

DUBUQUE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Retreat and Work Session
August 1, 2022

President Parks called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. at Greater Dubuque Development with the following members present: Bradley, Jones, Parks, Prochaska, Ryan, Sainci, and Wittman. Additional officers of the Board present: Mauss, Hawkins.

Superintendent Hawkins introduced Dr. Denise Schares, former University of Northern Iowa Associate professor, and current interim superintendent of schools in Fort Dodge, Iowa. Denise provided an overview of the goal of the work session to help develop relationships and communication within the Board.

Board members went around the table and introduced themselves, their connections to the work of the District, and why they chose to serve on the board and how many years served.

Break at [9:55]

Resumed meeting at [10:07]

Reviewed and discussed policy, #2105 Standards for Effective School Boards, and the Code of Ethics Guidelines.

Board reviewed and discussed Iowa School Board Standards which include visionary team, student learning, district culture, policy and legal, fiscal responsibility, and advocacy. Board members weighed the importance of the standards.

President Parks declared the meeting adjourned at 11:39 a.m.

Carolyn Mauss, Secretary
Board of Education