

Board of Education Special Meeting

Wednesday, June 17, 2026 6:00 PM

Board of Education Room , 650 N. Walnut, Shelby, NE 68662-0218

Kasey Hopwood: Present
Joe Noyd: Present
Geoffrey Ruth: Present
Denise Thelen: Absent
Chris Whitmore: Present
Crystal Zimmerman: Present
Denise Thelen: Present

1. Call meeting to order

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Open Meetings Act Posting

4. Public Comment

Action(s):

Motion excuse Denise Thelen Passed with a motion by Geoffrey Ruth and a second by Chris Whitmore.

Voting Detail:

Kasey Hopwood: Yea
Joe Noyd: Yea
Geoffrey Ruth: Yea
Denise Thelen: Absent
Chris Whitmore: Yea
Crystal Zimmerman: Yea

Voting Summary: Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

5. Discuss, consider, take action on the interim superintendent interview process/details

6. Discuss and consider applicants for the interim superintendent position

7. Discuss, consider, and select interim superintendent candidates for interviews

8. Discuss, consider, and take action on any final details of the interim superintendent interview process

Action(s):

Motion to interview Dr. Dana Wiseman and Mr. Ernie Valentine Monday June 22nd beginning at 5:00pm. Passed with a motion by Geoffrey Ruth and a second by Chris Whitmore.

Voting Detail:

Kasey Hopwood: Yea
Joe Noyd: Yea
Geoffrey Ruth: Yea
Denise Thelen: Yea
Chris Whitmore: Yea

Crystal Zimmerman: Yea

Voting Summary: Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Discussion: Interview Timeline: Candidate #1
Facilities Tour beginning at 3:30pm Staff
Interview at 4:00pm and Board of Education
Interview at 5:00pm. Candidate #2 Facilities
Tour beginning at 4:30pm Staff Interview at
5:00pm and Board of Education Interview at
6:00pm.

9. **Executive Session (The board reserves the right, if necessary, to go into closed session on any agenda items)**

10. **Meeting Adjournment**

Action(s):

Motion to adjourn at 6:54pm Passed with a motion
by Geoffrey Ruth and a second by Denise Thelen.

Voting Detail:

Kasey Hopwood: Yea

Joe Noyd: Yea

Geoffrey Ruth: Yea

Denise Thelen: Yea

Chris Whitmore: Yea

Crystal Zimmerman: Yea

Voting Summary: Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Board Secretary