



Ballot Board of Directors

WESTERN REGION

Please place a mark in the space provided to indicate your board's vote for ASBSD Director in the following size category, each school board in good standing in the region is eligible to cast one vote:

Enrollment 1,400-9,999

- _____ Tanya Gray, Douglas School District
_____ Eric Skavang, Spearfish School District
_____ Darrell Vig, Meade School District

Board President's Signature: _____ Date: _____

School District Name: _____

Ballot must be received no later than May 13, 2022 to be included in the election count.
Return ballot in the stamped-addressed envelope provided or mail to:

ASBSD – Ballot
PO BOX 1059
Pierre, SD 57501

Or fax the ballot to 605.773.2501



Candidate Bio

ASBSD Western Region

1,400 -9,999

4 year term

DARRELL VIG

Meade School District

School Board Experience

Has served on the Meade school board for two (2) years and currently sits on building and negotiations committees.

ASBSD Experience

GAVEL training and webinars

Civic Experience

Currently serves on the local volunteer fire department

Occupation

Agriculture

Educational Background

Graduated from high school and two years of college

Professional Experience

Currently operates ranch, agricultural pipeline business and agricultural certified welding business. I'm a former OTR (over the road) owner operator and truck driver which includes oilfield experience.

Why Darrell is interested:

I want to represent our region of school districts at the state level.

- I do thorough research of any situation presented to me so I can make informed decisions for the entire district.
- I'm a life-long learner with the education of children as my passion.
- I genuinely care about the students, staff, and administration of our district.



Candidate Bio

ASBSD Western Region

1,400 -9,999

4 year term

TANYA GRAY

Douglas School District

School Board Experience

Has served on the Douglas school board for six and one-half (6 1/2) years and has served as 2nd & 1st Vice President also served on curriculum coordinating and COVID committees

ASBSD Experience

Currently serves on ASBSD Board of Directors and Delegate

Civic Experience

Black Hills Special Services Coop Board

Occupation

Event Services Manager for the Monument in Rapid City

Educational Background

Graduate South Dakota State University in Agricultural Management

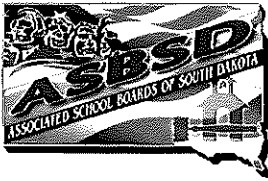
Professional Experience

13 years as Event Services Manager for the Monument in Rapid City

Why Tanya is interested:

I'm excited to serve a second term on the ASBSD Board to continue to advocate for the students and school districts in the Western Region.

- I was fortunate enough to be elected to the ASBSD board for my first term four years ago, and I have gained invaluable experience on a number of school issues from all the ASBSD staff and board.
- I believe I offer an open minded, balanced leadership style which gives me the ability to relate to all school district across the state.
- I represent a midsize, rapidly growing district in South Dakota, but I graduated from a school with a senior class of three students.
- I am a lifelong learner who wants to collaborate with education minded people at both the local and state level, with the ultimate goal of meeting the needs of all of our students.
- Our children deserve the best education South Dakota can provide. I believe the children of South Dakota deserve access to educational opportunities that will allow them to function at high levels beyond high school.



Candidate Bio

ASBSD Western Region

1,400 -9,999

4 year term

Why Eric is interested:

I am seeking a seat on the ASBSD Board of Directors as I feel it important to be a voice for the Western region while providing my knowledge and insight to the Board that will help ASBSD continue to grow and support districts throughout the state.

- I understand that it is important that every district has a voice and I approach all thoughts, feedback and concerns with an open mind.
- I will represent not only the Western Region, but the entire membership with an open mind while making conscience decisions that provide both insight and guidance to member districts that help them succeed.
- As political pressures on education continue to increase, I can assure all members that I will support and advocate for local control and base ASBSD board decisions on that concept.

ERIC SKAVANG

Spearfish School District

School Board Experience

Has served on the Spearfish school board for three (3) years and currently sits on facilities committee, negotiations and have held positions in curriculum and additional short-term committees such as safety and strategic planning

ASBSD Experience

Has served as Alternate Delegate and attends training events in the area and virtual events throughout the year.

Civic Experience

Currently serves on the Spearfish Chamber of Commerce Board of directors as Vice Chair
BHSSC Board of Director

Occupation

Sales with FirstNet/AT&T

Educational Background

Graduated from CSU with a B.S. in Business Management.
Currently pursuing dual Master's program in Organizational Leadership and Management

Professional Experience

Currently own and operate my own business outside of my full-time position with FirstNet. I have worked in sales and leadership roles within AT&T for the past 7 years. I have led teams throughout North and South Dakota.