

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

**MINUTES OF THE ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING
OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION,
WESTERN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 12,
PIKE AND ADAMS COUNTIES, ILLINOIS**

HELD ON APRIL 21, 2021

The Board of Education, Western Community Unit School District No. 12, Pike and Adams Counties, Illinois, met in Special Session on April 21, 2021, at 6:23 o'clock p.m., in the Western Elementary Gym, 401 McDonough Street, Barry, Illinois, in said School District, for the purpose of conducting an Organizational Meeting in accord with the School Code.

The Oath of Office, pursuant to statute, was administered to all Board members.

The meeting was called to order by Jeff Terry, Western School Attorney, he called for the nomination of a President pro tem and a Secretary pro tem. Member Tyler Patterson was nominated as President Pro Tem and Member Lorc Weir was nominated as Secretary Pro Tem. There were no objections. On the call of the roll, the following members were present and answered to their names: Brian Nation, Tyler Patterson, Jeff Neese, Lorc Weir, James Broeckling and Kelsey Schafer. Jacob Walch was absent. Whereupon, the presiding Officer declared a quorum was present.

The presiding officer opened the meeting to questions and/or comments from the public in accord with state statute. There were no questions or comments.

The presiding Officer declared that the first item of business would be the election of a President of the Board. Member Weir placed in nomination the name of Member Patterson. No further names being placed in nomination, nominations were closed. On the call of the roll for the election of Member Patterson as Board President, the nomination carried with a unanimous voice vote. Whereupon, the presiding Officer declared Member Patterson to be the new President of the Board. President Patterson assumed the presiding chair.

President Patterson declared that the next item of business would be the election of a Vice President of the Board. Member Patterson placed in nomination the name of Member Weir. No further names being placed as nominations, nominations were closed. The nomination carried with a unanimous voice vote. Whereupon, the President declared Member Weir to be the new Vice President of the Board.

President Patterson declared that the next item of business would be the election of a Secretary. Member Weir placed in nomination the name of James Broeckling. No further names being placed as nominations, nominations were closed. The nomination carried with a unanimous voice vote. Whereupon, the President declared James Broeckling to be the Secretary of the Board.

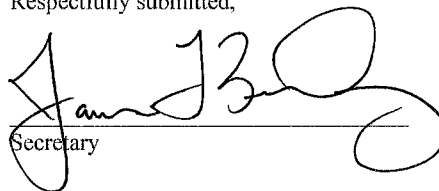
President Patterson declared that the next item of business would be the appointment of the Treasurer. The Board appointed Kelsi Neese as Treasurer. Member Nation made the motion: Member Weir seconded. On the call of the roll: Nation, Broeckling, Schafer, Patterson, Weir, Neese, abstain and Walch, absent: 5, yes: 1, abstain, 0, No: 1, absent. Motion carried.

It was moved by Member Patterson and seconded by Member Nation that the Regular Meetings of the Board of Education for the balance of the fiscal year be held on May 10, 2021 at 6:00 p.m., and June 16, 2021 at 6:00 p.m., at the Western Elementary Gym, 401 McDonough Street, Barry, Illinois. On the call of the roll: Weir, Neese, Broeckling, Schafer, Patterson, Nation and Walch, absent: 6, yes: 0, No: 1, absent. Motion carried.

There were no closed session items to be discussed.

It was moved by Member Weir and seconded by Member Nation that the meeting adjourn at 6:30p.m. On the call of the roll: Schafer, Nation, Neese, Weir, Broeckling, Patterson and Walch, absent; Whereupon, the President declared the motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,


Secretary