

**School Board Working Meeting Minutes
Barnum Public Schools ISD 91
May 4, 2021**

The meeting was called to order at 6:31 p.m.

Members Present: L. Bonneville, P. Coughlin, B. Dinger, S. Ferrin, J. Fuglestad, B. Schatz, J. Unkelhaeuser and Superintendent M. McNulty

Members Absent: None

Approval of Agenda:

Motion by Coughlin, **seconded** by Bonneville, and **unanimously carried** to approve the agenda as written.

Reports and Discussion

- A. High School Principal was present and reported.
- B. Elementary Principal was present and reported.
- C. Community Education Director was present and reported.
- D. Athletic Director was not present, written report only.

Other Items for Discussion

- A. Discussed the financial, time and driver implications of reducing one bus route for next year.
- B. Reviewed the Barnum School District's chain of command for handling issues. The document titled "Communication Flow Chart" shows this chain and can be found on the school website at: isd91.org/district/communication-flow-chart/
- C. Discussed Policy 103 Complaints – Students, Employees, Parents, Other Persons. The Policy Committee will be reviewing and revising this policy over the summer.

Listening Session with ICS for Long-Term Strategic Planning

ICS led the Board and individual contract employees through a question and answer session designed to help generate a long-term plan for the District. Listening sessions will also be held with union staff, students and community members over the next month.

Future Meetings:

- A. NLSEC Board Meeting, Thursday, May 6, 2021, 9:00 a.m.
- B. Community Ed Advisory Council Board Meeting, Monday, May 17, 2021, 5:30 p.m.
- C. Finance Committee Meeting, Tuesday, May 18, 2021, 5:30 p.m., Board Room
- D. Regular Meeting of the School Board, Tuesday, May 18, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Board Room

Adjournment:

Motion by Fuglestad, **seconded** by Unkelhaeuser, and **unanimously carried** to approve adjournment of the meeting at 8:56 p.m.


Paul Coughlin, School Board Clerk