

**CITY OF HESSTON  
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

**MINUTES of December 1, 2021**

**Council Meeting No. 20**

The Special Meeting of the Hesston City Council was held on Wednesday, December 1, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. in the Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Commons area at the Hesston Elementary School at 300 E. Amos Street.

**PRESENT**

Council members Larry Fuqua, Jason Jones, Clare Moore and Susan Swartzendruber, City Administrator Gary Emry and City Clerk Jason Thrasher with Mayor David Kauffman presiding. A quorum was present.

**ABSENT**

Council Member Brad Unruh

**OTHERS PRESENT**

**USD460 – BOARD OF EDUCATION:**

BOE Members Phil Diller, Susan Lamb, Lane Frick, Susan Rostetter, Zach Weaver, Mike Weber, Delvin Wohlgemuth and Superintendent Ben Proctor and Board Clerk Judy Reimer.

**RECREATION BOARD:**

Recreation Board Members Kris White, Blake Burhman, DeeDee Landes, Grady Pauls, Keli Wray and HRCE Director Skylar Hill.

**OTHERS:**

Adam Strunk with the Hesston Record.

**JOINT MEETING**

A Joint Meeting was held where each entity provided a report on current projects and activities.

**City Update**

The city elected to forego a report to allow the district to have more time for its presentation.

**Hesston Recreation Update – Director Skylar Hill**

- Reserve Funds for future capital improvement projects,
- Survey to determine patrons' preferences regarding recreation facilities,
- Joint maintenance / grounds position (HRCE/School District).

**USD460 School – Superintendent Ben Proctor**

- Districts vision and framework,
- Enrollment information,
- Long-range facilities planning,
- Design concepts for building improvements,
- Mill levy options / impact.

At 8:10 p.m. each entity separated and held their own board meetings.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 8:11 p.m. Jason Jones moved to adjourn the meeting. Larry Fuqua seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

Recorded by  
Jason Thrasher  
City Clerk