

February 26, 2025

**BROWN COUNTY KANSAS SPECIAL EDUCATION INTERLOCAL #615**  
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**MINUTES OF SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

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(These minutes are not official until approved at the March 5, 2025 board meeting.)

The Board of Education of the Brown County Kansas Special Education Interlocal #615 held a special February Board of Education meeting at 7:00 p.m. on February 26, 2025 at the Special Education Annex in Hiawatha.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Roni Tietjens called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Those present were:

Jon Boller, USD 430 Board Member  
Rex Lockwood, USD 430 Board Member  
Shelby Rice, USD 430 Board Member  
Jacquie Spihlmann, USD 415 Board Member  
Roni Tietjens, USD 415 Board Member  
Dr. Becky Kramer, USD 430 Superintendent  
Lonnie Moser, USD 415 Superintendent  
Amy Larson, Board Clerk/Business Manager

Those absent were:

Ian Schuetz, USD 415 Board Member

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Rex Lockwood moved to approve the agenda. Jacquie Spihlmann seconded and the motion passed with a vote of five to zero.

**PRESENTATION FROM KASB**

Dr. Michelle Hubbard of KASB reviewed information regarding the director search as well as the timeline associated with the director search. KASB will provide support throughout the entire process. Marketing materials are being developed to advertise the job opening and will be posted on USA-KS, KASB, as well as special education organizations. The timeline includes an online survey to

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stakeholders in March to garner feedback about desired characteristics of the new director. With the timeline created, interviews should be conducted following spring break. There was discussion on endorsements, surveys, and feedback.

Shelby Rice moved to approve the KASB contract for director search. Jon Boller seconded and the motion passed with a vote of five to zero.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS THE NON-ELECTED EMPLOYEES**

There was no executive session.

**OTHER**

There was no other business to discuss.

**ADJOURN**

Rex Lockwood moved to adjourn the Board meeting. Jacquie Spihlamnn seconded and the motion passed with a vote of five to zero. The meeting adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the BCK-SEI Board of Education will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2025 at the Special Education Annex in Hiawatha.

_____	Board President	_____	Clerk
_____	Date	_____	Date