

MINUTES  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
November 11, 2019  
7:15 PM

I. Call Meeting to Order

President Dave Zimmerman called the committee meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. and the following members were present: Carol Pralle, Dave Zimmerman, and Emily Shockley. The following administrators were present: Christopher Prosocki, Jeff Murphy, & Jerry Rempe.

Reasonable advance publicized notice of the meeting was given according to law by publishing, a designated method for giving notice of the school district. Reasonable advance notice was simultaneously given to board members and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice and the agenda attached. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

I.A. Committee on American Civics Statute 79-724

The committee on American Civics reviewed the new statute 79-724.

I.B. District Policies Related to the Committee on American Civics

The committee on American Civics reviewed Policy 2002: Organization of the Board (American Civics Requirements), Policy 6012: Flag Display and Patriotic Observances, and Policy 6032: Constitution Day Education.

I.C. Review K-12 Social Studies Curriculum

Dr. Prosocki gave an overview of the K-12 social studies curriculum and he stated that in 4th grade students learn about Nebraska history. He also mentioned that based on the district's strategic plan for the acquisition of textbooks, the social studies committee will be looking at new textbooks for the 2021-2022 school year.

I.D. Assessments Related to the Social Studies Standards

The committee went over the formative, interim, and summative assessments utilized in the district to measure students' mastery to the Nebraska Social Studies Standards.

I.E. Patriotic Exercises K-12

Mr. Murphy gave an overview of the Veterans Day program the school puts on every year.

I.F. Requirements (8th & 12th Grade) Under the Committee on American Civics

Mr. Murphy said that all 8th grade students and all 12th grade students will be taking the naturalization assessments used by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services to fulfill the new requirements under statute 79-724.

II. Adjournment

David Zimmerman adjourned the committee meeting at 7:24 p.m.

The next Regular Board meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., November 11, 2019, at Southern Jr./Sr. High School Board Room in Wymore. The Board of Education will usually adhere to the

sequence of the published agenda, but reserves the right to adjust the order of items if necessary and may elect to amend the agenda as deemed necessary.

BY  
President of the Board of Education  
Of this School District

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Secretary of the Board of Education  
of this School District