

WEST BEND JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
Education Service Center
735 South Main Street
West Bend, WI 53095

PUBLIC HEARING/BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 11, 2020 - 5:00 p.m.

A public hearing of the School Board of West Bend Joint School District No. 1 was called, noticed, and held in the manner required by the School Board and pertinent Wisconsin Statutes on Monday, May 11, 2020 in the Education Service Center Board Room located at 735 South Main Street, West Bend 53095 along with virtual participation due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Members present: Chris Zwygart, Erin Dove, Paul Fischer, Joel Ongert, Nancy Justman, Tonnie Schmidt

Board President, Chris Zwygart called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

The purpose of this public hearing was to discuss the proposed DPI Instructional hour waiver for the 2019-2020 school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Per state law, school boards need to hold a public hearing [s.118.38 (1) (b)] for consideration of the DPI Instructional hour waiver.

Don Kirkegaard, Superintendent stated that on March 21st Governor Evers emergency order #10 closed schools until April 24th and then eventually June 30th. As a result of that, every school in the state of Wisconsin will need to submit a waiver.

There were two options presented for public participation for this hearing and there were no requests for public comment. There were no questions from the School Board.

The hearing was closed at 5:09 p.m.

Attendance (15 present): Erin Dove, Chris Zwygart, Joel Ongert, Nancy Justman, Don Kirkegaard, Paul Fischer, Tonnie Schmidt, Andrew Sarnow, Tim Harder, Laura Jackson, Jennifer Rausch, Jennifer Gennerman, Patrick O'Connor

Residents are Kirkegaard, Rausch, Harder, Justman, Dove, Schmidt, Ongert, Zwygart, Fischer