

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
 NOVEMBER 22, 2016  
 SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 was convened at 4:00 p.m., November 22, 2016, at the District Administration Office, 470 North 3<sup>rd</sup> East, Mountain Home, Idaho, in said district, pursuant to authority provided by Title 74-202(4)(b)(6)(c) – Open Meeting (Special Meeting) and 74-204(2) Notice of Meeting, to receive and discuss ISBA Convention Information and to possibly change the agenda order. A copy of the Notice of a Special Meeting of School Trustees so posted follows:

**November 22, 2016**  
**NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE WORK SESSION – ISBA CONVENTION RECAP &**  
**POSSIBLE REVISION OF THE BOARD AGENDA ORDER**  
**MOUNTAIN HOME SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 193**  
**Mountain Home, Elmore County, Idaho**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193, will hold a special meeting work session for the purpose of receiving and discussing ISBA Convention information and a possible revision of the agenda order for future meetings, on Tuesday, November 22, 2016, at 4:00 p.m., at the District Administration Office, located at 470 North 3<sup>rd</sup> East, Mountain Home, Idaho, in said District.

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Receive and Discuss ISBA Convention Information (*No Action*)
- III. Proposed Revision to the Agenda Order (*Action*)
- IV. Adjourn

This Training Session of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 is called pursuant to Title 74, Chapter 2, Section 74-202(4)(c)(6)(b) – Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 2016.



Sharon M. Whitman  
 Clerk, School District No. 193  
 Mountain Home, Elmore, Idaho

- I. **CALL MEETING TO ORDER** – Chairman/Vice-chairman. Chairman Abrego convened the special meeting of the Board of Trustees at 4:00 p.m.  
  
Trustees: Chairman Abrego, Trustee Monasterio, Trustee Donahue, Trustee Knox (via telecommunication), Trustee Binion (via telecommunication at 11:34 a.m.)
- II. **RECEIVE AND DISCUSS ISBA CONVENTION INFORMATION** – Chairman/Vice-chairman. Chairman Abrego and the other trustees began discussing the information they received during the recent ISBA Convention including the how to evaluate a superintendent; how to self-assess the school board; how school finance works and the numerous school finance funding accounts; how to engage the local community and parents to include Hispanic parents; how to encourage volunteers to come to the schools to help students or to help translate for conferences; what our legislators are doing with regards to school funding and the reconfiguring of the school finance formula; how the board and superintendent should have an informal discussion to collaborate and to discuss general issues; what the effects of the Blaine amendment would be and what threats the amendment poses to public schools; how to present bonds and other levies to the community; how districts could implement social media; how to build relationships with the community; insure districts have an emergency management plan for different scenarios, evacuations, and other disasters; what the legal rules are with regards to holding board meetings, having board gatherings, holding community forums, and other board related matters; etc.

- III. **PROPOSED REVISION TO THE AGENDA ORDER (ACTION)** – Clerk Whitman. Clerk Whitman requested approval to revise the regular monthly board meeting agenda to add the Pledge of Allegiance. She added that the board could invite students or community members to say the Pledge of Allegiance as a way to involve the community. Chairman Abrego called for a motion to add the Pledge of Allegiance to the regular monthly board agenda. Trustee Binion motioned that the Pledge of Allegiance be added to the regular monthly board agenda as presented, received a second from Trustee Donahue. Motion carried. Chairman Abrego directed Clerk Whitman to add the pledge as the first item after the meeting has been called.
- IV. **ADJOURNMENT** – All business of the Board having been completed, Chairman Abrego called for a motion to adjourn. A motion from Trustee Binion to adjourn was seconded by Trustee Donahue. Motion granted. Meeting adjourned at 5:58 p.m.

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Chairman Abrego

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Clerk Whitman