

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Board Special Meeting Minutes

October 18, 2021

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A - Doug Levinson B - C - Trish Mahre D - Tom Parrish E - Amy Davis						Board of Education Mesa County Valley School District 51 Board Special Meeting: October 18, 2021 Adopted: November 9, 2021	
	A	B	C	D	E		
						AGENDA ITEMS	ACTION
Present Absent	x		x	x	x	<u>BOARD WORK SESSION</u> 1. Director District B Applicant Final Interviews <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Parrish noted this meeting was a continuation of the meeting held on October 12, 2021. During that meeting, Board members interviewed four finalist to fill the vacancy in Director District B. Board members requested time following the October 12 meeting to review application materials, process applicants interview answers and for some speak with community and other Board members prior to making a final selection. ➤ Each Board member spoke individually on which applicant they selected as a finalist and their reasons for their selection. Members unanimously selected Mrs. Kari Sholtes to fill the vacancy. Some comments Board members shared during their explanation as to why they selected Mrs. Sholtes were her: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thoughtful answers during the interview • Submission of unsolicited follow up answers • Research prior to the interview to learn about the bylaws and other aspects of the District • Problem solving experience as an engineer • Experience in working with community groups in difficult situations • Understanding of teachers' needs with her teaching background • Different skill sets, which will help diversify the Board • Experience working with a budget • Being a primary stake holder by having children in the District. ➤ Board members thanked all ten applicants who applied to fill the vacancy in Director District B. Members expressed their appreciation for having so many qualified people interested in volunteering on behalf of the students and staff in District 51. 	10:02 a.m.
						2. Adjourn	10:19 a.m.
						_____ Bridget Story, Secretary Board of Education	