

GLENWOOD SCHOOL BOARD
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
August 18, 2020

	<p>Dave Wasgatt, Board Chairman Travis Miller Jake Eldred Mary Pierce Carla Dillenburg</p>	<p>Board Members Present</p>
	<p>Heather Gimlin, Superintendent Jaecee Hctor, Business Manager</p>	<p>Staff Present</p>
	<p>Justin McWethy Toni Troh Mike Carr Charlotte Webb Butch Hallenbeck Jay Anderson Aaron Oldenburg Bridget McLaughlin Paul Demchuk Lisa Parsons</p>	<p>Visitors</p>
	<p>Chairman David Wasgatt called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.</p>	
	<p>Mrs. Gimlin stated that the Klickitat County Health Department recommends not reopening until COVID cases are at moderate or low levels. The health department will multiply our county cases by 4.4 to make our levels comparable to 100,000 people in the county. Currently, our case count would be at 75 per 100,000 people in the last 14 days. Furthermore, E.S.D. #112 said to stick to the guidelines set by our county health department and they will be able to cover us for liability purposes. Mrs. Gimlin meets with the county health department and all the school superintendents in our county every Wednesday and discusses what the cases are at. We will have to be at or below the number of cases allowable for in-person learning as laid out in the State flowchart for 3 weeks in order to come back.</p> <p>Mr. Wasgatt would like for our school to do better for students' education than what we did in the spring. He suggested to implement a staggered approach to bringing back students to in person learning this fall. For instance, bringing back K-5th grades and then bring back the remaining grades later. He is concerned with the mental health of our students and would like to see them back to school as soon as possible.</p> <p>Mrs. Dillenburg is further reinforced that we shouldn't open back up to in person school with the jump in COVID cases.</p>	<p>School Reopening</p>

	<p>Mr. Miller and Mr. Eldred both agreed to wait to bring students back to in-person learning until the COVID case numbers go down. However, they want them to come back as soon as possible.</p> <p>Mrs. Gimlin plans on having the teachers at school on August 24th and 25th and then August 26th-28th would be for students to pick up their computers, books and supplies. Teachers will also be getting trained on Microsoft Teams on August 28th. Teachers will be teaching within their classrooms and should have no problem streaming live video to their students. Mrs. Gimlin also shared we will be providing special education services with E.S.D. #112.</p> <p>Mr. Miller questioned if there was any kind of reimbursement for parents having to pay more for internet during online education. Mrs. Gimlin answered that there is funding available for parents through O.S.P.I.</p> <p>Mrs. Gimlin reported that we have been given 3 choices for staff that we won't need during online learning. They are reduction in force, standby, or shared work. She will be deciding which will work for those employees and notifying them.</p> <p>Mr. Wasgatt would like a plan setup on how we will come back to school with a staggered approach to bringing students back. He would like a letter sent to the community as well.</p>													
	<p>A motion was made, seconded, and carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:41 PM.</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Chairman of the Board</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Secretary of the Board</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Board Member</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Board Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Board Member</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Board Member</td> </tr> </table>	_____	_____	Chairman of the Board	Secretary of the Board	_____	_____	Board Member	Board Member	_____	_____	Board Member	Board Member	
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