planning Commission, a request for an Interim Use Permit submitted by Kern & Tabery Inc, Wadena MN, on behalf of Midwest Enterprises of Central Minnesota LLC, Avon MN, according to Sections 4.18, 7.17, and 9.3.6 F of Stearns County Land Use

and Zoning Ordinance #439. The request is to have a mining operation on approximately 5 acres for 1 year in the Agricultural 40 (A-40) zoning district. Property is subject to 5 conditions and 4 Findings-of-Fact were adopted. The property is in part of the NE1/4NW1/4 and in part of the NW1/4NE1/4, lying south of County Road 12 and west of County Road 177 in Section 30 of St. Martin Township (124/32).

F.9. Approve advertising for bids for 2026 Seal Coat with a bid opening date of March 19th, 2026.

F.10. Approve advertising for bids for 2026 Resurfacing with a bid opening date of March 19th, 2026 contingent on State Aid approval of construction plans.

F.13. Authorize County Auditor-Treasurer to Negotiate and Sign a Contract for Investment Advisory and Arbitrage Consulting Services with Ehlers, Inc.

F.15. Authorize purchases of items within carryover listing which include an additional Sheriff squad vehicle, brine tank and tank trailer attachments for Highway Department with use of the 2025 funds carried forward in the amount of \$3,722,958.

F.16. For Informational Purposes Only, Claims Paid from January 17, 2026 through February 6, 2026 Amounted to \$10,224,288.86, Excluding Investment Purchases.

Consent Agenda Vote:

After pulling Items F.11., F.12. and F.14. for discussion, motion was made to approve the remaining 12 items on the Consent Agenda.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

SECONDER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

Items Pulled for Discussion

F.14. Motion was made to authorize County Auditor-Treasurer to transfer remaining funds totaling \$4,713,708.45, with a date of December 31st, 2025, out of the Debt Service Fund and into the County's Project Fund to be used for future capital projects as recommended by the Budget Committee.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 2 Joe Perske

F.11. Motion was made to approve Opioid Funding Awards as follows over the next 3 years: 3 Internal Programs: Sheriff's Office-Mobile App Development, Stearns County Jail-Solution Addiction Recovery (virtual program), and Central MN Mental Health Center-Co-Responder Program Expansion and 3 External Programs: Centra Care Health Systems-COPE Program, Steve Rummel Hope Network, and Town Square Media St. Cloud.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

F.12. Motion was made to approve the 2026 Pay Equity Compliance Report submitted to Minnesota Management & Budget Pay Equity Office as required by Minnesota State Statute.

RESULT: APPROVED [3 TO 1]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 2 Joe Perske

AYES: District 1 Tarryl Clark, District 2 Joe Perske, and District 5 Steve Notch

NAYS: District 3 Jeff Bertram

Public Works

G.1. Chris Byrd introduced himself as the new Stearns County Highway Engineer. He provided a brief update on goals and acclimating himself with county roads and construction plans.

RESULT: NO VOTE - INFORMATIONAL ONLY

G.2. Motion was made to approve and authorize signatures on Design Services Agreement with Stonebrooke Engineering for CSAH 75 Traffic Signal Project between CSAH 2 and 43rd Street at a proposal cost of \$627,456.00.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 2 Joe Perske

Sheriff's Office

H.1. Kellen Boerger, Corrections Lieutenant with the Sheriff's Office, and Julie Ellis, Human Services Director-Adult & Disability Services, provided a brief overview of the Jail Reentry Grant which is designed to increase the Jail's out-reach services and re-

sources to inmates with substance use disorders. After some discussion, motion was made to approve the Jail Reentry Grant with the Minnesota Department of Human Services in the amount of \$428,350.00.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

Administration

I.1. Motion was made to approve the public hearing date of April 7, 2026, at a time to be determined by staff, for consideration of enactment of an ordinance limiting the taking of deer with a shotgun rather than a rifle (legal shotguns loaded with single-slug shotgun shells, legal muzzle-loading long guns, or legal handguns) during gun season.

Note: The April 7, 2026 Stearns County Board of Commissioners Meeting will be held at the Melrose City Hall beginning at 6:00 p.m.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

SECONDER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

I.2. Staff provided an overview of the Justice Center project regarding the financing plan and timeline, collection of sales tax to date, preliminary bond estimates and a summary of bid results. After much discussion, motion was made to approve the following:

1. Approve a Contract for Bid Scope 31-A for Earthwork and Issue a Limited Notice to Proceed for Clearing and Grubbing of the Site.

