

## **GRANGER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 204**

### **Meeting Agenda**

### **Board Study Session**

**August 21, 2019**

#### **PRESENT:**

Paul Golob

Dalia Chavez-Isiordia

Ron L. Fleming

Kyle Shinn

Brian Hart

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The Board Study Session was called to order at 6:00 PM by Paul Golob, in the Granger High School Multi-Purpose Room, followed by the flag salute.

#### **PUBLIC FORUM:**

No public forum.

#### **COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD:**

##### **A. Updates from building principals**

GHS's principal Mike Carlson shared updates on the upcoming school year. He thanked the board for their dedication to the district and their help in serving the staff during the Welcome Back All-Staff meeting. Mike let the board know that the senior class has grown in numbers. Also, current open positions were shared with the board. Mike gave information on GHS's upcoming events.

GMS principal Stephanie Funk shared beginning of school events that have taken place including the open house on August 19<sup>th</sup> that was well attended. Stephanie also thanked the board for their dedication to the staff at GSD. She let the board know that she would begin sending out the Friday Focus emails which includes all upcoming events.

RES principal Ann Bohrsen shared her building's staffing updates. She let the board know that the PBIS/PLC training went well and work has begun for the 2019-2020 school year. Ann invited the board to the Roosevelt Rocks family night on Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>.

##### **B. Two-way Bilingual Conference**

RES principal Ann and staff shared information on the upcoming proposed bilingual conference, and how it would benefit the district. She and her team shared how RES has worked to begin the process of learning about the program. The team has visited other districts who are currently using the dual language system, and are hopeful that our district would do something similar. Ann answered questions from the board about an implementation plan as well as ways to get teacher buy in and input.

##### **C. Study Session Proposed Topics for 2019-2020**

Superintendent Brian distributed and shared the Board Study Session Topics handout. He discussed the dates associated with each topic and how they align with the district's priorities. The study

session topics are planned out through the January board study session. His hope is to connect in February during a board advance to plan the topics for the remainder of the year.

**D. District Priorities**

Superintendent Brian shared the District priorities slideshow. This information was presented earlier today during the all-staff welcome back event. The priorities align with the district's monthly board study session focus areas. The board appreciated the information.

**E. School board committee dates**

Superintendent discussed and reviewed the committee groups and schedule for the year. Dates have been scheduled and planned for the upcoming year.

**F. 2019-2020 School Calendar**

Superintendent Brian shared the 2019-2020 school calendar. The calendar was mailed out to families earlier this month, and can be found online. Each board member received a calendar, and extras were distributed to buildings.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Stephanie King (photo & information)**

Stephanie King was honored earlier today by ESD 105 Superintendent Kevin Chase, as the ESD 105 Regional Teacher of the year 2019-2020. The event took place during the all-staff welcome back event earlier today. Stephanie now moves on to compete for the Washington State Teacher of the Year. Brian will ask Stephanie to join us for the September board study session.

**SCHOOL BOARD MEETING AGENDA: August 26, 2019**

Superintendent Brian went over the upcoming board meeting agenda scheduled for August 26, 2019

**ADJOURNMENT:** Meeting adjourned at 7:10pm

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Dr. Brian Hart, Superintendent