

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 332

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Cunningham, KS 67035

Robert Reed, Superintendent

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| Call to Order | The West Kingman County Board of Education meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m. on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, by President Scott DeWeese. |
| Present | President, Scott DeWeese; Vice-President, Brent Hansen; Members, Joyce Gridley, and Travis Thimesch; Superintendent, Robert Reed; Principal, Cody Dunlap; Clerk, Stacy Webster and guests Erik Paris, Isaiah Reed, Brandon Brumaltdt, Sarah Sipe, Roberta Kobbe, and Shawna Sterneker. |
| Approval of Agenda | Motion made by Brent Hansen, seconded by Joyce Gridley, to approve the agenda as presented. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0. |
| Guest Recognition | President DeWeese welcomed the guests to the meeting. |
| Approval of Minutes | Motion made by Travis Thimesch, seconded by Brent Hansen, to approve the minutes of the September 15, 2021 regular meeting. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0.

Motion made by Joyce Gridley, seconded by Travis Thimesch, to approve the minutes of the September 15, 2021 special Revenue Neutral Rate and Budget Hearing meetings. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0. |
| October, 2021 Bills and Financial Reports | Motion made by Brent Hansen, seconded by Joyce Gridley, to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$279,369.15 and the financial reports as presented. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0. |
| Superintendent's Report | Superintendent Reed discussed facility issues, Grant updates, and 6man football status with KSHSSA |
| Principal's Report | Principal Dunlap shared with upcoming Calendar items for sports, academics and extracurricular activities. He asked the board their opinion on a Softball/Baseball coop. Board consensus was it would interfere with track. |
| Special Education Report | Member Joyce Gridley reported that staffing remains short. She also shared that a student has passed away. Superintendent Reed reported that some schools are looking at how other districts reduce their assessment costs. |
| Old Business | Superintendent Reed reported that he has had 6 responses to the steering committee. Sarah Sipe reported receiving Qualifications from 5 companies; |

Executive Session

Hutton construction, Law company, Dondlinger Construction, McCown Gordon and Wiens & Co. The board discussed and elected to interview 3 of the companies. Sarah put the names in a bowl to draw for interview order. They were selected as follows: McCown Gordon, Hutton Construction, Wiens & Co. Sarah reviewed with the board the request for proposal letter that will go to the selected firms.

Guests Sarah Sipe, Erik Paris, and Isaiah Reed Left the meeting at 8:13 pm.

Motion made by Joyce Gridley, seconded by Brent Hansen, to go into executive session with Administration for 5 minutes at 8:15 p.m. to discuss personnel performance under the KOMA exception for non-elected personnel Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0.

President DeWeese declared the meeting in open session at 8:20 p.m.

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President DeWeese declared the meeting in open session at 8:25 p.m.

New Business

Motion made by Travis Thimesch, seconded by Brent Hansen, to approve Lauren Schwartz as custodian. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0.

Motion made by Travis Thimesch, seconded by Brent Hansen, to schedule a special meeting for CMAR interviews on October 25, 2021 at 6pm in the High School music room. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0.

Adjournment

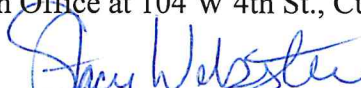
Motion made by Travis Thimesch, seconded by Joyce Gridley, to adjourn the meeting at 8:28 p.m. Yeas: DeWeese, Hansen, Gridley, Thimesch. Nays: none. Motion carried 4-0

Next Meeting

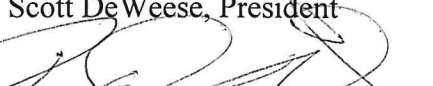
The next regular meeting of the West Kingman County Unified School District No. 332 Board of Education will be at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 10, 2021, in the Board of Education Office at 104 W 4th St., Cunningham, Kansas.



Scott DeWeese, President



Stacy Webster, Clerk


Robert Reed, Superintendent