

Call to Order

The Board of School Trustees of the Southwest School Corporation met in Regular Session on Monday, August 30, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. for an Emergency Board Meeting in the Sullivan Middle School Multi-Purpose Room, 1502 N. Section St., Sullivan, Indiana. Board Members present were Kevin Arnett, Mitzi Badger, Mike Eslinger, Barbara Rotramel and Jerry Wilson. Others present included Superintendent Chris Stitzle, Assistant Superintendent Jon Stuckey and Attorney, Katie Springer. Also attending were patrons per attached attendance sign in sheets.

Consideration/Approval to Revise 2021-22 SWSC Back to School Plan

Superintendent Stitzle presented an update to the 2021-22 SWSC Back to School Plan for Consideration of Masking - In an effort to slow the spread of COVID-19 with a focus on keeping children in school. Southwest School Corporation will begin a mask mandate for all students and staff beginning Tuesday, August 31, 2021. All students, staff and visitors will be required to wear masks inside school buildings except for eating, drinking, and during strenuous activity. Masking is already required on school buses per a federal mandate. This mandate will be reevaluated every two week. Susan Tincher and Amanda Wheeler, School Nurses, made comments. Glenda Jones, Samantha Phegley, Dustin Hitt and Dr. Tara Jenkins, Building Principals, took questions and comments and audience participation was made. This was approved upon a motion by Barbara Rotramel, second by Kevin Arnett, and a 5-0 vote of the Board.

Consideration/Adoption of Resolution – Delegation of Authority to Superintendent or Administration

Superintendent Stitzle asked the Board for approval of Delegation of Authority to Superintendent or Administration regarding the Southwest School Corporation 21-22 Back to School Plan. This was tabled for another meeting by a 3-2 vote of the Board.

Adjournment

Upon call for further business and there being none, the meeting was adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

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Jerry Wilson, Secretary

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Mitzie Badger, President