

**NORTH THURSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**Board of Directors and Nisqually Tribal Council**  
**Special Meeting/Joint Work Session**  
**Wednesday, November 6, 2024 at 2:00 PM**  
**Nisqually Tribe Administration Building**  
**4820 She-Nah-Num Drive SE**  
**Olympia, WA 98513**

**I. ROUTINE ITEMS**

**A. Call to Order**

President Maliska called the meeting of the North Thurston Public Schools Board of Directors and the Nisqually Tribal Council to order at 2:08 PM.

**B. Introductions of Nisqually Tribal Council**

**C. Introductions and Roll Call for NTPS Board**

Board members present: Gretchen Maliska, Tiffany Sevruck, Sarah Tracy, and Esperanza Badillo-Diiorio.

Esperanza Badillo-Diiorio made a motion to excuse Director Gipson who was out of town on work-related business. Sarah Tracy seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Others present: Troy Oliver, Sean Dotson, Nikki Grubbs, Sarah Rich, Amy Blondin, Heather Larson, Karen Johnson, Derrick Pete, Jami Roberts, Josh Parker, Alison McCartan, Jerad Koepp, and Antonio Sandifer

**D. Pledge of Allegiance**

President Maliska led the Board and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**E. Reading of Land Acknowledgement**

President Maliska read the NTPS Land Acknowledgement.

**II. PURPOSE**

**A. Nisqually Tribal Council Sharing**

**B. Data Sharing Agreement Update and Purpose**

Antonio Sandifer, Director of Equity and Languages provided an update on the Data Sharing Agreement.

**C. Billy Frank Day Celebration Update**

Jami Roberts, Director of ELA, Social Studies, and Library Programs shared an update on the Billy Frank Day Celebration.

**D. John McCoy (Iulilaš) Since Time Immemorial Curriculum Update**

Jami Roberts, Director of ELA, Social Studies, and Library Programs and Josh Parker shared an update on the John McCoy (Iulilaš) Since Time Immemorial Curriculum.

**E. History through Native Perspectives Update**

Alison McCartan shared an update on History through Native Perspectives.

**F. Other District Updates**

Jerad Koepp, Indian Education Liaison, and Antonio Sandifer, Director of Equity and Languages shared District updates.

**III. CLOSING REMARKS**

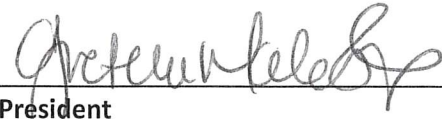
Closing remarks shared by the Council and Board.

**IV. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 3:11 PM.

Respectfully submitted:

  
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Secretary of the Board

  
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President