



**Hobgood Charter School
Board Meeting Minutes- January 5, 2021**

Board Present: Joe McDowell, Ricky Cannon, Tom Winslow, Ron Elkins, Linda Goodrich, Jean Spruell, Shanna James, Zane Stilwell, Shawn Dawes
Staff Present– Juliana Harris, Haley Gowran, Shanna Steinert

The meeting was called to order by Joe McDowell at 7:04 pm.

Special Called Meeting

Joe reviewed the mission of HCS
Minutes from the previous meeting will be reviewed and approved at January 25, 2021 meeting.
No public comment is offered

As we prepare to resume regular school schedule in few days, Juliana updated the board with area COVID 19 statistics, area school decisions about dates to resume in-class instruction, and feedback from HCS parents in the form of survey results and from several conversations.

We discussed the risks and benefits of the return to the classroom as regularly scheduled. Input and conversation was solicited from all board members present by Joe. It was clarified that we will continue to have a virtual only instruction option for families moving forward and that Wednesday would remain virtual only for all students to allow teachers the opportunity to prepare, remediate, etc. and for the school premises to be thoroughly sanitized.

Unanimous consensus was reached to continue with the return to in-class instruction as planned under our current COVID 19 policies and procedures with the understanding that Juliana has the authority to move HCS to a virtual only schedule should conditions require a change. No motions were entertained.

Tom motioned to adjourn, 2nd by Rick, motion carried unanimously.

Minutes Recorded by: Ron Elkins