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**To:** Board of Trustees  
**From:** Rob Sauer  
**Date:** June 2, 2026  
**Re:** Superintendents Board Report

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## Updates

- Patti Jeffery was presented the Homedale School District Teacher of the Year Award at the end of year celebration on May 28<sup>th</sup>. We started a Classified Employee of the Year Award this year as well. This is something we should have done a long time ago. We recognized our Classified Employee of the Year at the end of year celebration as well. Margaret Lejardi was presented the award.
- Superintendent Critchfield is hosting listening sessions about modernizing the public-school funding formula this summer. I was on a call with her earlier today and requested flexibility in spending. There are some in the state that don't want flexibility as that impacts them during negotiations. It's easier for them if the state directs how the money is spent, rather than leaving it open to the negotiation process. For us, flexibility makes the most sense.