


**Minutes of the Special Joint School Board Meeting  
Griswold Community School District Board of Education  
Wednesday, January 6, 2021**

The Board of Education held a special meeting January 6, 2021 in the Griswold Elementary Library. The purpose of the meeting was to hold a joint meeting between the Griswold Board of Education and Lenox Board of Education to complete the shared superintendent's evaluation, consider extending the sharing agreement for the position of superintendent, and consider extending the superintendent's individual contract. Board President Rob Peterson called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m. Roll call of members present: Askeland, Hansen, Kirchhoff, S. Peterson, Smith, and R. Peterson joined via google meet. Absent: Houser. Also present: Superintendent David Henrichs, Board Secretary Hannah Bierbaum, Student Council Representative Makenna Askeland, Lenox Board members Kurtis Christensen (P), Seth Evans, Nicole Hogan, Jamie Horton, Jake Tripp, and Melissa Douglas (Board Secretary).

- **Reading of Mission Statement** Vice President Smith read the school mission statement "*The mission of the Griswold Community School District, in partnership with our families and communities, is to provide leadership for positive change to ensure the best learning opportunities for everyone in a safe and caring environment.*"
- **Approval of Agenda:** Motion by Askeland to approve the agenda as posted. Seconded by Kirchhoff. Motion carried, all ayes.
- **Public Comments:** none.
- **Discussion On Superintendent Sharing Agreement And Individual Contract:** Current sharing agreement and individual contract was discussed with both boards. Both boards were agreeable to extend the superintendent's sharing agreement for another year. Salary and benefit package will be determined at a later date since supplemental aide and health insurance rates have not been determined at this time. The sharing agreement and contract will be mutually agreed upon by both board presidents and will be individually acted on by both boards.
- **Superintendent Evaluation:** Both boards evaluated Superintendent Henrichs based on the Iowa Standards for School Leaders criteria.
- **Consider Approval Of Sharing Agreement** No formal action taken.
- **Consider Approval Of Superintendent Contract** No formal action taken.
- **Adjourn:** Motion to adjourn by S. Peterson at 7:49 p.m. Seconded by Kirchhoff, motion carried all ayes.

  
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Hannah Bierbaum, Board Secretary

  
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Rob Peterson, President

(Next regular meeting January 18, 2021)