2. Direct Staff to Assemble All Contracts with Successful Bidders and Prepare Final Project Budget for Consideration at the March 10, 2026 County Board Meeting.

3. Approve a Contract with GLT Architects for the Design of the Accessory Building.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: District 1 Tarryl Clark

SECONDER: District 3 Jeff Bertram

Adjournment

Chair Notch adjourned the County Board Meeting at 10:56 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Randy R. Schreifels,
MBA, CPA
Stearns County Auditor-Treasurer
Clerk
Stearns County Board of Commissioners

(Publish March 17, 2026)

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF STEARNS

DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No:
73-PR-26-1586

NOTICE AND ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In Re the Estate of James Harlan Smith,
a/k/a James H. Smith),
Decedent.

It is Ordered and Notice is given that on April 17, 2026, at 8:45 a.m., a hearing will be held in this Court at 725 Courthouse Square, St. Cloud, MN, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the Will of the Decedent dated January 24, 2002, and for the appointment of Michael W. Smith, whose address is 128 9th Ave. N., Waite Park, MN 56387, as Personal Representative of the Estate of the Decedent in an UNSUPERVISED administration. Any objections to the petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper and if no objections are filed or raised, the Personal Representative will be appointed with full power to administer the Estate, including the power to collect all assets, to pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, to sell real and personal property, and to do all necessary acts for the Estate.

Notice is also given that (subject to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-801) all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

BY THE COURT

Dated: March 2, 2026
Laura Moehrle
Judge of District Court

Filed in District Court
State of Minnesota
Dated March 2, 2026

Attorney for Petitioner
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Revermann Lund Ross
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Waite Park, MN 56387
Telephone: (320) 258-9383
Fax: (320) 287-5747

Your appearance is not required at this hearing. If there is an objection to the petition, you will be notified of another hearing date and time.

(Publish March 17 & 24, 2026)

NOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING --
PROPOSED ANNEXATION
OF PROPERTY

PURSUANT TO MINN.
STAT. § 414.033, SUBD. 2(3)

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Richmond, Minnesota, will hold a public hearing on April 16, 2026 at 6 p.m. at Richmond City Hall, 45 Hall Ave S., Richmond, MN, to consider a petition for annexation of certain real property into the City of Richmond pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 414.033, subd. 2(3).

The petition has been submitted by Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation, the sole owner of the property described below. The property consists of approximately seven (7) acres and abuts the northern boundary of the City of Richmond.

The property proposed for annexation is legally described as follows:

Lot 1, Block 1, NSP's Horsehoe Lake Addition (Tax PID: 23.14523.0500)

A map of the property is on file with the City Clerk and available for public inspection during regular business hours.

At the public hearing, all interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard regarding the proposed annexation. Written comments may also be submitted to the City Clerk prior to the hearing.

(Publish March 17 & 24, 2026)

REQUEST FOR QUOTES
CITY OF ROCKVILLE

The City of Rockville is requesting quotes per hour and per mile (2 separate quotes) to perform road grading services in the City of Rockville for a two-year period. The city has approximately 15.5 miles of gravel roads. Road grading shall be determined by the Public Works Street supervisor as to when and where said service shall occur. This also includes possible snow removal in the winter.

Finished road grade shall have a 3" to 4" crown or there is a positive percent slope as conditions allow.

Any questions regarding this request please contact City Hall at 1-320-251-5836.

Please submit your proposal by March 31, 2026 - 12:00 noon to:

City of Rockville
Attn: Barry - Public Works Streets supervisor
P.O. Box 93
229 Broadway Street East
Rockville MN 56369
Email: cityhall@rockvillecity.org

The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals in the best interest of the city. Certificate of insurance must be provided upon acceptance of quote.

(Publish March 17 & 24, 2026)

MINUTES OF THE
REGULAR MEETING OF
THE SCHOOL BOARD
Independent School
District No. 750

Cold Spring, Minnesota
February 23, 2026

The regular meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 750 was called to order by Chair Vettleson at the ROCORI District Office Boardroom at 5:30 pm.

Board Members present: Jenna Kollar, Kayla Nierenhausen, Lynn Schurman, Robin Vettleson, Matt Thompson, Jennifer Bohnsack

Board Members absent: None

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A motion by Lynn Schurman to approve the agenda. Seconded by Jennifer Bohnsack. The motion carries unanimously.

