

**Sublette USD #374
Official Minutes**

The Sublette Unified School District No. 374 Board of Education met in special session on Tuesday, January 18, 2022 at 1:00pm. At the Boardroom in the Administrative Office.

Members Present:

Grant Webber

Members Present via Zoom

Cornelius Froese Cody Forester

Lee Mason Cesar Pena Pete Dyck

Members Absent – None

Others Present: Mr. Rex Bruce, Superintendent; Mrs. Charity Ochs-Lathen, Clerk, Mr. Bobby Murphy, MS/HS Principal; Mrs. Tina Guenther, District Nurse; Mrs. Paula Leverett, District Secretary.

Present via Zoom: Mrs. Rachel Lee, Elementary School Principal

Item #1 Call Meeting to Order /Approve Agenda

The President called the meeting to order at 1:00pm

Mr. Webber moved, seconded by Mr. Dyck to approve the agenda. The motion carried 6-0

Item #2 Cancel School due to COVID

Mr. Bruce informed the Board that testing was taking it's toll on the staff and that we were running low on the number of test kits we had available. He felt that we could take the remainder of this week to get this round of kids out of testing protocol and hopefully have a lighter load when school is back in session on Monday. As long as the teams continue to test negative they will play this week. Mr. Bruce gave an overview from KSDE on their suggestion of suspending testing and quarantine and leave more discretion to the parents on whether or not their kids went to school. Administration felt we were not ready to go that route. Mr. Webber made the motion to cancel classes for the next three days and resume on Monday, adding that if administration believed we needed to cancel for this reason in the future, and it was for two days or less, there would not be the need for a formal meeting. Mr. Mason seconded. The motion carried 6-0

Adjournment

With no other business to come before the Board, Mr. Mason moved, seconded by Mr. Froese to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried 6-0.

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President

Clerk

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