

**SEK INTERLOCAL#637  
BOARD MINUTES  
JANUARY 8, 2025**

**Present**

#246 Gary Lofts	#247 Ron Yancey	#249 Jenna Stout
#250 Joe Kennedy	#404 Keeley Adams	#493 Tony Shearburn
#505 Josh Baker	#508 Linda Crotts	

**Absent**

#235 Brian Stewart	#248 Peggy Marshall	#499 Jaime Boyes
#504 Cindy Sanders	#506 Kevin Cole	

**WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS,  
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE  
COMMENTS**

Appreciation was expressed to the Interlocal Board members for their service to students and staff of the thirteen districts of the SEK Interlocal#637.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Upon a motion by Tony Shearburn and seconded by Josh Baker, the board voted to approve the Consent Agenda as presented or amended. All aye.

**APPROVAL OF ROUTINE ORGANIZATION ITEMS**

Upon a motion by Keeley Adams and seconded by Linda Crotts, the board voted to reaffirm the routine organization items including meeting date/time, and re-affirmation of board leadership (currently in July).

**PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATIONS**

Upon a motion by Josh Baker, and seconded by Gary Lofts, the board voted to approve the current personnel recommendations as listed in Recommended Personnel Actions and any addendums. All aye.

## **REPORTS**

- A. Financial Report (Communication)
- B. Board Self-Evaluation (Communication)
- C. Interlocal Updates (Communication)
- D. District Reporting Updates (Communication)
- E. December Policy Updates from KASB (second read-Approval)

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

### **Personnel**

Upon a motion by Gary Lofts and seconded by Keeley Adams, the board voted to go into executive session to discuss employment, resignations and transfers pursuant to non-elected personnel exception under KOMA, and the open meeting will resume in the boardroom at 7:10PM. All aye.

## **ACTION ITEMS**

### **December 2024 Policy Updates**

Upon a motion by Joe Kennedy, and seconded by Josh Baker, the board voted to approve the December 2024 Policy Updates as presented. All aye..

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon a motion by Linda Crotts and seconded by Tony Shearburn, the board voted to adjourn the January 8, 2025 board meeting. All aye.

Respectfully Submitted

Kathy Davidson  
Board Clerk

1/12/25

## Consideration of Personnel Recommendations

Employee

Location/Supervisor

### Classified New Hires

Melinda Heflin

Effective: 12/18/24

USD #493 RISE Center

Jocelyn Bolte

Rescinded Resignation

Aubri Duft

Jordyn Newcomb

Effective: 12/18/24

USD #250 The Center

Rescinded Resignation

Dustin Westbay

Effective: 1/3/25

USD #246 Northeast Elem

Replaces: Stephanie Cochran

Salli Chowning

### Transfers

Makenzie Snodgrass

Effective: 1/6/25

USD #250 Westside Elem

Transfer from #249 Therrien/Burke to

Christa Scritchfield

### Resignations

Avinee Jones

Effective: 12/16/24

USD #250 The Center

Jocelyn Bolte

Effective: 12/16/24

Jessica Greene

Chaley Dennis

Effective: 12/16/24

USD #250 The Center

Rebecca Ballou

Effective: 12/19/24

Dustin Westbay

Elanor Hendrickson

Effective: 12/20/24

USD #250 George Nettels Elem

Lori Seiwert

USD #235 West Bourbon Elem

Lori Ferguson

Amber Kloster

### Professional Resignations

Gary Davis

Effective: 5/21/25

USD #505 Chetopa

SPED Teacher

### Retirements

Lisa Strickland

Effective: 9/1/25

USD #506 Bartlett GS

SPED Teacher