

**Dongola Unit School #66**  
**Regular Board of Education Meeting**  
**July 6, 2021**

These minutes are unofficial until approved by the Board of Education.  
Phil Miller called the Regular Board of Education Meeting to order at **6:32 p.m.**

**1. CALL TO ORDER-ROLL CALL-RECITE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Present	Present	Present	Present	Absent	Absent	Present	Carried

**Others Present:** Superintendent Dr. Paige Maginel, Joni Lewis, Ellie Rush, Salina Hilliard, Caroline Price

**2. APPROVAL OR AMENDING OF AGENDA**

Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Cherie Wright to approve the agenda as presented.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

**3. PUBLIC COMMENT-** Thank You note from Henry Maginel and Caleb Gaddis, thanking the Board for the Jr. High Beta Club trip to Florida.

**4. MEETING MINUTES**

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Dana Eddleman to approve meeting minutes from the board meeting on **May 27<sup>th</sup> 2021**.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Dana Eddleman to approve meeting minutes from the special board meeting on **April 8th 2021**.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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## **5. REPORTS-**

### **Bills and Payroll**

Motion made by **Dana Eddleman** seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to approve the **May 2021 bills and payroll** as presented.

**Vote:**

<b>Phil Miller</b>	<b>Cherie Wright</b>	<b>Dana Eddleman</b>	<b>Brenda Hogue</b>	<b>Mark Eddleman</b>	<b>David Gaddis</b>	<b>Wayne Brown</b>	<b>Motion</b>
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

### **FINANCIAL REPORTS**

Motion made by **Wayne Brown** and seconded by **Cherie Wright** to approve the **May 2021 District Financial Report** as presented.

**Vote:**

<b>Phil Miller</b>	<b>Cherie Wright</b>	<b>Dana Eddleman</b>	<b>Brenda Hogue</b>	<b>Mark Eddleman</b>	<b>David Gaddis</b>	<b>Wayne Brown</b>	<b>Motion</b>
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Dana Eddleman** and seconded by **Wayne Brown** to approve the **May 2021 Reconciliation Report** as presented.

**Vote:**

<b>Phil Miller</b>	<b>Cherie Wright</b>	<b>Dana Eddleman</b>	<b>Brenda Hogue</b>	<b>Mark Eddleman</b>	<b>David Gaddis</b>	<b>Wayne Brown</b>	<b>Motion</b>
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

### **ACTIVITY FUND REPORT**

Motion made by **Dana Eddleman** and seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to table the **May 2021 Activity Fund Report** due to a computer crash.

**Vote:**

<b>Phil Miller</b>	<b>Cherie Wright</b>	<b>Dana Eddleman</b>	<b>Brenda Hogue</b>	<b>Mark Eddleman</b>	<b>David Gaddis</b>	<b>Wayne Brown</b>	<b>Motion</b>
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

### **ADA REPORT**

Motion made by **Dana Eddleman** and seconded by **Wayne Brown** to approve the **May 2021 ADA Report** as presented.

**Vote:**

<b>Phil Miller</b>	<b>Cherie Wright</b>	<b>Dana Eddleman</b>	<b>Brenda Hogue</b>	<b>Mark Eddleman</b>	<b>David Gaddis</b>	<b>Wayne Brown</b>	<b>Motion</b>
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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Motion made by Dana Eddleman and seconded by Brenda Hogue to approve the June 2021 ADA Report as presented.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

## DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM'S Report

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Dana Eddleman to approve Educere for life skills and Spanish.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Cherie Wright to extend Summer school until July 15, 2021.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	No	No	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

## 6. OLD BUSINESS

Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Cherie Wright to approve the Prairie State insurance renewals.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

## 7. NEW BUSINESS

Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Wayne Brown to authorize to make end of year transfers to close books.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Cherie Wright to approve the teachers' renewal.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Brenda Hogue to put the Tim Casey memorial field on hold at the request of Little Creek Construction.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Cherie Wright to approve the Union County Counseling service.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

### **8. CLOSED SESSION**

Motion made by Dana Eddleman seconded by Wayne Brown to go into closed session at **7:23 p.m.** *For Exception 1- The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance or dismissal of specific employees of the public body, or to hear testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee to determine its validity.*

*Exception 2- Collective negotiating matters between the public body, and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees. Exception 10: The placement of individual students in special education programs and other matters relating to individual students.*

*Exception 11: Pending, probable or imminent litigation. Exception 21: Discussion of minutes of meetings lawfully closed under this Act, whether for purposes of approval by the body of the minutes or semi-annual review of the minutes as mandated by Section 2.06*

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Wayne Brown seconded by Brenda Hogue to return to open session at **7:38 p.m.**

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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## 9. ACTION ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Dana Eddleman to approve the closed session minutes from May 27, 2021 as presented.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Dana Eddleman to accept the retirement letter from Ron Morgan. Effective January 2022.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Brenda Hogue to hire Andrea Dahmer as the Athletic Director.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Brenda Hogue to hire Ellie Rush as the High School Volleyball coach.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Brenda Hogue to hire Ellie Rush as the Jr. High Volleyball coach.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by Cherie Wright seconded by Dana Eddleman to hire Jerry Duckworth as the Cross Country coach.

Vote:

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Krysten Ramage as the Jr. High Softball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to hire Victor Hoehner as the Jr. High Baseball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Preston Hall as the High School Basketball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to hire Mark Gilley as Jr. High Boys' Basketball coach

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Michaela Sizemore as the Jr. High Girls' Basketball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to hire Mark Gilley as the High School Baseball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

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Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Barry Keller as the High School Softball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Brenda Hogue** to hire Courtney Pulley as the Social Media Manager.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Courtney Pulley as the Yearbook Sponsor.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Dana Eddleman** to hire Steve Anderson as the High School Girls' Basketball coach.

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

## **10. ADJOURN:**

Motion made by **Cherie Wright** seconded by **Wayne Brown** to adjourn at **7:49 p.m.**

**Vote:**

Phil Miller	Cherie Wright	Dana Eddleman	Brenda Hogue	Mark Eddleman	David Gaddis	Wayne Brown	Motion
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Absent	Yes	Carried

  
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