

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL EMERGENCY MEETING OF
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF FILER
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 413,
TWIN FALLS COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO
JANUARY 31, 2023

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of School District No. 413, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho was convened at 7:00 p.m. on January 31, 2023 at the Filer Intermediate School Library in said district, pursuant to authority provided by Section 33-510 and 67-2340 through 67-2347, Idaho Code, and pursuant to affirmation by the Clerk that notice of the special meeting had been given to each trustee and had been announced by written public notice posted at the school district office and at least two or more public buildings within the school district not less than twenty-four hours before such meeting was to be convened. The Affidavit of Posting of Notice and a copy of the notice of a special meeting of School Trustees were entered into the record and are attached hereto.

Present at the meeting were Chairman Julie Koyle, Trustees Bob Burnham, Ryan Gurney, Jenni Lanting, Bill Deetz, Superintendent Kelli Schroeder, and Clerk Teresa Kullhem when the meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Julie Koyle.

Trustee Burnham made a motion to approve the agenda. Trustee Lanting seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Julie Koyle welcomed the community to the meeting and gave a few guidelines regarding public comment. Chairman Koyle gave background on the policy manual that the district has in place and the revision process that the district has been working on for the last two years, noting that Idaho School Board Association has been helping us with updating all of our policies.

Community Comment: Each of the following asked to speak to the board and were given three minutes: Joe Nalder (Trustee Koyle interrupted community comment to let the community know that policy 3281 in question had been adopted but that the district needed to make some changes to the policy as it was approved), Randon Lawrence, Tanner Cameron, Wayne Yates, Jaysa Fillmore, Dustin Morris, Trina Lewis, Annie Blass, Amber Lafayette, Tracy Daluiso, Jennifer Gray, Jim Hughes, Chad Sabey Brandon Connolly, and Jeni Taylor. All spoke about their concerns regarding the current policy 3281.

Chairman Koyle thanked everyone for their comments. The board held discussion on policy 3281. Chairman Koyle presented the policy that Kimberly School District has currently, noting the time and effort they put into creating that policy to fit their districts needs. Several board members gave comments about refining the policy to meet Filer's needs and addressing the safety of the district, students, and staff.

Trustees Burnham and Deetz have agreed to head a committee to revise the current 3281 policy and present their revised version to the board at the February 21st meeting. Members of the community are invited to be a part of this revision committee.

The board was given a Board Self-Assessment tool for them to complete and return to the district office. Some board training will then be set up based on what the board feels are some areas we need to focus on.

Chairman Koyle adjourned the meeting at 8:21 p.m.

Julie Koyle
Chairman

Teresa Kullhem
Clerk