

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 422
KIOWA COUNTY, GREENSBURG, KANSAS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
MARCH 8, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: The Board of Education of Unified School District No. 422, State of Kansas, Kiowa County, met for a regular meeting at the school district office, 710 S. Main Street in Greensburg. The meeting was called to order by President Ki Gamble at 8:03 p.m.

MEMBERS: Ki Gamble, Paul Kendall, J. Wynn Fleener, Rosa Hettinger, Darren McDonald, Tony Rhodes, Cory Zenger

STAFF: Staci Derstein, Brian Deterding, Travis Powell, Cassie Kirby, Marcus Mitchell

AUDIENCE: Brad Lingafelter, Keesha Humble, Caleb Fulton, Liberty Gilkey

APPROVE AGENDA: A motion was made by Paul Kendall and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to approve the agenda with three additions:
1. Presentation by JAG-K students
2. Consider 2021-22 school calendar
3. Consider purchase of suburban
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE MINUTES: A motion was made by Darren McDonald and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held February 8, 2021, and minutes of special meetings held February 3, 2021, February 18, 2021 (with the meeting time corrected), and February 21, 2021.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

JAG-K PRESENTATION: Student officers in the Jobs for America's Graduates-Kansas organization reported on their involvement in the program.

APPROVE PAYMENT OF BILLS: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to approve payment of March bills in the amount of \$119,248.46.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE POLICY UPDATES: A motion was made by Paul Kendall and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to approve KASB policy updates EBBD, GAR, JBE, JGCA/JGCA form, JGCC and JHCAA.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

- EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was made by Ki Gamble and seconded by J. Wynn Fleener that the board and administration go into executive session at 8:31 p.m. to discuss confidential student information, pursuant to the exemption relating to actions adversely or favorably affecting a student under the Kansas Open Meeting Act, and that the open meeting will resume at 8:37 p.m.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was made by Ki Gamble and seconded by Tony Rhodes that the board and administration go into executive session at 8:39 p.m. to discuss open positions for the 2021-22 school year, pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under the Kansas Open Meeting Act, and that the open meeting will resume at 9:00 p.m.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was made by Ki Gamble and seconded by Tony Rhodes that the board and administration go into executive session at 9:00 p.m. to discuss teacher negotiation items, pursuant to the employer-employee negotiations exception under the Kansas Open Meeting Act, and that the open meeting will resume at 9:10 p.m.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- HIRE TRACK ASSISTANT: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to hire Megan Shanley as assistant junior high track coach for the 2021 season.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- ACCEPT RESIGNATION: A motion was made by Rosa Hettinger and seconded by J. Wynn Fleener to accept the resignation of Thomas Derstein as head high school girls' basketball coach, effective immediately.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- ACCEPT RESIGNATION: A motion was made by Cory Zenger and seconded by Darren McDonald to accept the resignation of Laura Chadd, virtual school teacher, effective May 31, 2021.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED
- ACCEPT RESIGNATION: A motion was made by Tony Rhodes and seconded by Paul Kendall to accept the resignation of Amy Clements, junior high social studies teacher, effective at the end of the 2020-21 school year.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE JAG-K FOR 2021-22: A motion was made by Cory Zenger and seconded by Paul Kendall to approve an agreement with JAG-K for 2021-22, at a cost of \$11,000.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE NEGOTIATIONS LETTER: A motion was made by Darren McDonald and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to approve a negotiations letter to the teaching staff.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

AMEND COVID PLAN: A motion was made by Paul Kendall and seconded by Rosa Hettinger to amend the 2020-21 COVID Operations Plan, suspending the Remote Learning Option.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

REPORTS: Principal/Athletic Director Brian Deterding reported on virtual school graduates and spring athletic participation.

Principal Travis Powell reported on student-led conferences.

Superintendent Staci Derstein reported on bus repairs and painting at the district-owned house.

APPROVE 2021-22 CALENDAR: A motion was made by Paul Kendall and seconded by J. Wynn Fleener to approve the 2021-22 school calendar as presented by the superintendent.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

PURCHASE SUBURBAN: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Paul Kendall to purchase a 2021 4-wheel drive Suburban from Lewis Motors at the low bid of \$45,914.
Yes: 7 No: 0 PASSED

ADJOURNMENT: President Ki Gamble declared the meeting adjourned at 9:52 p.m.

President, Board of Education

Clerk, Board of Education