(24-29)

Member Lisa Westby introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING COMBINED POLLING PLACES FOR MULTIPLE PRECINCTS AND DESIGNATING HOURS DURING WHICH THE POLLING PLACES WILL REMAIN OPEN FOR VOTING FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS NOT HELD ON THE DAY OF A STATEWIDE ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 2909, State of Minnesota, as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.11, the precincts and polling places for school district elections are those precincts or parts of precincts located within the boundaries of the school district which have been established by the cities or towns located in whole or in part within the school district. The board hereby confirms those precincts and polling places so established by those municipalities.
- 2. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.11, the board may establish a combined polling place for several precincts for school district elections not held on the day of a statewide election. Each combined polling place must be a polling place that has been designated by a county or municipality. The following combined polling places are established to serve the precincts specified for all school district special and general elections not held on the same day as a statewide election:

Combined Polling Place 1: Fayal Town Hall, 4375 Shady Ln., Eveleth, MN 55734

This combined polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 2909 located in Fayal Township; Iron Junction Township; and Clinton Township, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Combined Polling Place 2: Gilbert City Hall, 16 S Broadway St., Gilbert, MN 55741

This combined polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 2909 located in the City of Gilbert; Biwabik Township; the City of McKinley; Unorg. Precinct 14 Tikander Lake/Lakeland; and Unorg. Precinct 18 (59-16), St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Combined Polling Place 3: Virginia City Hall (Club Room), 327 1st St S., Virginia, MN 55792

This combined polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 2909 located in the City of Virginia, Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Combined Polling Place 4: Eveleth City Auditorium, 421 Jackson St., Eveleth, MN 55734

This combined polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 2909 located in the City of Eveleth, Precincts 1 and 2; and the City of Leonidas, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Combined Polling Place 5: Wuori Town Hall, 7449 Werner Rd., Virginia, MN 55792

This combined polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 2909 located in the City of Mountain Iron, Precinct 2; Wuori Township; Sandy Township; Pike Township; and Unorg. Precinct 15 Sand Lake, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

- 3. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.09, the polling places will remain open for voting for school district elections not held on the same day as a statewide election between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m.
- 4. The clerk is directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the county auditors of each of the counties in which the school district is located, in whole or in part, within thirty (30) days after its adoption.
- 5. As required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 204B.16, Subdivision 1a, the clerk is hereby authorized and directed to give written notice of new polling place locations to each affected household with at least one registered voter in the school district whose school district polling place location has been changed. The notice must be a nonforwardable notice mailed at least twenty-five (25) days before the date of the first election to which it will apply. A notice that is returned as undeliverable must be forwarded immediately to the appropriate county auditor, who shall change the registrant's status to "challenged" in the statewide registration system.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by member <u>John Whan</u> and upon vote being taken, the following voted in favor thereof:

Tim Riordan, Brandi Lautigar, John Uhan, Bill Addy, Nicole Culbert-Dahl, Lisa Westby

And the following voted against the same:

None

And the following were absent:

None

Whereupon, said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

Dated: December 9, 2024

Board Chair

Rock Ridge Public Schools Independent School District No. 2909

Board Clerk

Rock Ridge Public Schools Independent School District No. 2909