

MINERAL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
751 A. STREET
Hawthorne, Nevada 89415
BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, November 7, 2023

The Mineral County School District held a public meeting on Tuesday, November 7, 2023 beginning at 5:34 PM at Mineral County School District.

Tyler read "I would like to acknowledge that this meeting is being held on traditional lands of the Paiute People, and pay our respect to elders both past and present".

MEMBERS PRESENT: Juanita Diede, Kristin Reeves, Candice Birchum, Tyler Viani

MEMBERS ABSENT: Kathy Castagnola

ADMINISTRATORS: Stephanie Keuhey, Superintendent; Monica Keady, HJH/MCHS Principal; Mercede Krause, HES Principal

OTHERS PRESENT: Hope Blinco, Erika Sanchez, Staci Teeters, Monica Keady, Ann Kee, Philip Jaramilo, Kristy Bekiares, Drew Schaar, Kenneth Tedford, Andrea Martinez, Meshanna Huntley, Pam Everitt, Amanda Hughes

CALL TO ORDER: 5:34 PM

1. Certification of Public Notice, Roll Call, and Pledge of Allegiance
2. Approval of a flexible agenda. (For Possible Action) *NONE*
3. Person or Group Recognition - *NONE*
4. Presentations - *MCCSEA Presentation SB231 - Ann Kee, Phillip Jaramillo, Erika Sanchez*

CONSENT ITEMS: (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

1. Minutes: October 17, 2023
2. Payroll Vouchers: 1030,1031,1036,1037,1039,1046,1047
3. Payroll Checks: 88759-88886
4. Voided Checks: 88838
5. Warrants: 27107-27186
6. Personnel Report – Information Only

Tyler Viani made a motion to approve the minutes from October 17, 2023; Payroll Vouchers: 1030, 1031, 1036,1037,1039,1046,1047; Payroll Checks: 88759-88886; Voided Checks: 88838; Warrants: 27107-27186; Personnel Report as presented. Candice Birchum seconded the motion.

Kristin Reeves-Y; Juanita Diede-Y; Candice Birchum-Y; Tyler Viani-Y. Motion passed 4-0-0

ACTION ITEMS: (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION)

1. Recommendation: Discussion and Possible Action of the resignation and release of Kristy Bekiares from her contract for the 2023-2024 school year.

GPC: Hope Blinco, Drew Schaar, Kristy Bekiares,

Tyler Viani made a motion to approve. Candice Birchum seconded the motion.

Kristin Reeves-Y; Juanita Diede-Y; Candice Birchum-Y; Tyler Viani-Y. Motion passed 4-0-0

2. Information Only: NEPF Data Review for 2022/2023 School Year - *Hope Blinco explained the report to the board.*

3. Recommendation: Discussion and Possible Action of the MCHS Work Based Learning Application

GPC: Monica Keady, Drew Schaar

Tyler Viani made a motion to approve. Candice Birchum seconded the motion.

Kristin Reeves-Y; Juanita Diede-Y; Candice Birchum-Y; Tyler Viani-Y. Motion passed 4-0-0

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COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS: (FOR DISCUSSION ONLY)

1. Correspondence & Announcements - *NONE*
2. Board Members Reports - *Tyler Viani- Training coming up for the board November 30 to December 3, 2023. Academic Olympics.*
Kristin Reeves - The football team played with everything they had. The sportsmanship was huge. The high school team pulled together.
3. Superintendent Report - *Attended CSED in Vegas. Discussed technology across the globe. Nevada is rated at 96%. Jason from RPDP will be out working with HES next week. Discussed NV future of learning. Excited about the future of Nevada.*
4. Principals Report - *Monica Keady, Principal HJHS/MCHS*
Mercedes Krause, Principal HES

Tyler Viani made a motion to go into closed session pursuant to (NRS) 241.015(2)(b)(2) and Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 288.220 to receive information from legal counsel relative to general pending litigation and to discuss negotiations. Juanita Diede seconded the motion.
Kristin Reeves-Y; Juanita Diede-Y; Candice Birchum-N; Tyler Viani-Y. Motion passed 4-0-0

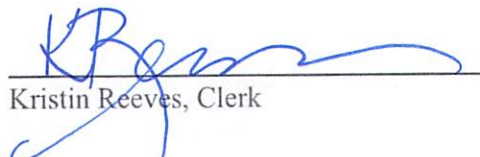
Tyler Viani made a motion to go back into open session. Kathy Castagnola seconded the motion.
Kristin Reeves-Y; Juanita Diede-Y; Tyler Viani-Y; Kathy Castagnola-Y. Motion passed 4-0-0

3. Closed Session – Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 241.015(2)(b)(2) and Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 288.220 to receive information from legal counsel relative to general pending litigation and to discuss negotiations.

4. Open Session - Discussion and possible action relative to pending litigation and/or negotiations.

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT: *NONE*

ADJOURNMENT: 6:55PM
Respectfully submitted:



Kristin Reeves, Clerk