



Board of Directors, Workshop/Special Meeting Minutes, Friday, January 8, 2021
RICHLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 400
BENTON COUNTY, RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

The Board of Directors of Richland School District No. 400 met for a workshop/special meeting Friday, January 8, 2021 via Zoom, West Richland, Washington, Benton County. School Board President Rick Jansons presided. Board members present: Heather Cleary, Kari Williams, Jill Oldson, and Ken Gosney.

Mr. Jansons called the meeting to order at 3:33 P.M.

1.0 Board Operating Principles *facilitated by Tricia Lubach, Washington State School Director's Association (WSSDA)

Ms. Lubach is the Director of Leadership Development for WSSDA. Ms. Lubach led a review of the board assessment survey completed by all members. She advised this data will be more relevant when looking at several years of data in the future.

Ms. Lubach also shared the five core principles of effective boards:

1. Responsible school district governance
2. Communication and commitment to high expectations for student learning
3. Creating conditions district wide for student and staff success
4. Holding accountable
5. Engaging the community in education

Several more workshops will be scheduled on Board Operating Principles in the future to continue this work.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

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SECRETARY, BOARD OF DIRECTORS