

KENNEWICK SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17
SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING/RETREAT
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION CENTER

01-15-2025
M I N U T E S

MEMBERS PRESENT

Board Members: Gabe Galbraith, President of the Board; Micah Valentine, Vice President of the Board; Brittany Gledhill, Legislative Representative of the Board; Dr. Josh Miller, Board Member; Michael Connors, Board Member; and Dr. Traci Pierce, Superintendent and Secretary of the Board.

Cabinet Members: Cabinet Members: Matt Scott, Assistant Superintendent of K-12 Education; Alyssa St. Hilaire, Assistant Superintendent of Teaching & Learning; Dr. Thomas Brillhart, Assistant Superintendent of Operations; Robyn Chastain, Executive Director of Communications and Public Relations; Eric Veach, Interim Executive Director of Information Technology.

CALL TO ORDER

President Gabe Galbraith called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance with approximately 12 online and in-person staff and guests.

SUPERINTENDENT/SCHOOL BOARD RETREAT

The retreat's purpose is for the superintendent and School Board to conduct a semi-annual review of the district and plan for continued quality education and efficient operation of the Kennewick School District.

DISCUSSION TOPICS: The Board discussed the following topics:

- 2024-2025 Board Priorities and Strategies
- 2024-2025 Board Meeting Calendar
- Dual Language Program Update and Placement Process

NEXT MEETING AGENDA:

- Annual Nutrition Services Report
- Annual Staff Safety Report
- Policy and Procedure No. 2313 INSTRUCTION: Electronic Information System

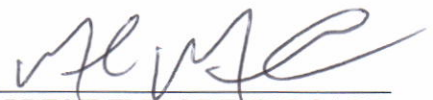
EXECUTIVE SESSION

President Gabe Galbraith announced at 6:50 p.m. that discussion topics open to the public were concluded and moved the Board into executive session for approximately 90 minutes at 7:00 p.m. per RCW 42.30.110 (1) (g) to conduct the Superintendent Applicant Evaluation and Superintendent/Cabinet Performance Review with no formal action of the Board to be

taken. At 8:15 p.m. Mr. Galbraith extended the executive session until 8:45 p.m.

OTHER BUSINESS AS AUTHORIZED BY LAW

There being no further business, Gabe Galbraith adjourned the meeting at 8:45 p.m.



PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD



SECRETARY OF THE BOARD

Approved: January 22, 2025