

MINUTES

Boulder Elementary School District No. 7
Special Meeting

May 20, 2024
Boulder Elementary School

Board members present:

Matt Strozewski – Board Chair Andrea Dolezal – Vice-Chair Kyle Simons - Trustee
Lance Hoover – Trustee Ray Woods - Trustee

Administrators present:

Doug Richards, Superintendent
Britton Mann – District Clerk

Staff: Jessica Craft – Facebook Live Operator

Visitors: Matt Bowman, Kessie Strausser, Sarah Rieder, Cheryl Breker, Stacey Peterson


CALL ELEMENTARY BOARD TO ORDER The Elementary Board was called to order at 5:30 by Matt, who led the Pledge of Allegiance.

AGENDA REVIEW None

PUBLIC COMMENT Matt read the Public Comment Statement.

- NEW BUSINESS
1. **Swear in New Trustee** – Britton swore in the new trustee – Ray Woods. Ray took his seat on the board of trustees.
 2. **Approve Dave Selvig as Superintendent** – Andrea motioned to approve the hire of new Superintendent Dave Selvig. Kyle seconded, all present approved.
 3. **Work Session**
 - a. **Staffing 2024/2025 School Year** – Britton stated that she received a letter that pertains to this subject, however the letter was not on the agenda. From the audience, Kessie Strausser asked if it was her letter? Britton said yes it was. Matt looked at the letter and stated since there are names in the letter they would not read it out loud. Britton said she could email a copy to the board. The following certified positions need to be filled: full time counselor, Elementary Curriculum and part time YDI/part time PE. The union chose 3 members to be part of an interview/discussion for those interested parties. 3 current staff members applied for the for the Elementary Curriculum and YDI but different than currently written. No one applied for Counseling. The Board discussed the process of the interview. Doug asked the group of 3 chosen by the Union to rate each applicant. The group came up with 2 individuals. Mr. Richards said that he could recommend 2 of the positions right now. Lance asked what the issue was with not able to fill the counselor position. Mr. Richards stated the difficulty of replacing specialty positions like counselor and Special Education. Matt asked if the audience had any comments or questions. Kessie stated that she said what she had to say in her letter. Kessie also suggested an MOU between the board and Union if this matter will continue to take time.

ADJOURNMENT Matt motioned to adjourn at 6:10 pm.


Chair, Elementary Board


Clerk, Elementary Board