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Park County School District RE-2 Wants to Meet SPEA at the Table

Fairplay, Colorado – The Park County School District’s volunteer board was unable to meet with SPEA on September 6, 2019, a date unilaterally imposed by SPEA. However, the District is willing to meet SPEA and has offered to meet on September 14, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. as an alternative. The District is optimistic that everyone can cooperate on scheduling to facilitate a more meaningful dialogue.

The District has already provided an across-the-board raise for its teachers. The District is not sitting on large stockpiles of cash, as SPEA has suggested. The District is concerned that the additional raise demanded by SPEA will have a negative impact on the District’s finances and fiscal stability.

The District remains willing to work through these budgetary discussions with SPEA and hopes that SPEA is available to meet on September 14, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

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