

**BARBER COUNTY NORTH  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #254  
MEDICINE LODGE, KS 67104  
Special Meeting  
August 7, 2018**

**I. Call to Order/Roll Call**

The special meeting of the Board of Education of Barber County North Unified School District #254 was called to order at the Medicine Lodge Jr/Sr High School at 9:15 a.m. Board members present were Mike Rogers, Bud Moore, Shannon Thomas, Micha Werner, Allan Dick arrived at 9:35 a.m., Brian Withrow arrived at 9:37 a.m., and Mike Sill arrived at 9:41 a.m.

Others present at the meeting were Mark Buck, Ryan Cunningham, Lori Bailey, and Joe Dessenberger arrived at 9:37 a.m.

**II. Approval of Agenda**

Shannon Thomas moved and Bud Moore seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried 4 yes.

**III. Comments from Patrons**

There were no comments from patrons.

**IV. Resignations & Hires.** Bud Moore moved and Shannon Thomas seconded to accept the resignation from GS Para Rylee Miltner. Motion carried 4 yes. Shannon Thomas moved and Bud Moore seconded to accept the resignation from GS Teacher, Anne Graham. Motion carried 4 yes. Micha Werner moved and Shannon Thomas seconded to approve the resignation from Erin Wells, GS Part time Custodian. Motion carried 4 yes.

Bud Moore moved and Micha Werner seconded to approve the transfer for Danielle Rickard from GS Para to Title I Teacher. Motion carried 4 yes. Shannon Thomas moved and Bud Moore seconded to approve the transfer from Debra Larkin from Title I Teacher to 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Teacher. Motion carried 4 yes.

**V. Safe and Secure Schools. Joe Dessenberger.** Joe discussed with the board district school safety and after much discussion Bud Moore moved and Brian Withrow seconded to install monitors in both offices at the schools and the superintendent office to be able to view building cameras at all times. The installation of a 6 ft chain link fence that will completely enclose the GS playground. Motion carried 7 yes. The district will be looking into adding an entry point at the JH/HS location that will go to straight to the office and will be researching on a possible police/school resource officer.

**VI. Mission Statement.** The board updated the district mission statement to: Expect Excellence (E<sup>2</sup>) with every student, every day, preparing for the future.

**VII. General Discussion:**

- **Academic Growth and development**
- **Career Planning and Assistance**
- **Positive Student Behavior**
- **Staff Development and Expectations**
- **Facility and Plant**

During these discussions the board discussed the possibility of adding Home Economics back into the curriculum at the JH/HS and the need to purchase a new activity bus. Also, with some upcoming district improvements needed the board will start looking into a possible bond issue. Mr. Buck will contract Schafer, Johnson, Cox, and Frey and will have them come to the next board meeting, if possible.

Brian Withrow left the meeting at 4:15 p.m.

**IV. Adjourn**

Bud Moore moved and Shannon Thomas seconded to adjourn the meeting at 4:24 pm. Motion carried 6 yes.

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Clerk

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President