

# MINUTES

Board of Education  
Caruthersville School District No. 18  
Administration Building

Special Open Board Meeting  
May 6, 2020  
5:00 p.m.

Board members present for the meeting:

Lee Bethune  
Jimmy Lyons  
Tom McCall

Sandra Barnes (Virtual)  
Teresa Tidwell  
Joe Cagle (Virtual)

Staff members present for the meeting:

JJ Bullington – Superintendent  
Brad Gerling – Director of School Services  
Rita Jones – Board Secretary

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order by President, Mr. Bethune, at 5:00 p.m.

**\*\*ALL VOTES CAST WERE DONE WITH A ROLL CALL\*\***

Superintendent's Report:

Ms. Bullington provided the Board with the DHSS Executive Order.

Ms. Bullington provided the Board with the Show-Me Strong Recovery Plan: Phase I.

Ms. Bullington provided the Board the notice sent to staff in reference to the return to work guidelines and with the correspondence between herself, Kelli Hopkins and Elaine Donze. In reference to Elaine's concerns about returning to school when all the other teaching staff returns. Ms. Hopkins recommends that Elaine use any sick leave in place of returning as planned.

Ms. Bullington provided the Board with the suggested graduation activities/ceremony.

- Graduation ceremony and parade will be June 4<sup>th</sup>.

Ms. Bullington provided the Board with the State and Federal funding update.

Ms. Bullington provided the Board with the notes from the Tri-County Superintendents' conference call.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Lyons and seconded by Mrs. Tidwell and carried 6 yeas – 0 nay.

Adjournment time: 5:53 p.m.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Board President: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_