

**FAIRVIEW AREA SCHOOLS' BOARD OF EDUCATION  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
APRIL 25, 2022**

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A special meeting of the Fairview Area Schools' Board of Education was held on Monday evening, April 25, 2022 in the high school media center.

**I. Call to Order – Roll Call**

Board President Anne Tompkins called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Mike Alchin, Jon Ford, Janice Handrich, Amber Larrison, Merianne Tappan, Anne Tompkins, and Herb Trader

ABSENT: None

**II. Approval of Agenda - The Agenda was approved by Board consensus**

**III. Public Comment**

Mr. Paul Esch expressed concern regarding events that took place as part of senior prank day last Friday. Mr. Rich Ellis and Mrs. April Evans also shared their thoughts.

A letter from Mr. Troy Ross in support of Amy Clouse was submitted to the Board and read aloud.

**IV. NEW BUSINESS – ACTION ITEMS**

**A. Determine Candidates for Superintendent Interviews – Round Two**

Each Board member was asked to indicate his/her preference for candidates to be offered a second round interview:

Tompkins:	Pena	Shooks
Larrison:	Shooks	
Ford:	Shooks	Clouse
Tappan:	Shooks	Pena
Trader:	Pena	
Handrich:	Pena	
Alchin:	Clouse	

Second round interviews will be offered to George Pena and Brandy Shooks. A request was presented by Mike Alchin and a role vote taken to allow an additional candidate to be offered a second interview. All Board members voted in the affirmative with the exception of President Tompkins. Therefore, Amy Clouse will also be granted a second interview.

**B. Determine Questions for Superintendent Callback Interviews**

The Board determined which questions would be asked at second round interviews.

**C. Review of Call-Back Procedure**

President Tompkins will contact each candidate to schedule the date and time for each second-round interview.

**V. Closing Public Comments**

The following people shared their thoughts regarding the candidates: Kami Winton, Keri King, Mary Jo Green, Rich Ellis, and April Evans.

**VI. Closing Board Comments**

Mr. Jon Ford thanked the Board for accommodating him by videotaping the interviews in his absence and arranging the meeting this evening to allow him to participate in the discussion.

Mr. Herb Trader thanked the public for providing their input.

The Board discussed their intentions for conducting reference checks and possible school visits for each of the candidates.

*President Tompkins adjourned the meeting at 7:55 p.m.*

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Merianne Tappan, Board Secretary