

Almira School District
Almira, WA
Minutes
Emergency Board Meeting
October 13, 2021

Open Meeting The Board of Directors of Almira School District met at the Almira Community Center on Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. for an emergency board meeting following the tragic fire that destroyed the Almira Elementary and Middle School Buildings.

Present Superintendent Dan Read, P-8 Principal Kelsey Hoppe, School Board Chair Jesse Brunner, School Board Members Cam Carstenson, Lyndsey Mitchell, and Ryan Peha. Also in attendance were ESD 101 Superintendent, Mike Dunn, Assistant Superintendent Cassidy Probert, Sean Matthewson & Denny Pinar and representatives from Clear Risk Solutions – Dave Kosa, Steve Whetsone, and Joel Booth.

New Business The school board declared an emergency declaration and provided authority to Superintendent Dan Read for emergency spending and ability to accept donations without board approval.

Discussion followed on reopening plans, which included remote instruction for the week October 18, followed by in-person instruction at temporary locations at the Almira Community Center, Almira Community Church, and Coulee City School District.

Further discussion with representatives from insurance carrier Clear Risk Solutions included specifics on insurance coverage and upcoming needs of the district.

Due to the part-time nature of Mr. Read’s position, the board discussed options for securing assistance to the superintendent during the reopening and rebuilding stages of the school district.

Adjournment Chair Jesse Brunner adjourned the meeting at 12:26 p.m.



Chairman of the Board



Secretary to the Board