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BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MINUTES
Wamego Public Schools
April 24, 2019, 6:00 p.m.

1. ROLL CALL (6:00 PM)
President Cory Meyer called the regular meeting of the USD 320 Board of Education to order at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 24, 2019 at the USD 320 Professional Learning Center. Members of the board present were Bruce Coleman, Ryan Hargitt, Michele Johnson, Cory Meyer, Rob Pettay, Sheryl Wohler, and Nicolette Zeigler.

Also in attendance were Superintendent Tim Winter, Clerk Kathryn Mayfield, Special Services Director Chris Cezar, Director of Curriculum Dr. Mary Kaye Siebert, Central Elementary Principal Teri Dow, West Principal Amy Flinn, Wamego Middle School Principal Travis Graber, Wamego Middle School Assistant Principal Brian McIntosh, Wamego High School Principal Dr. Chad Brecheisen, and Wamego High School Assistant Principal Dennis Charbonneau.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Brian McIntosh.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
Nicolette Zeigler made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Sheryl Wohler seconded. Motion carried 7-0.

4. WAIVE LENGTH OF MEETING
Bruce Coleman made a motion to waive the Board policy on the length of meeting for this BOE meeting for the purpose of board goal setting/planning. Sheryl Wohler seconded. Motion carried 7-0.

5. WORK SESSION/GOAL SETTING (6:05 pm)
Initially the board and administrative team shared views on positive things happening in our district.

The board and administrative team discussed the following topics:
   A. **Grading & Eligibility (6:48 pm)** – Discussion involved current and possible grading policy changes. Sheryl Wohler requested that each class has their syllabus available to students and parents at the beginning of the semester.

President Cory Meyer called for a break at 7:59 p.m. Meeting resumed at 8:09 p.m.

B. **Scheduling (8:09 pm)** – Discussion occurred on scheduling options for middle school and high school. Advantages and disadvantages of block or traditional 7 hour schedules. The desire to do what's best for all students was the center of this topic and the ability to have more class offerings, schedule consistency between MS & HS, etc. MS and HS administrative teams will work on this item and report back to the board. The open lunch policy at the high school will be a discussion item at a regular board meeting.

C. **District Vision (8:51 pm)** – The consensus on this topic was to set up a time in September to meet and develop the new Vision/Mission/Goals plan. Mr. Winter will obtain information on a facilitator for this process. This topic will be visited in July where the number of people to be involved will be decided (teacher from each building, community members from each district, SpEd rep, etc.)

D. **School Redesign (9:03 pm)** – This is currently in process in the district in all buildings in one form or another. Dr. Siebert stated that professional development was needed in this area.

E. **Curriculum/Math Scores (9:13 pm)** – Dr. Siebert reviewed different data, cohort comparisons, assessments, etc. on this topics. Discussion occurred regarding where improvement can be made in this area and how to target those areas.

F. Topics to be discussed at a later meeting include:

   1) Communications
   2) K-12 Drug & Alcohol Education
   3) Full-Time CTE Counselor
   4) Review Vision of Drug Policy
   5) Facility Needs Vision/Plan
   6) Grant/Funding Opportunities

6. ADJOURN MEETING (10:02 PM)

Bruce Coleman made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Sheryl Wohler seconded. Motion carried 7-0. Meeting was adjourned at 10:02 p.m.

/s/ Kathryn Mayfield   04/25/19

Clerk of the Board   Date