



Minutes
Special Public Session Meeting
Sedalia School District #200
Thursday, July 9, 2020 7:30 p.m.
Smith-Cotton High School
Heckart Performing Arts Center

Call to Order Dr. Sharp president, called the meeting to order at 7:32 p.m.

Present Board Members physically present: Dr. Jeffrey Sharp, President; Scott Gardner, Vice President; Diana Nichols, Secretary; Matthew Herren, Barbara Schrader.

Videoconference Board Members videoconference present: Kenny Coffelt, Treasurer and Michael Stees.

Attendees Steve Triplett, Superintendent; Jason Curry, Assistant Superintendent; Chris Pyle, Assistant Superintendent; Lisa Hammerly, Recording Secretary.

Public Comments JoAnn Martin, Director Pettis County Health Center, presented information on wearing face mask covering, and that the county reached its highest weekly level of coronavirus cases from June 26-July 2 and those numbers continue to rise. She said with attendees wearing masks, they would be at low risk for exposure to the virus; without masks, they face high-risk exposure and there would be difficulty tracking who intermingled with whom.

Approval of Agenda Scott Gardner moved, seconded by Diana Nichols, that the Board approve the Agenda July 9, 2020 Agenda. Affirmative: 7

Face Mask Covering Mr. Triplett presented information for discussion on the Face Mask Covering during Graduation.

Face Mask Covering Scott Gardner moved, seconded by Diana Nichols, that the Board approve the Sedalia School District 200 Board of Education Resolution that as a condition of attendance of the 2020 Graduation Ceremony July 18, 2020, that masks must be worn for the concern for health and safety due to the COVID-19 emergency as presented.
Roll Call Vote: Kenny Coffelt, aye; Scott Gardner, aye; Matthew Herren, nay; Diana Nichols, aye; Barbara Schrader, aye; Michael Stees, aye; Dr. Jeffrey Sharp, aye.

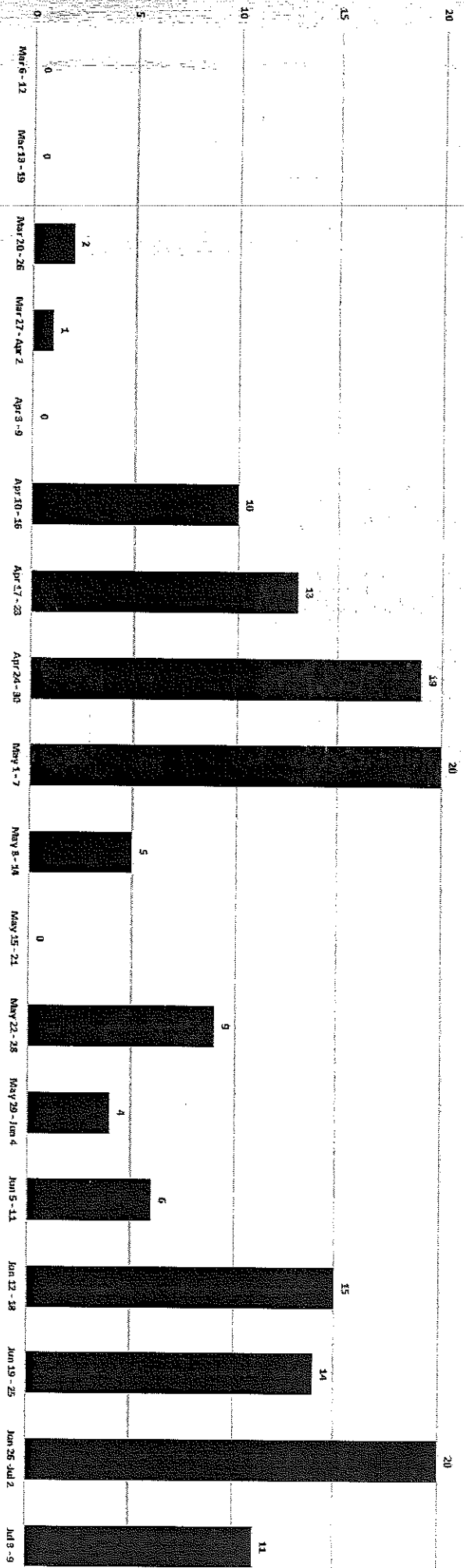
Adjournment Kenny Coffelt moved, seconded by Diana Nichols, to adjourn the Closed Board of Education Meeting at 8:11 p.m. Roll Call Vote: Kenny Coffelt, Scott Gardner, Matthew Herren, Diana Nichols, Barbara Schrader, Michael Stees and Dr. Jeffrey Sharp.

Approved this 27th day of July 2020, by order of the Board of Education, Sedalia School District #200, Pettis County, Sedalia, MO.

