

**THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE DISTRICT FREMONT RE-1 BOARD OF
EDUCATION HELD IN THE MAKER SPACE, LOCATED IN CANON CITY HIGH
SCHOOL, 1313 COLLEGE AVENUE, CAÑON CITY, COLORADO
5:30 p.m., JANUARY 24, 2022**

I. Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call

Kristyn Econome introduced her Teacher Cadet Cohort at CCHS. Teacher cadet is students learning how to be teachers and what it takes. These students are starting observations of the many roles in the district, including district leadership. Mrs. Econome introduced the following students at the board meeting; Alli Tedesko, Annabelle Reed, and Macy Bursha.

President, **Robin Reeser**, called the regular meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

A. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

B. Roll Call:

Secretary, **Beth Gaffney**, called roll.

Present: **Robin Reeser**, President; **Mike Near**, Vice-President, **Beth Gaffney**, Secretary; and **Molly Merry**, Assistant Secretary/Treasurer. **Todd Albrecht**, Treasurer joined by phone

Also present: Superintendent, **Adam Hartman**.

Director of Human Resources, **Jamie Davis**; Director of Support Services, **Paula Buser**; Director of Special Services, **Tim Renn**; Interim Director of Business Services, **Keri Peterson**; Director of Technology, **Shaun Kohl**; Director of Curriculum and Assessment, **Brian Zamarripa**; Director of Operations, **Jeff Peterson**.

II. General Business

A. Approval of the Agenda

Mr. Hartman announced that there were no changes to the agenda.

Mike Near made a motion to accept the agenda as written. Beth Gaffney seconded the motion. On a 5-0 vote, the Board approved the motion.

B. Awards and Kudos

C. Consent Agenda:

Items listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine and approval is with one motion. If a Board member or a citizen requests separate discussion of an item, the item may be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.

1. Approval of the Minutes of January 10, 2022

2. Approval of the Following Financial Reports:

a. Disbursement Report for the Period Ending January 19, 2022

3. Approval of the Following Personnel Reports:

a. Appointments

- b. Terminations and Leaves
- c. Supplemental Contracts
- d. Substitute Lists for Licensed and Classified Positions

Molly Merry moved and Mike Near seconded the motion to approve the Consent Agenda. On a 5-0 vote, the Board approved the motion.

D. Staff Report

1. INFORMATION ITEMS:

The following items are presented for information only unless otherwise noted or if a Board member has a question.

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2. PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS:

a. Capstone Scholarship Presentation:

Theodore Pugin presented his Capstone Presentation on World Building. World Building is the process of developing a fictional setting. His capstone goal was to write a novel based on ideas of stories and characters he has had for a long time and make into a product. He also wanted to work on developing his writing skills and become an author.

b. YouthTruth:

Brian Vanlwarden and Jamie Murray presented "Why We Survey Our Students." The importance of providing an opportunity for students to share their experiences and perceptions. Also, how they use that information to fuel some of the work they are doing in the district in terms of social-emotional learning, behavioral health, and overall wellness.

c. Student Presentation:

The following students shared a presentation on School-Based Social/ Emotional Programs;

Students, Makayla Marietta & Kylie Ham presented, "School Wide Dialectical Thinking Lessons"

Students, Alyssa Wright and Karrina Blatnick presented, "Community Partnerships"

Students, Emma Crippen-Menefee and Scott Zweig presented, "Choices – Mindful, purposeful, thought-out decisions"

Students, Rosa Richards, Rosa Chaves, and Travis Thompson presented, "Student Advisory Council – NPFH"

Student, Rebecca Carver presented, "Trans Liberation in Cañon City"

Student, Ashton Beicker presented, "Signs of Suicide"

Students, Hope Kolman and Nathania Smith presented, "Link Crew – Safety, Information and Connection"

E. BOARD MEMBERS' REPORTS:

Molly Merry had met with several Cañon City High School students during the Board Work Session and said she was really impressed by how they seek challenges and set high expectations for themselves, and that is so refreshing to hear. They want the hard work. It was great.

Robin Reeser has been reading a lot of legislative bills.

Beth Gaffney said, "In light of all of the information, I think we all have known someone, perhaps someone in our lives that has not had the benefit of this." She said, "It touches her heart if it saves one life."

Mike Near spoke about making a difference as a school district. Mike was moved by the students who presented to tonight's board meeting and the information presented with their thoughts, wishes, and desires.

- F. Any person who has submitted a written request prior to the meeting may express views concerning school district programs and policies as concern them, but are encouraged to exercise their speech rights responsibly. The Board encourages the discussion of all personnel matters to be conducted in executive session.

Cindy Nordell spoke to the board regarding parental update.

III. **Review of Board Policies**

A. POLICIES:

1. File BBBA – Board Member Qualifications – Presented for 2nd Reading and Final Vote

Beth Gaffney made a motion to approve File BBBA – Board Member Qualifications – Presented for 1st Reading and 1st Vote. Mike Near seconded the motion. The vote was 5-0, and the motion was passed.

2. File BEDH – Public Participation at School Board Meetings – Presented for Information
3. File BEDH-E – Request to Address the Board of Education – Presented for Information

IV. **Old Business**

A. ACTION ITEMS:

- 1.

V. **New Business**

A. ACTION ITEMS:

- 1.

VI. Miscellaneous Business

VII. Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board, Mrs. Reeser called for a motion to adjourn.

Molly Merry moved to adjourn the meeting. Mike Near seconded the motion. The vote was 5-0, and the meeting adjourned at 6:35 p.m.



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