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DISTRICT 3 BRETT JONES  
DISTRICT 4 BECKY GREENWALD  
DISTRICT 5 SCOTT GULLICKSON

## MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### CALL TO ORDER

The special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Ridgefield School District was called to order by Director Scott Gullickson at 5:00 p.m. on **Monday, January 6, 2020** in the Columbia Assembly Room, 510 Pioneer Street, Ridgefield, Washington. The purpose of the special meeting was to discuss the safety and security of our schools and how Ridgefield's enrollment growth impacts this area of concern. No action was taken.

Voting Members Present: Scott Gullickson, Becky Greenwald, Emily Enquist, Joseph Vance, and Brett Jones.  
Voting Members Absent: None  
Others Present: Dr. Nathan McCann, Danielle Taylor, Chris Griffith, Michael Baskette, Mike Kenning, Teresa Vance, Alissa Parker, Jodi Fontyn, Erika Muir, Kalin Heath, Scott Rose, Chief John Brooks, Chief John Nohr, Brian Heim, Chris Poppert and 23 community members.

Director Scott Gullickson opened the meeting.

Superintendent Dr. McCann introduced the three special guest presenters and gave a brief outline of the meeting agenda. No action was taken.

- Alissa Parker, Co-Founder Safe and Sound Schools
- Chief John Nohr, Clark County Fire and Rescue
- Chief John Brooks, Ridgefield Police Department

Keynote Presentation by Mrs. Alissa Parker – Mrs. Parker delivered a keynote address regarding her experiences as a parent of one of the victims of the Sandy Hook school shooting and her subsequent co-founding of the group Safe and Sound Schools.

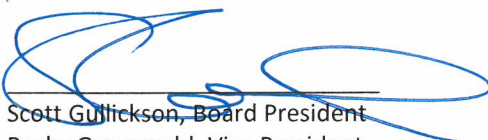
Clark County Fire and Rescue Chief John Nohr shared his comments regarding school safety and security from the perspective of fire, life and safety.

Ridgefield Police Department Chief John Brooks shared comments regarding the preparation of the Ridgefield Police Department and how they continue to work to improve readiness.

Ridgefield School Board members shared comments regarding safety and security in schools. Assistant Superintendent Chris Griffith was able to speak directly to what Ridgefield School District has done to improve its readiness for emergency situations. A question and answer period between the Board, audience and panel followed.

### ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, President Gullickson adjourned the special meeting at 6:37 p.m.

  
Scott Gullickson, Board President  
Becky Greenwald, Vice President

  
Danielle Taylor/Recording Secretary

Approved by Board of Directors: January 14, 2020