

## Message from Zone 4 Trustee Kim Nixon

It was a very busy board meeting. We celebrated our IRI reading scores. Our students scored above the Idaho average and made a 12.6% gain this year. Congratulations to Hubbard Elementary who made huge gains. Way to go! One of our biggest considerations was to hire a firm to guide us in our search for a new superintendent. The board voted to go with ISBA, which was the least amount and the most experienced in finding superintendents here in Idaho. Please reach out to me if you would like to help in this endeavor. The board discussed different levy options and will continue with levy decisions in August. We also took a look at different things we could do if the next levy doesn't pass. Some of the things we looked at were closing schools, reducing school electives, cutting SRO's, implementing a four day school week and eliminating extracurricular activities, just to mention a few. The board voted to have the administration begin looking for a company to give us an appraisal of the 4th Street Gym. It was a long meeting. Please know that if you have any questions or concerns, you can contact me at [knixon@kunaschools.org](mailto:knixon@kunaschools.org). Have a great week. I'll be chatting with you in August.