

# MINUTES

## MORGAN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD WORK MEETING

**Tuesday, November 9, 2021, at District Office at 4:00 p.m.**

**Present: Board Members:** President Ron Blunck, Vice President Gaylene Adams, Kelly Preece, Adam Toone, Lars Birkeland

**District Staff:** Superintendent Doug Jacobs, Business Administrator Scott McMillan, Secretary Jana Brown.

**Welcome:** President Ron Blunck opened the work meeting.

### **Board Goals:**

Gaylene Adams recommended that the goals be revised to include strengthening 6<sup>th</sup> grade math scores. Lars inquired about goal #4 and how many students are enrolled in the Morgan Online. Superintendent Jacobs reported that there are approximately 26 students currently enrolled. He noted that he expects that number to grow from year to year.

### **Committee Protocols:**

Gaylene Adams reported that she feels the Board members should take a more active role in the district committees by assuring that the following are addressed at the first of each school year:

- Purpose of committee
- Expectations of committee members

President Blunck agreed that Robert's Rules of Order should be followed in these meetings.

### **Policy ECH Human Sexuality:**

Gaylene Adams asked that refusal skills be added to the policy. She noted that she likes that the harmful effects of pornography is included but she feels that we do not need include gender identification because there will be more direction coming from the state on this topic. Lars Birkeland inquired about whether topics not required by the state are being taught in the district. President Blunck indicated that he feels the Morgan School District is only teaching what is required by state code. He reminded the Board members that this curriculum is opt-in for parents. This will be placed on next month's agenda again as a discussion item.

### **Recreation Board:**

Kelly Preece reported that the county has dissolved the Recreation Board. He noted that the district attorney is conversing with the county attorney to work out the details of this matter. He stated that basketball season is upon us; therefore, the Board needs to decide how much the

county will be charged to use of the district facilities. Superintendent Jacobs reported that this is a very complicated situation; therefore, he will ask the district attorney to come to the next meeting to discuss the situation with the Board. In the meantime, Kelly suggested letting the county use the facilities just like in the past for basketball season.

The meeting adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

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Business Administrator, Scott McMillan