A motion by Kayla Nierenhausen to approve the consent

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Classifieds

(Classified Ad deadline is Thursday at Noon)

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Miscellaneous

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agenda. Seconded by Matt Thompson. The motion carries unanimously.

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the Regular Board Meeting January 26, 2026. Recommend approval of the minutes from the meeting.

B. APPROVAL OF BILLS

Treasurer Thompson will have been at the school site to review bills, ask questions, and confirm information prior to the meeting. Recommendation is to approve the bill payment of \$3,549,239.58 subject to any adjustments or direction offered by the Treasurer.

C. TREASURER REPORT

Treasurer Thompson will have reviewed financial information for the board. This information is included in the Treasurer's Report.

D. EMPLOYMENT

Recommend approval of the assignment as outlined.

a. John Clark Elementary, Richmond Elementary, St Boniface, and St Peter and Paul Speech and Language Pathologist — Connie Beaumont

b. ROCORI Middle School Long Term Sub Math Teacher — Olivia Maselter

c. ROCORI High School Long Term Math Teacher Substitute — Grace Acheson

E. LEAVE OF ABSENCE REQUEST

a. Cold Spring Elementary Kindergarten Teacher, Kara Linz, is requesting a leave of absence from March 26, 2026 through April 27, 2026 with the possibility of returning on April 20, 2026 for 1/2 days.

b. John Clark Elementary Teacher, Megan Gaebel, is requesting leave from the start of the 2026-2027 school year until approximately January 13, 2027.

F. RETIREMENTS-RESIGNATIONS

Recommend approval of the following resignations and/or retirements.

a. Cold Spring Elementary Teacher, Sandy Asfeld, will be retiring at the end of the 25-26 school year after 16 years with the district.

b. Cold Spring Elementary School Counselor, Kathy Van Der Hagen, will be retiring at the end of the 25-26 school year after 34 years with the district.

c. Cold Spring Elementary Teacher, Ramona Torborg, will be retiring at the end of the 25-26 school year after 31 years with the district.

d. Cold Spring Elementary Teacher, Joyce Baumann, will be retiring effective at the end of the 2025-2026 school year after 31 years with the district.

e. Cold Spring Elementary EL Teacher, Elizabeth Chandler, will be resigning at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

f. ROCORI Secondary School cleaner, Melissa Vilagomez, will be resigning effective February 19, 2026.

g. ROCORI Middle School Teacher, Grace Scegur, is resigning effective at the end of the 25-26 school year.

G. POLICY UPDATE

Policy 731 Development and Maintenance of an inventory of fixed assets and a fixed asset accounting system has been updated to align with what was approved at the January 6, 2026 organizational meeting. Recommendation to approve the policy as presented.

Amy Notch, Director of Teaching and Learning and Cody Lewis, Literacy Lead and Instructional Coach, presented information to the board about Literacy and I Love to Read Month.

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED

Riverside Resort in Richmond is looking for someone to clean cabins during the resort season. Looking for enthusiastic and energetic cleaners willing to work Saturday's until about 3 p.m. There are weekday shifts as well. Please call 320-493-9234 and ask for Christina for more details or to apply.

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Backes Wood Products is looking for someone to fill a full-time woodworking position. Some experience required. Good pay, paid insurance, paid vacation and holidays. Monday through Friday, 40 hours per week with no overtime. If interested please call 320-597-9663.

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Now Hiring: Full-Time 6th Grade Teacher St. Boniface School Cold Spring, MN

Saint Boniface School is seeking a caring and dedicated full-time 6th Grade Teacher to join our school community.

Qualified candidates should submit a letter of interest, resume, three letters of reference, and a copy of their Minnesota teaching license.

Please send application materials to:

Heather Pfannenstein, Principal
principal@christcatholic.com



For more information, visit
stboniface.com/careers or
contact Heather Pfannenstein
at (320) 685-3541



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FULL-TIME CABINET INSTALLER POSITION

Installer:

Responsible for loading/unloading and installing custom cabinets, doors, drawers, and countertops according to blueprints and shop drawings. Ideal candidates have cabinet installation or related construction experience, strong carpentry and power tool skills, the ability to lift 50+ lbs, good communication skills, and a valid driver's license.

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Builder:

Build and assemble custom cabinetry in our shop using shop drawings and specifications. Ideal candidates have woodworking experience, attention to detail, ability to read and interpret drawings, strong measuring skills, and experience with power tools and shop equipment. Ability to work in a team environment required.

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405 West Wind Court, Cold Spring, MN.

