

**School Board Working Meeting Minutes
Barnum Public Schools ISD 91
January 13, 2025**

The meeting was called to order by Chair Unkelhaeuser at 5:00 p.m.

Members Present: B. Anderson, L. Bonneville, B. Dinger, D. Hultgren, M. Orn, P. Poirier, J. Unkelhaeuser and Superintendent Peel

Members Absent: None

Discussion Items

1. Shared Service Agreement – Clarification was given by Superintendent Peel as to why the Willow River School Board voted to end the shared service agreement between Willow River and Barnum related to the sharing of positions of Superintendent and Business Manager. The agreement was ended to remove any legal responsibility by Willow to supply a Superintendent or Business Manager to Barnum should the current employees resign their positions. Any future sharing will be done by separate part-time contracts with each district.
2. Strategic Planning – Discussion was held about how to move forward with strategic planning for the district. A committee will be formed and meetings will be scheduled at the reorganizational meeting to begin the process.

The meeting was adjourned by Chair Unkelhaeuser at 6:30 p.m.



School Board Clerk