

HOOD RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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MINUTES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

July 24, 2023

I. REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING AND CALL TO ORDER – 6:00 P.M.

The Hood River County School District (HRCSD) regular board meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by the board chair, Chrissy Reitz, in a virtual google meets meeting.

The following board members were present:

Julia Garcia-Ramirez
Chrissy Reitz, Chair
Brandi Sheppard, Vice-Chair
Barb Hosford
David Stuben

The following board members were absent:

Jen Kelly
Corinda Hankins-Elliott

The following members of the superintendent's cabinet were present:

Bill Newton, Executive Director of Curriculum & Instruction
Patricia Ortega-Cooper, Executive Director of Equity and Family Partnerships

The following HRCSD staff/community members were present:

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II. REVIEW/REVISION OF AGENDA - 6:01 P.M.

Board Chair Reitz shared there was a revised personnel report.

III. PUBLIC COMMENT/HEARING OF DELEGATIONS OR VISITORS - 6:01 P.M.

There was no one signed up for public comment.

IV. CONSOLIDATED ACTION - 6:01 P.M.

All items listed below are matters considered by the Board of Directors to be routine and were enacted by one motion. There was no separate discussion of these items. The Consolidated Action consisted of the following items:

- a. Human Resources Report/Personnel Action

A motion was made by Brandi Sheppard to approve the Consolidated Action as presented. It was seconded by Julia Garcia Ramirez and approved 5-0.

V. ACTION ITEMS – 6:03 P.M.

A. Approve Interim Superintendent Contract

Board Chair Chrissy Reitz presented the Hood River County School District Board of Directors with a July 26, 2023 - June 30, 2024 contract for approval for Bill Newton to become the interim superintendent of the Hood River County School District. Reitz shared the process was very collaborative and completed in a timely manner. The board congratulated Newton and looks forward to this year with him as interim superintendent. Newton shared he is honored and looking forward to this opportunity.

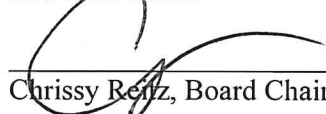
A motion was made by Julia Garcia Ramirez to approve the interim superintendent contract for Bill Newton as presented. It was seconded by Brandi Sheppard and passed 5-0.

IV. ADJOURNMENT – 6:06 P.M.


Chair Reitz adjourned the meeting at 6:06 P.M.

Board Meeting Voting Chart			Date: July 24, 2023			Time: 6:00pm		
		MOTION NUMBER	1. Approve Consolidated Action			2. Approve Interim Superintendent Contract for Bill Newton		
Position	Name	ATTENDANCE	Aye	No	Abstain	Aye	No	Abstain
Position 1	Chrissy Reitz	✓	✓			✓		
Position 2	Barb Hosford	✓	✓			✓		
Position 3	Corinda Hankins Elliott							
Position 4	Julia Garcia-Ramirez	✓	✓			✓		
Position 5	David Stuben	✓	✓			✓		
Position 6	Brandi Sheppard	✓	✓			✓		
Position 7 Member at Large	Jen Kelly							
		Motion made by:	Brandi Sheppard			Julia Garcia Ramirez		
		Seconded by:	Julia Garcia Ramirez			Brandi Sheppard		

SIGNATURES



 Chrissy Reitz, Board Chair Date

 8/15/23

 Superintendent Date Board:mw