

**ROCKFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION  
ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS  
Meeting Minutes**

**Via Zoom  
Thursday, April 30, 2020**

**The Overview of the High-Impact Governing Initiative**

1. Call to Order – President Kenneth Scrivano, utilizing Zoom, called the Overview of the High-Impact Initiative at 1:02 p.m.

Present: President Kenneth Scrivano, Vice President Tim Rollins, Secretary Jude Makulec, Mr. Anthony Dixon, Mr. David Seigel, Mr. Michael Connor (arr. 1:15 p.m.), Ms. June Stanford

Administration: Superintendent Dr. Ehren Jarrett, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Matt Vosberg, Chief Communications Officer Mr. Earl Dotson, Jr., Chief Human Resources Officer Mr. Matt Zediker, Chief Financial Officer Ms. Michelle R. Jahr, Executive Director of Academics Mrs. Heidi Dettman, Legal Counsel Atty. Lori Hoadley, Accountability Manager Brooke Peterson, Manager, Superintendent’s Office Amy Linnabary, Board Coordinator Ms. Laura Fromm

Guests: Mr. Doug Eadie, CEO Doug Eadie & Company, Inc.

2. High Impact Governing Discussion – Board Members  
Mr. Scrivano thanked Cabinet members and teams for the work they have accomplished during the pandemic. Implementation has gone well, and other school districts are looking to Rockford Public Schools for guidance. The overview was presented by Mr. Scrivano, Mr. Rollins, and Dr. Jarrett. These included recommendations of a standalone governance committee and three virtual committees. Cabinet liaisons will be assigned. The next step will be to meet face to face to discuss the initiatives.
3. Petitions and Communications (limited to 30 minutes)  
There were no speakers.
4. Adjournment  
**Motion** by Mr. Rollins seconded by Mr. Dixon to **adjourn.**

**Adjournment 1:38 P.M. p.m.**

Approved: 5/12/20

**President:       *Kenneth J. Scrivano /s/***

**Secretary:       *Jude B. Makulec /s/***

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