

GRAND COULEE DAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Grand Coulee Dam School District and Nespelem School District Joint School Board Meeting

Minutes

March 5, 2024

SIAM Palace

6:00 p.m.

Call Meeting to Order: Board Chair, Rich Black called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Present: Shannon Nicholson, George LaPlace, Alex Tufts, Deidre Ellsworth, Rich Black, Rod Broadnax.

Nespelem Board: Anna, Jolene, Nancy, Superintendent Effie Dean.

Audience: Scott Hunter, Jarred Erickson

Approval of Agenda: It was m/s by Shannon/Deidre to approve the agenda as presented. (5-0) Motion Passed.

Introductions

Purpose of Meeting (Rod Broadnax/Effie Dean): *continued collaboration*

Dinner

Athletic Participation Update: *Are needing some paperwork signed by Nespelem Superintendent to WIAA to continue inter-district sports teams.*

Negotiation of Impact Aid Agreement:

Decision on Impact Aid Agreement: *It was m/s by Alex/Shannon to approve the proposal to continue a 75%/25% split with Nespelem on funds and continue the same agreement for 3 years. (5-0) Motion Passed.*

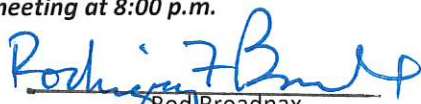
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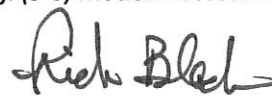
Joint Spring Events: *L.R. invited Nespelem staff/students to join in the spring "Mini-Blooms Day" event. A suggestion to coordinate a spring "festival" event was discussed.*

Comments from the Board Members (GCDS/D/Nespelem): *1) A suggestion to begin all meetings with the Pledge of Allegiance and add a "Land Acknowledgment" oath. 2) The initiative to have a four-day school week for the GCDS/D was discussed (the initiative will be revisited for the 2005/26 school year)*

Develop Time/Date/Location of Next Joint Board Meeting: *It was m/s by George/Deidre to schedule the next joint school board meeting for May 14th at 6:00 p.m. at Siam. Motion Passed. Unanimously approve.*

Adjournment: *It was m/s by Shannon/George to adjourn the meeting. (5-0) Motion Passed. Board Chair, Rich Black adjourned the meeting at 8:00 p.m.*


Rod Broadnax
Board Secretary


Rich Black
Board Chair



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