

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
 FEBRUARY 18, 2014  
 DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

TRUSTEES PRESENT: Chairman Alexander, Trustee Checketts, Trustee Donahue

OTHERS PRESENT: Tim McMurtrey, Cliff Ogborn, Sharon Whitman, Lyle Bayley, Will Goodman, Tara Handy, Nikki Crusier, Anita Straw, Stehvn Tesar, Polly Sanders, Judy Blanchard, Denise Weis

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 was convened at 7:15 p.m., on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2014, at the District Administration Office, 470 North 3<sup>rd</sup> East, Mountain Home, Idaho, in said district, pursuant to authority provided by Title 33 Chapter 5, Sections 33-506, 33-510, 33-512, Title 63 Chapter 13, Section 63-1311A, and Title 67-2340 through 67-2347 Idaho Code, and pursuant to affirmation by the Clerk that notice of the special meeting had been given to each trustee and had been announced by written and posted public notice as required by law. A copy of the Notice of a Special Meeting of School Trustees so posted follows:

**MOUNTAIN HOME SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 193**

**NOTICE OF FEE INCREASE**

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**MOUNTAIN HOME SCHOOL DISTRICT:**

| <i>Item</i>                                    | <i>2013-14<br/>Fee</i> | <i>2014-15<br/>Fee</i> | <i>Percent<br/>Increase</i> |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b><u>Student Breakfast Price Increase</u></b> |                        |                        |                             |
| Elementary                                     | \$ 1.00                | \$ 1.00                | none                        |
| HMS  | \$ 1.25                | \$ 1.25                | none                        |
| MHJH   | \$ 1.25                | \$ 1.25                | none                        |
| MHHS   | \$ 1.25                | \$ 1.25                | none                        |
| <b><u>Student Lunch Price Increase</u></b>     |                        |                        |                             |
| Elementary                                     | \$ 2.15                | \$ 2.25                | 4.7%                        |
| HMS  | \$ 2.40                | \$ 2.50                | 4.2%                        |
| MHJH   | \$ 2.40                | \$ 2.50                | 4.2%                        |
| MHHS   | \$ 2.40                | \$ 2.50                | 4.2%                        |

Adult Lunch Price Increase

|             |         |         |      |
|-------------|---------|---------|------|
| Adult Price | \$ 3.50 | \$ 3.50 | none |
|-------------|---------|---------|------|

Milk Price Increase

|      |        |        |      |
|------|--------|--------|------|
| Milk | \$ .45 | \$ .45 | none |
|------|--------|--------|------|

A public hearing will be held at 7:15 p.m., on February 18, 2014, preceding the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, for the purpose of receiving public testimony pertaining to the proposed fee increases.



Sharon M. Whitman  
Clerk, Board of Trustees

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Chairman Alexander called the special hearing to order at 7:15 p.m. for the purpose of receiving testimony from interested parties on the proposed student lunch fee increase throughout the Mountain Home School District. The proposed student fee increases were published as required by Idaho Code.

Mr. Ogborn presented the proposed student lunch fee increase. He stated that due to the Healthy Hunger Free Kids Act of 2010 and Federal Law, PL 111-296, and that the federal government mandated that school lunches for full paying students should be at the median between what the government spends on Free and Reduced Lunches and what the government subsidizes for full pay lunches.

Mr. Ogborn informed all in attendance that breakfast fees would remain the same, but lunch fees increased 4.7% for elementary lunches and 4.2% for secondary lunches. He stated that the federal government requires that we charge paying students the same as what the government reimburses us, so to close the gap we need to increase fees annually. Chairman Alexander asked if there were any questions and Trustee Donahue asked if any of the schools had heard anything about the meals increase from their parents. There were none.

Chairman Alexander asked for public input from the audience. There being no patron input, Chairman Alexander stated this will be an agenda item at the following regular board meeting and that the student fee increasing hearing is concluded. The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

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Chairman Alexander

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Clerk Whitman