

School Board Work Session
Independent School District 564 – Board of Education
May 16, 2022
5:00 p.m.
DSC Boardroom

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 Board of Education was held on Monday, May 16, 2022, beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the DSC Boardroom. The following board members were present: Mike Spears, Craig Mattson, Misty Hempel, Ryan Walseth, Michelle Westerman, Chris Melbye, and Wayne Nomeland.
Absent: None.

Staff members present were: Melissa Bushy, Tanya Monson-Ek, Amber Lindgren, Scott Brekke, Meg Kolden (via ZOOM) and Sara Olson.

Also present was: Lee Warne - MSBA (via ZOOM), Jillian Niebaur (via ZOOM), and Dave Hill.

Chairman Walseth called the meeting to order at 5 pm and Clerk Westerman confirmed that a quorum was present.

Lee Warne from MSBA facilitated the meeting. Superintendent applicants' information was reviewed.

A motion was made by Misty Hempel and seconded by Wayne Nomeland to approve to interview candidates B, C, & D on May 18. Motion carried unanimously.

After the finalists were selected, the interview schedule for May 18 was established. Lee Warne discussed Interview procedures and reviewed the chosen interview questions.

Next steps for the remainder of the hiring process were also reviewed.

Lee Warne, MSBA, announced the names of the three finalists selected to interview on May 18:

- Jennifer Leadbetter, School Advocate, Northern Sky Regional Center of Excellence, NWSC
- David Pace, Superintendent, Greenway, MN
- Craig Peterson, High School Principal, Breckenridge, MN

The special board meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

/s/
Ryan Walseth, Chair

/s/
Michelle Westerman, Clerk