

LATTA SCHOOL BOARD

Minutes

January 12, 2021

(Minutes submitted are unofficial until approved at the next month's regular monthly meeting.)

The Latta School Board of Trustees met for the regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. in the District Administrative Conference Room. In accordance with S.C. Code of Laws of 1976, as amended, Section 30-4-80(E). *The Dillon Herald* was notified of the time, date, place and agenda of this meeting. The agenda is also posted in the District Office and on the district website.

Trustees present were Kyle Berry, Ray George, Vanessa Harrison, Kwame Hennagan, Stuart Poston, Eleanor Powers and Jo Ann Williamson.

Chair Kyle Berry welcomed all present and Dr. John Kirby opened with prayer.

There being no corrections or additions to the December 8, 2020 minutes and the current agenda, Chair Kyle Berry ruled that they stand approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Stuart Poston made a motion to approve the revised school transition plan. Kwame Hennagan seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous. (Transition plan attached becoming part of the minutes.)

DEPARTMENTAL BUSINESS

Donna Taylor presented the status reports for October 2020 and November 2020 on the General Fund budget. (Reports attached becoming part of the minutes.)

George Liebenrood updated the Board on SAT and ACT scores. (Report attached becoming part of the minutes.)

Dr. John Kirby updated the Board on teacher housing donations and the Latta Middle School security entrance.

Dr. John Kirby reminded Board Trustees to fill out the ethics form.

NEW BUSINESS:

Upon the principals' recommendations, a motion to approve the professional and paraprofessional contracts as presented for the 2021-2022 school year was made by Eleanor Powers and seconded by Jo Ann Williamson. Vote was unanimous. (Listing of recommendations attached becoming part of the minutes.)

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Dr. John Kirby discussed the superintendent's evaluation process with the Board.

CITIZEN INPUT ON ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST TO SCHOOLS:

None

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

None

FORMAL ACTION ON EXECUTIVE SESSION:

None

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn at 7:37 p.m. was made by Eleanor Powers and seconded by JoAnn Williamson. Vote was unanimous.

Kyle Berry, Chair
JMK:sg

Vanessa Harrison, Secretary