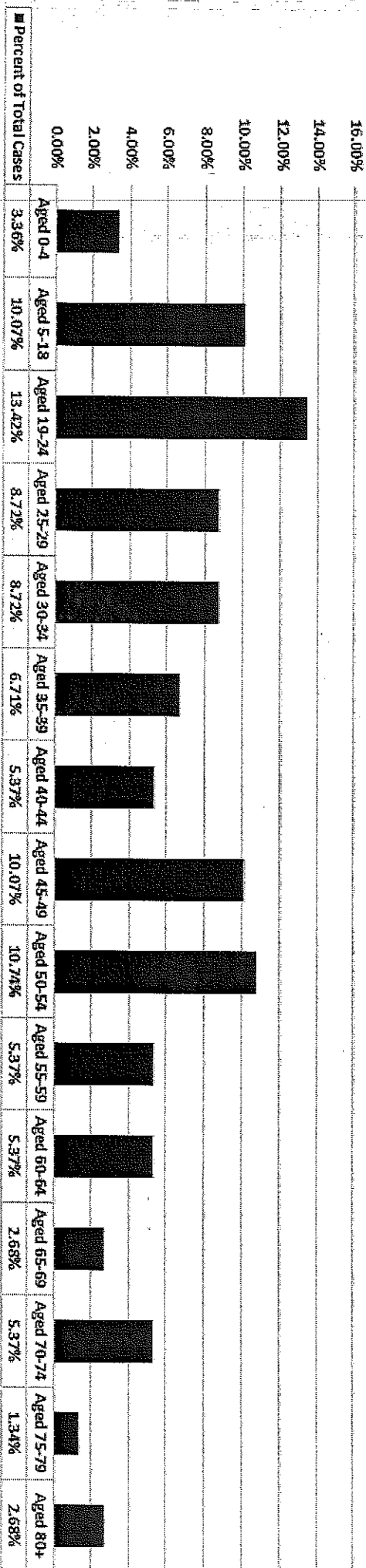
Diana Nichols, Secretary

Dr. Jeffrey Sharp, President

Number of Positives in Time Period by Test Date
■ Number of Positives in Time Period



Percent of Total Cases by Age Group



Pettis County COVID-19 Data: Age Group 5-18

250
7.25% of Pettis County residents aged 5-18
who have been tested have come back
positive

Number Tested	207
Number Positive	15

Sedalia School District 200 Board of Education Resolution

Upon a motion duly made; seconded, it was adopted that as a condition of attendance of the 2020 Graduation Ceremony July 18, 2020, that masks must be worn for the concern for health and safety due to the COVID-19 emergency.

RESOLVED, that the requiring of masks be worn at the graduation ceremony on July 18, 2020 at Matthewson Exhibition Center due to the concern for health and safety due to COVID-19.

Masks are required to be worn by students, employees, parents, and guests. Masks will be provided to individuals who do not bring their own mask.

"Mask" shall mean a uniform piece of material that securely covers a person's nose and mouth and remains affixed in place without the use of one's hands, whether store-bought or homemade, consistent with CDC guidelines.

WHEREAS, the CDC has expressly found that COVID-19 spreads mainly from person to person through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes or talks, and that these droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs, and studies and evidence on infection control report that these droplets usually travel around 6 feet; and

WHEREAS, consistent with the ongoing nature of the COVID-19 emergency, it is appropriate in order to ensure the health, safety and welfare of the community during the present state of emergency to require face coverings consistent with the provisions provided herein;

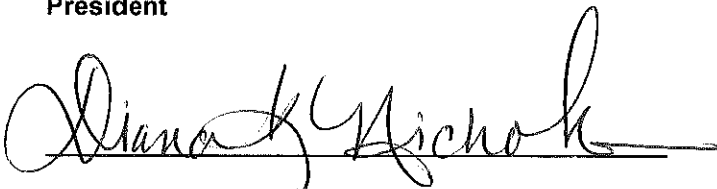
It is the intent of the Sedalia School District Board of Education to seek voluntary compliance with the provisions contained herein; however, in the event voluntary compliance is not achieved, then violation of this Resolution, and any order issued pursuant hereto, the individual shall no longer be able to attend the graduation ceremony at Matthewson Exhibition Center, and must leave the graduation ceremony.

The undersigned, Diana Nichols, certifies that she is the duly elected Secretary of this District, and the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution that was duly adopted at the meeting of the Board of Education, which was held in accordance with State law and the Policies and Regulations of the school district, RSMo 171.011 The school board of each school district in the state may make all needful rules and regulations for the organization, grading and government in the school district. The rules shall take effect when a copy of the rules, duly signed by order of the board, is deposited with the district clerk. The district clerk shall transmit forthwith a copy of the rules to the teachers employed in the schools. The rules may be amended or repealed in like manner.

Dated: July 9, 2020



President



Secretary