A motion to approve the payment to Cold Spring Bakery with check #118812 in the amount of \$111.18 was made by Jennifer Bohnsack, seconded by Matt Thompson. Motion carried with Lynn Schurman abstaining from the vote.

A motion by Lynn Schurman to approve the request from the Class of 2026 to forgive the last three student days of the 2025-2026 school year for Seniors, seconded by Jennifer Bohnsack. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion to approve the Child Care Assistants and Aides Terms and Conditions of Employment for 2025-2027 was made by Lynn Schurman, seconded by Kayla Nierenhausen. Motion carries unanimously.

The following resolution was moved by Matt Thompson and seconded by Jennifer Bohnsack:

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING DONATIONS
WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 123B.02, Subd. 6 provides: "The board may receive, for the benefit of the district, bequests, donations, or gifts for any proper purpose and apply the same to the purpose designated. In that behalf, the board may act as trustee of any trust created for the benefit of the district, or for the benefit of pupils thereof, including trusts

created to provide pupils of the district with advanced education after completion of high school, in the advancement of education."; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 465.03 provides: "Any city, county, school district or town may accept a grant or devise of real or personal property and maintain such property for the benefit of its citizens in accordance with the terms prescribed by the donor. Nothing herein shall authorize such acceptance or use for religious or sectarian purposes. Every such acceptance shall be by resolution of the governing body adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members, expressing such terms in full."

WHEREAS, every such acceptance shall be by resolution of the governing body adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members, expressing such terms in full;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board of Rocori Public Schools, ISD 750, gratefully accepts the following donations as identified below:

- Donor
- Drew Vanloy – BSN Rep Item
- Softballs (\$300 value)
- Designated Purpose(if any)
- Softball
- Drew Vanloy – BSN Rep \$200

Boys Basketball
Drew Vanloy – BSN Rep \$550
Athletic Dept for Spirit Wear

Anonymous
Classroom supplies (\$1000 value)
Shannan Huckepoehler's classroom

The vote on adoption of the Resolution was as follows:
Aye: Jennifer Bohnsack, Matt Thompson, Robin Vettleson, Lynn Schurman, Kayla Nierenhausen, Jenna Kollar

Nay: None
Absent: None
Whereupon, said Resolution was declared duly adopted.

A motion to approve the District calendar that was proposed by the calendar committee for 2026-2027 was made by Jennifer Bohnsack, seconded by Lynn Schurman. Motion carries unanimously.

A motion to approve the preliminary district calendar that was proposed by the calendar committee for 2027-2028 was made by Jennifer Bohnsack, seconded by Lynn Schurman. Motion carries unanimously.

Member Kayla Nierenhausen introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION TO LIMIT THE ENROLLMENT OF NONRESIDENT PUPILS

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 124D.03, Subd. 2, Limited enrollment of nonresident pupils, gives school boards the authority to limit, by resolution, the number of nonresident pupils in its schools or programs and the limit must not be less than the lesser of: 1) one percent of the total enrollment at each grade level in the district; or 2) the number of district residents at that grade level enrolled in a nonresident district; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 124D.03, Subd. 6, Basis for decisions, requires the school board to adopt, by resolution, specific standards for rejection of an enrollment application of a nonresident pupil and this standard may include the capacity of a program (excluding special education services), class, or school building; and

WHEREAS, the School Board of Independent School District No. 750 has determined a limit of nonresident pupil enrollments is necessary because of capacity constraints in the programs, classes, or buildings of Independent School District No. 750;

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the School Board of Independent School District No. 750 that the following limits per building have been in place since March 1, 2022 and will continue to be followed. The capacity limits are exclusive of Spartan Online Students. The school district administration will provide the required reporting to the Minnesota Commissioner of Education as required by statute.

The District shall permit open-enrollment at each grade level until it reaches the enrollment capacity as follows:

Grade Level	Capacity
Kindergarten	140
1st – 2nd	144
3rd	144
4th-5th	150
6th	185
7th	224
8th	224
9th – 12th	234

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member Jennifer Bohnsack and, upon vote being taken thereon,

the following voted in favor thereof: Jennifer Bohnsack, Matt Thompson, Robin Vettleson, Lynn Schurman, Kayla Nierenhausen, Jenna Kollar

Members absent: None
and the following voted against the same: None
whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

The following policies were presented for first reading. No formal action was taken:

- a. Policy 533 Wellness
- b. Policy 104 School District Mission Statement
- c. Policy 626 Class Size
- d. Policy 105 Core Values

The policy committee recommends retiring this policy as this information is included in the Strategic Plan.

