

HIGHLAND JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT #305
School Board Minutes
Regular Meeting
October 12, 2020

The Board of Trustees of Joint School District #305 met in regular session in the Library of the School at 7:01pm. Present were Trustees Haight, Knowlton, Smith, and Mendenhall. Trustee Schoonover attended by phone. Also attending was Clerk Weeks. The audience included Dennis Fredrickson, Danette Horrocks, and Josette Nebeker. Trustee Haight presided at the meeting.

Trustee Schoonover moved that the consent agenda be approved as presented. Trustee Smith seconded the motion. The consent agenda included minutes of the last meeting and certain current bills of this school district to be paid as presented: checks #33311 – 33349 totaling \$102,136.81. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

Danette Horrocks and Josette Nebeker were on hand to support their request to reopen Negotiations. They gave a light overview of things they want to talk about. Trustees Mendenhall and Smith agreed to represent the board with Trustee Haight as an alternate. Time was set for 5:00pm on Tuesday, October 20.

The Second Reading of the following policies was made.

- Policy 430 – Sexual Harassment, Discrimination, and Retaliation
- Policy 430P – Title IX Sexual Harassment Grievance Process
- Policy 430F – Title IX Sexual Harassment Investigation Form

Necessary corrections were noted. Also another form was introduced by ISBA that needs to be included. The policies will be brought back for another reading in November.


A plan to require masks in the gym during activities was presented to the board. Principal Fredrickson reviewed the rationale behind it. Trustee Knowlton moved and Trustee Mendenhall seconded to approve the Gym Mask Requirement as presented. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

Principal Fredrickson highlighted various topics in his report.


- Homecoming is this week.
- Fall activities
- Parent Teacher Conferences are coming up

No executive session was needed as participants were absent but it will be on the agenda next month.

Trustee Haight declared the meeting adjourned at 8:22pm.


Board Chair


Clerk


Date