

**Meeting of the Gentry Board of Education  
District #19  
Minutes of the Board of Education**

<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Date</b>
No. 23	Special	Central	5:30 pm	April 23, 2024

**Present:**

David Williamson - President  
Jim Barnes -Vice President  
Melissa Holland - Secretary  
Gary Dunlap- Member  
Stacy Nations - Member  
Chad Amos -Member  
Becky Burkhalter - Member

**Absent:**

**1. Call to order**

David Williamson called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm with seven (7) members present. The following community members were present: Lance Nations, Mike Fox and Kyle Jordan.

**2.Moment of Silence**

Observed

**3. Personnel**

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David Williamson made a motion to go into executive session at 5:30 pm with Ms. DePaola and Becky Burkhalter seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0  
Ms. DePaola exited executive session at 6:00 pm  
David Williams called the meeting to order (regular session) at 6:38 pm

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Classified Retirement personnel items as presented and Stacy Nations seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Classified Resignation personnel items as presented and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0.

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Classified Hiring personnel items as presented and Chad Amos seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Classified In District transfer Personnel items as presented and Becky Burkhalter seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Certified Retirement personnel items as presented and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Certified Resignation personnel items as presented and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to table the Certified Hiring personnel items and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Certified In-District Transfer personnel items as presented and Stacy Nations seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Stipend and Days Resignation or Retirement, Stipend personnel items as presented and Chad Amos seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Remove Stipends personnel items as presented and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

Melissa Holland made a motion to approve the Renewal list personnel items as presented and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0  
Ms. DePaola mentioned that this person was inadvertently left off the list from March.

Stacy Nations made a motion to bring back the top two candidates for the Sr Girls Basketball coach position to be interviewed by the Board and Gary Dunlap seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

David Williamson made a motion to move HR (Human Resources) back to Ms. DePaola effective immediately and Jim Barnes seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0

#### **4. Adjourn**

Melissa Holland made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:41 pm and Stacy Nations seconded the motion. The vote carried 7-0