Superintendent Enerson gave an update on the 2026-2027 budget. No formal action was taken.

Superintendent Kevin Enerson provided an update on the district.

The Budget Comparison Report for January 2026 was reviewed.

Board members made updates on their respective com-

mittees.
Chair Vettleson called for comments and requests from visitors.

Upcoming events and activities on the school calendar were reviewed.

The regular meeting adjourned at 6:39 pm.

Respectfully submitted:
Jenna Kollar, Clerk

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MINUTES OF THE WORK SESSION OF THE SCHOOL BOARD Independent School District No. 750 Cold Spring, Minnesota February 23, 2025

The Work Session Meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 750 was called to order by Chair Vettleson at the ROCORI School District Office Board Room at 4:47 pm.

Board Members present: Jennifer Bohnsack, Matt Thompson, Robin Vettleson, Lynn Schurman, Kayla Nierenhausen, Jenna Kollar

Board Members absent: None

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Lynn Schurman, seconded by Jennifer Bohnsack. Motion carries unanimously.

The ROCORI school board met to discuss the 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 school calendar.

The ROCORI school board met to discuss the 2026-2027 budget.
The work session meeting adjourned at 5:28 pm.

Respectfully submitted:
Jenna Kollar, Clerk

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Seeding and trees to be done. Music in the park schedule set and will bring to City Council at the next meeting. Little League has joined up with Cold Spring again this year. Soccer and Lacrosse on the table as well. Baseball will be starting in April. Mr. Mooney reported that the DNR met with the ROCORI Trail Board and things are moving along. Working to connect trail with the Glacial Lakes Trail as well.

Police Department

Police Chief Jason Blum reported the activities in Richmond for the month of February: 93 total incidents for the month, 9 medical emergencies, 7 suspicious activities, and 27 traffic stops with 6 citations and 48 miscellaneous calls for service. Chief Blum explained that these numbers were taken a few days before the end of the month and are likely higher. Chief Blum reported that people are receiving more of the "scam" calls/emails/texts, which seems to happen during tax time. The latest involves a resident that received an email or text that stated there had been fraud on an account and gave "contact" info to resolve. The resident spent \$1500.00 much through gift cards, trying to resolve the fraudulent issue before stopping to call the police department. Should you receive any of these suspicious messages or calls, please call the department. Chief Blum also reported another scam, calling to say that narcotics were being shipped to their home and were going to be arrested. The resident said they would be checking with the local department at which time the "scammer" hung up. Verify calls and call the department. Chief Blum stated that an investigation is currently in progress regarding a fire in town. Chief Blum thanked those that contacted the department regarding a person acting erratically in a parking lot. This person was arrested for DUI and a few other things. Blum reminds residents that if they

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Horoscopes

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Sometime this week you may discover a hidden talent you didn't know you have, Aries. Embrace this new aspect of your identity and put it to good use.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

This is a time when you might feel grounded and secure, Taurus. Your inner strength will allow you to take a calculated risk that will pay off, either with your finances or relationships.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

You might find that this week a mental fog will lift, leaving you with a crystal-clear vision for the future, Gemini. Start moving toward your goals as soon as possible.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

Your emotional intelligence is your greatest asset right now, Cancer. You help a friend navigate a tricky situation with ease midweek, and by the weekend you're still going strong.

LEO - July 23/Aug 23

Right now your confidence is unshakable, Leo. Use all of your energy to advocate for something you fully believe in. Chances are you will evoke some change as a result.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, order brings you joy, which means you may want to tackle transforming your work space into a more detailed operation. This will boost your mood and your performance.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Romance is a priority right now, Libra. Whether you are single or in a relationship, expect a moment this week when the spark is ignited once more.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

A small change in your routine may lead to a big increase in energy, Scorpio. Try rearranging your schedule to see what works best for you, and then make it a habit.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, a dream you had is more attainable than you might think. Take the first step and quickly the path will open up for you. Enlist friends to push you even further along.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Leadership comes naturally to you now, Capricorn. People will be looking to you for guidance this week. Try to deliver it with kindness and no sense of ego.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Your "Eureka!" moment might come sooner than you would imagine, Aquarius. Pay attention to the details this week and tune your way of thinking toward innovation.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Nature walks or creative hobbies may nourish your soul this week, Pisces. You might find yourself deeply attuned to the world around you and the beauty you discover.