MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE BATTLE RIVER SCHOOL DIVISION, HELD ON MARCH  $24^{TH}$ , 2022, COMMENCING AT 9:59 A.M.

### **PRESENT**

LYLE ALBRECHT DOUG ALGAR KAREN BELICH DWIGHT DIBBEN PATRICK MCFEELY

#### **ABSENT**

#### **ALSO PRESENT**

RITA MARLER, Superintendent of Schools SHAN JORGENSON-ADAM, Deputy Superintendent NATASHA WILM, Assistant Superintendent - Human Resources DIANE HUTCHINSON, Director of Communication SHIRLEY FAIRALL, Executive Assistant - Superintendent

#### **CHAIR BELICH IN THE CHAIR**

#### CALL TO ORDER

Chair Belich called the meeting to order at 9:59 a.m.

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Eric Jensen, Equity Coordinator, joined the meeting at 9:59 a.m.

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#### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

#20\22 D DIBBEN - That the Board of Trustees approves the Agenda as presented.

**CARRIED** 

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

#21\22 L ALBRECHT - That the Board of Trustees approves the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

**CARRIED** 

#22\22 D ALGAR - That the Board of Trustees approves the Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

**CARRIED** 

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#### STUDENT SUCCESS

Chair Belich welcomed Eric Jensen and invited his presentation on his work in building equity throughout Battle River School Division. Mr Jensen provided information on the current statistics regarding Indigenous students within Battle River School Division and outlined ways in which these student can be better supported in their learning, high school completion, and mental health.

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Mr Jensen left the meeting at 10:25 a.m.

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Cheryl Kropinske, Director of Finance, and Kelly Kushnerik, Director of Facilities joined the meeting at 10:28 a.m.

## FISCAL MONITORING REIPORT

Chair Belich welcomed Ms Kropinske and invited her review of the Interim Financial Statements for the period ending February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Ms Kropinske left the meeting at 10:35 a.m.

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#### **CAPITAL PLAN**

#23\22 L ALBRECHT - That the Board adopts the following priorities for their 2022 Capital Plan submission, to be provided to Alberta Education:

- 1. CW Sears Replacement School
- 2. Hay Lakes School Modernization
- 3. Charlie Killam Replacement School.

CARRIED

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Mr Kushnerik left the meeting at 10:53 a.m.

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#### **IN-CAMERA SESSION (11:20 A.M.)**

#24\22

D DIBBEN - That the Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees recess to permit Trustees to meet in-camera, and that all persons, except Trustees, Superintendent Marler, Deputy Superintendent Jorgenson-Adam, Assistant Superintendent Human Resources, Director of Communications Hutchinson, and Executive Assistant - Superintendent Fairall be excluded.

CARRIED

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Trustee McFeely left the meeting at 11:43 a.m.

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#### OUT OF IN-CAMERA SESSION (11:52 A.M.)

The in-camera session concluded and the regular meeting reconvened.

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## **ADJOURNMENT**

All items of business being completed and there being no dissent, Chair Belich adjourned the meeting at 11:53 a.m.		
KAREN BELICH, CHAIR	_	
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DR RITA MARLER. SUPERINTENDENT OF SHCOOLS		

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