

UNOFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION
GROTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 06-6

SPECIAL MEETING

April 2, 2020

President Smith called the meeting to order at 5:10 pm. The meeting was held on-line via Zoom. Roll call attendance of members present included: Fliehs, Harder, Pharis, Rix, Smith and Weismantel. Absent Gengerke: Others present were Superintendent J. Schwan, Principals B. Schwan, Business Manager Weber election candidate Jason Bickel and official newspaper editor Paul Kosel.

Moved by Weismantel, second Rix to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote with members Fliehs, Harder, Pharis, Rix, Smith and Weismantel voting aye.

Pursuant to SDCL 23-3, there was no potential conflict disclosure reported.

Members of the public were allowed five minutes to address the board on any topic of their choice. With no public members requesting to speak, the board proceeded with their agenda items.

Weber explained that state legislature has postponed all elections in South Dakota from April 14, 2020, through May 26, 2020. This action effected the Groton Area School Board Election scheduled for April 14, 2020. As a result, local school boards must now select a rescheduled date for their elections in the month of June. Weber recommended June 2, 2020, as the rescheduled school board election which would coincide with the date for the State Primary Election. Moved by Weismantel, second Harder to reschedule the Groton Area School Board Election to June 2, 2020. Weber will advertise the date change in the Groton Independent, Groton Dakota Press, Webster Farmer and Reporter and the Groton Area School website. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote with members Fliehs, Harder, Pharis, Rix, Smith and Weismantel voting aye.

Moved by Harder, second Fliehs to adjourn at 5:35 pm. Motion carried 6-0 on a roll call vote with members Fliehs, Harder, Pharis, Rix, Smith and Weismantel voting aye.

M. J. Weber, Business Manager

Steven R. Smith, President

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