

**Rural Vista USD 481
Board of Education
Regular Board Meeting
February 11th, 2019
Hope, Kansas
7:00PM**

Board Members Present:

David Whitehair, Tracy Schmidt, Mike Jacobson, Chad Johnson, Jim Barten

Others Present:

Joann Kahnt (The Prairie Post), JR Sparke (The Herington Times), Chelsey Schmidt (Board Clerk), Ron Meitler (Superintendent), Joel Kahnt (White City Principal), Mike Teeter (Hope Principal), Chris Johnson, Pam Krause, Jacob Hurla (CB Solutions)

Call to Order:

President Tracy Schmidt called the USD 481 Board of Education Meeting to order at 7:00PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

Consent Agenda Approval

Chad Johnson moved to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Jim Barten seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Adoption of February Meeting Agenda:

David Whitehair moved to adopt the February meeting agenda as presented.

Mike Jacobson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Public Presentation:

Citizens Open Forum

None

Correspondence

None

Governmental Relations

Discussion was held.

Old Business:

Administrative Contracts

Jim Barten moved to approve the contract for Ron Meitler as presented.

Mike Jacobson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

2019-2020 School Calendar

Mike Jacobson moved to approve the 2019-2020 school calendar as presented.

Chad Johnson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

New Business:

Energy Audit

Jacob Hurla with CB solutions presented the board with information regarding an energy audit that he performed at Hope & White City Schools.

Discussion was held.

2019 School Board Elections

Discussion was held.

Gifts & Grants

Chad Johnson moved to approve the \$1,000.00 grant for the renewal of White City's Accelerated Reader Program from the Council Grove Area Foundation, and the \$1,000.00 grant for Flexible Seating for White City's Junior High from the Council Grove Area Foundation.

Mike Jacobson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Negotiations

Chad Johnson moved to appoint Tracy Schmidt and Mike Jacobson for the 2019-2020 negotiations team.

Jim Barten seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Resignation

Jim Barten moved to accept the resignation from Amanda Crabtree as the District Social Studies Teacher and the resignation from Brittany Fox as the White City ELA Teacher. Both resignations will be effective at the end of the 2018-2019 school year.

David Whitehair seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Administrative Updates:

Hope Principal

Updates from Mike Teeter.

White City Principal

Updates from Joel Kahnt.

Superintendent

Updates from Ron Meitler.

Adjournment:

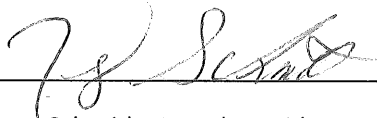
Chad Johnson moved for adjournment.

Mike Jacobson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 8:13PM.

Approved: 3/4/2019



Tracy Schmidt, Board President



Chelsey Schmidt, Board Clerk