

**BIG SPRING SCHOOL DISTRICT
Newville, Pennsylvania**



**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE OF THE BOARD MEETING MINUTES
NOVEMBER 15, 2021**

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1. Call to Order

The Committee of the Whole of the Board of School Directors for the Big Spring School District met in the Big Spring School District High School Auditorium at 7:00 pm with eight (8) Board of School Directors present; William Swanson, Board President; Todd Deihl, Vice President; William Piper, Secretary; Alexis Hurley, Treasurer; Robert Over, Frank Myers, John Wardle, and Richard Roush

Absent: Dave Gutshall

Others in attendance: Kevin C. Roberts, Jr., Superintendent; William August, Assistant Superintendent; Michael Statler, Business Manager; Nicole Donato, Director of Curriculum & Instruction; Rob Krepps, Director of Technology; Darrin Baughman, Technology, and Donna Minnich, Board Minutes

2. Presentation:

2.a. Tempus/LEO Club - Mr. Scott Anderson

Mr. Scott Anderson introduced Tempus/LEO Club President Erin Miller, Vice-President Ava Wilson, and Collin Anderson who described the programs and community events the club organizes and hosts.

Mr. Wardle stated he attended this year's Veteran's Day Ceremony at the High School and thanked the Tempus/Leo Club for their service and dedication to our local veterans.

2.b. COVID Updates – Dr. Roberts and Mr. August

Dr. Roberts and Mr. August presented COVID-19 Updates:

Incidence Rate – Cumberland County

Percent Positivity – Cumberland County

Zip Code Data

COVID Dashboard

Current Case Totals

PA Department of Health (DOH) Closure Guidelines

Positive Student Cases

Positive Teaching Staff Cases

Symptomatic Students

Close Contact: Students

Masking Requirements – Update

Overarching Goal – Deliver a consistent in-person program to students, five day per week

3. Preview of the Agenda

President Swanson requested the Board address 11. New Business Personnel Items and combine items 11a through 11f into one motion.

4. Other Items

No discussion

5. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Mr. Deihl was seconded by Mr. Roush

Roll call vote: Voting Yes: Swanson, Deihl, Piper, Hurley, Over, Myers, Wardle, and Roush

Motion Carried unanimously. 8-0

The Committee of the Whole meeting adjourned at 7:31 pm.


