BIG SPRING SCHOOL DISTRICT

Newville, Pennsylvania

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE OF THE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

DECEMBER 16, 2024

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1. Call to Order - President John Wardle

The Committee of the Whole Board of School Directors for the Big Spring School District met in the Big Spring Middle School Auditorium at 7:01 pm with eight (8) Board of School Directors present: John Wardle, President; Michael Hippensteel, Vice-President; Lisa Shade, Treasurer; Julie Boothe, Secretary; Seth Cornman, David Fisher, Frank Myers, and Robert Over.

Absent: Ken Fisher

Others in attendance: Nicholas Guarente, Superintendent; Nadine Sanders, Assistant Superintendent; Cristy Lentz, Business Manager; Nicole Donato, Director of Curriculum & Instruction; Thomas King, Solicitor; Rob Krepps, Director of Technology; Darin Baughman, Technology, and Donna Minnich, Board Minutes

2. Public Comment - Nothing Offered

3. Presentation:

3.a. Middle School FFA - Middle School FFA Advisors Judd Clelan, Brynlea Gamble, Blake Hamman, Madison Jones, Tanner Smith, and Wade Zimmerman introduced themselves and described the middle school program and FFA activities.

4. Other Items – Nothing Offered

5. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Mr. Myers was seconded by Mrs. Shade Voting Yes: Boothe, Cornman, D. Fisher, Hippensteel, Myers, Over, Shade, and Wardle Motion Carried unanimously. 8-0

Meeting adjourned at 7:09 pm

President Wardle announced the Board will be meeting in Executive Session for the purpose of discussing a personnel matter prior to the start of the regular Board meeting this evening.

Julie & Boothe