

WEBER SCHOOL DISTRICT
5320 Adams Avenue Parkway
Ogden, UT

Study Session
June 9, 2021

The Board of Education of Weber School District held a Study Session in the Superintendent's office at 5320 Adams Avenue Parkway, Washington Terrace, Utah. The meeting convened at 5:00 p.m. The following Board Members and Superintendency were present:

Jon Ritchie	Board President
Dean Oborn	Board Vice President
Doug Hurst	Board Member
Janis Christensen	Board Member
Jan Burrell	Board Member
Paul Widdison	Board Member
Jeff Stephens	Superintendent
Art Hansen	Assistant Superintendent
Lori Rasmussen	Assistant Superintendent
Robert Petersen	Business Administrator

Board Member Bruce Jardine attended virtually.

Superintendent Stephens began noting Kyrene Gibbs with Y2 Analytics will be here to present data received from the bond survey. It was noted this is the second time we have used Y2 Analytics and the information they provide is very helpful. Superintendent Stephens recommended the Board not make anything official yet, but this gives an opportunity to continue to receive feedback over the next six to seven weeks from constituents. Community Relations Specialist Lane Findlay and Superintendent Stephens will visit city council meetings to present information regarding the need for new schools and replacements. We have a priority list including the need for a high school, Jr. high, elementary and replacement of Roosevelt Elementary. Facilities Director Scott Zellmer will work with the Board to prioritize this list.

Curriculum and Assessment Director Sheri Heiter will present survey information on the FY22 school schedule. It is not an action item tonight but we continue to receive feedback and information. The Board does not need to vote on a schedule, but based on feedback tonight, it is good to discuss how to respond to varying concerns and priorities related to the schedule. This information will help us know what direction to give administration for next year and scheduling for transportation. We need between 40-50 minutes between elementary and secondary start times. Board Member Bruce Jardine suggested to have some compromise to address all the issues. Possibly a twenty-minute late start as we try to be responsive to all the different concerns. The Board will have the opportunity during the presentation to ask questions or note concerns.

Superintendent Stephens concluded noting Doug Larsen, representing Marriott-Slaterville will be here to present a new CRA we have processed through our tax increment funding guidelines. Ratification on negotiations will be presented and the budget hearing.

Board Vice President Dean Oborn noted in the Capital Improvement meeting held earlier this week, Maintenance Supervisor Cody Barnes presented the need to purchase trucks for the maintenance department now. Due to market conditions, if trucks are ordered now we would not receive them until February. The bidding sheets will go out and will be on the agenda in August.

Meeting adjourned at 5:58 pm