

**WESTERN SPRINGS PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 101**

**JULY 19, 2022  
CLOSED SESSION MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mrs. Sendaydiego, President of the Board of Education, called the Closed Session of the Board of Education to order at 7:22 pm pursuant to the Open Meetings Act.

**ATTENDANCE**

The following were present: Meredith Adler, Meghan Cahill, Catherine Dudley, Kate Heit, Dan Pansing, and Caitlin Sendaydiego. Brett Lettiere was absent as he is out of state. Drs. Brian Barnhart and Sarah Coffey were also present.

**Personnel**

Dr. Barnhart updated the Board on a number of follow-up issues pertaining to personnel.

**Laidlaw Principal Search**

Drs. Barnhart and Coffey updated the Board on process, applicants, and interview logistics moving forward to replace Ms. Casey as the Laidlaw Interim Principal. An interactive discussion ensued.

**Referendum**

The Board held a discussion on legal logistics associated with a possible referendum run in April 2023. All were asked to consider open questions on the topic for future discussions, but it was agreed that public discussion on this in conjunction with our September Budget Hearing made good sense from a timing perspective.

**ADJOURNMENT OF CLOSED SESSION**

At 7:46 pm, Mr. Pansing moved to adjourn the Closed Session. Mrs. Adler seconded the motion, and all voted yes.



Brian T. Barnhart, Ph.D.  
Board of Education Secretary



Caitlin Sendaydiego  
Board of Education President