

# Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees MINUTES

# Wednesday, May 19, 2021 1:00 PM VIRTUAL MEETING

Present:

Steve Adams, Chair Karin Scholl, Vice Chair Joyce Dvornek, Trustee Ali Mouallem, Trustee Adrian Wong, Trustee Lynn Skrepnek, Trustee Lorrie Shelp, Trustee

Staff Present:

Laura Poloz, Superintendent

Margaret Hartman, Deputy Superintendent

Jody Frowley, Secretary-Treasurer & Recording Secretary

Kyle Nichols, Communications Officer Sue Charest, Executive Assistant

- 1. Division Vision, Mission, Values & Goals
- 2. Board Priorities & Goals
- 3. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:05 p.m.

4. Opening Remarks

Chair, Steve Adams, acknowledged the ancestral land on which we are meeting.

5. Approval of Consent Items

Resolution BD20210519.1001 Moved By: Adrian Wong

That the Board of Trustees receive the items listed below, and to approve all recommendations contained therein as follows:

- Adoption of Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees held April 21, 2021
- 2. Adoption of Minutes of Special Budget Meeting held May 5, 2021
- 3. Receipt of the Superintendent's Report as information
- 4. Receipt of the Trustee Report as information
- 5. Receipt of the Transportation Reports as information
- 6. Receipt of Correspondence as information

Carried

5.1 Adoption of Previous Minutes

Resolution BD20210519.1002 Moved By: Adrian Wong

That the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees held April 21, 2021 be adopted as presented.

Carried

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#### Resolution BD20210519.1003

Moved By: Adrian Wong

That the minutes of the Special Budget Meeting held May 5, 2021 be adopted as presented.

Carried

# 5.2 Receipt of Superintendent's Report as Information

Resolution BD20210519.1004

Moved By: Adrian Wong

To receive the Superintendent's Report as information.

Carried

# 5.3 Receipt of Trustee Report as Information

The Trustee Report was received as information.

# 5.4 Receipt of Transportation Report as Information

The Transportation Reports were received as information.

# 5.5 Receipt of Correspondence as Information

The following correspondence was received as information:

- 1. 2021-04-16 Invitation to MLA Pat Rehn to meet re Draft K-6 Curriculum
- 2. 2021-04-16 Invitation to MLAs Todd Loewen and Dan Williams to meet re Draft K-6 Curriculum
- 2021-05-10 Email to School Councils re Invitation to Public School Boards' Association SGA

# 6. Changes to the Agenda

Enter: Lynn Skrepnek entered the meeting at 1:08 p.m.

Resolution BD20210519.1005

Moved By: Ali Mouallem

That the agenda be accepted as amended.

Carried

# 7. Business Arising from Previous Minutes

There was no business arising from the minutes of the previous meeting.

## 8. Points to Celebrate

Communication Officer, Kyle Nichols, presented Points to Celebrate.

# 9. New Business- Open

# 9.1 Trustee/Administration Question/Answer Period

# 9.1.1 Q & A: ASBA Zone 1 Friends of Education Nomination

The Board discussed the ASBA Zone 1 Friends of Education nomination package.

# 9.2 Action Items

# 9.2.1 ACTION: Transportation, Subsistence & Facility Rates

Resolution BD20210519.1006

Moved By: Ali Mouallem

To approve the Transportation, Subsistence and Facility Rates as presented.

Carried

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# 9.2.2 ACTION: Approval of 2021-2024 Three Year Education Plan

Trustees reviewed the High Prairie School Division's 2021-2024 Three Year Education Plan.

Exit: Karin Scholl left the meeting at 1:32 p.m.

Resolution BD20210519.1007 Moved By: Lynn Skrepnek

That the Board approve The High Prairie School Division's 2021-2024 Three Year Education Plan as presented.

Carried

## 9.2.3 ACTION: Returning Officer and Deputy Returning Officer for 2021 Trustee Election

Resolution BD20210519.1008 Moved By: Joyce Dvornek

To appoint Jody Frowley as Returning Officer and Sandra Cairns as the Deputy Returning Officer for High Prairie School Division for the 2021 Trustee Elections.

Carried

Enter: Karin Scholl entered the meeting at 1:37 p.m.

#### 11. General Matters

#### 11.1 Finance

Secretary Treasurer, Jody Frowley, presented the financial information.

Resolution BD20210519.1009 Moved By: Joyce Dvornek

To approve the Accounts Receivables, Accounts Payables, Cheque/EFT Register, VISA and Budget reports as presented.

Carried

## 11.2 Edwin Parr Expenses

The Board discussed whether or not High Prairie School Division is claiming eligible expenses to the organizations for which our Trustees are committee members.

**Recess:** The meeting was recessed at 1:45 p.m. for a health break and for the Minister's address at 2:00 p.m.

Enter: Treva Emter entered the meeting at 2:08 p.m.

Enter: Brennan McDonald entered the meeting at 2:09 p.m.

**Reconvene:** The meeting was reconvened at 2:10 with all members present except Kyle Nichols.

## 10. Delegations / Presentations

# 10.1 Presentation: Human Resources Overview

Assistant Superintendent Treva Emter and Supervisor of Inclusion Brennan McDonald provided an overview of Human Resources and statistics on personnel changes.

Enter: Kyle Nichols entered the meeting at 2:11 p.m.

Exit: Treva Emter and Brennan McDonald exited the meeting at 2:31 p.m.

# 12. Information Items

# 12.1 Standing Committee Reports

# 12.1.1 Evaluation Committee Report

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The Board Self-Evaluation report was presented as information.

# 12.1.2 Employee Recognition Report

Trustee Shelp provided an update on this year's virtual Long Service Awards.

## 13. Closed

Resolution BD20210519.1010 Moved By: Lynn Skrepnek

That the meeting go into camera at 2:40 p.m.

Carried

Exit: Kyle Nichols left the meeting at 2:41 p.m.

## 13.1 Upcoming Meetings & Accommodations

Exit: Sue Charest left the meeting at 2:45 p.m.

- 13.2 Suspension List
- 13.3 Action List
- 13.4 Retirements, Resignation, Appointments & Transfers
- 13.5 Committee of the Whole
  - 13.5.1 Personnel

#### 13.6 Teachers' Employer Bargaining Association (TEBA) Update

Exit: Steve Adams declared conflict of interest and left the meeting at 3:21 p.m.

**Enter:** Steve Adams returned to the meeting at 3:31 p.m. after the Teachers' Employer Bargaining Association (TEBA) discussion ended.

# 13.7 Out of Camera

Resolution BD20210519.1011 Moved By: Lorrie Shelp

To come Out of Camera at 3:32 p.m.

Carried

# 14. Next Regular Board Meeting

The next Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees is scheduled for June 16, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

## 15. Adjournment

Resolution BD20210519.1012

Moved By: Ali Mouallem

That there being no further business, the meeting adjourn at 3:33 p.m.

Carried

Secretary Treasurer