

American Civics

Monday, July 19, 2021 6:00 PM

City of Gering Council Chambers
1025 P Street
Gering, NE 69341



Minutes

1. GPS Board of Education Information

Present: Brian Copsy, Brent Holliday, Josh Lacy, B.J. Peters, Brady Shaul, Mary Winn.

2. Opening Procedures

- 2.1. Call to Order at 6:02pm
- 2.2. Roll Call
- 2.3. Excuse Absent Board Member(s)

3. Opening Meetings Act

4. Reports and Discussions

Kory Knight Director of Curriculum gave a report about the 2020-2021 American Civics. Firstly, a Naturalization test was given to Jr. High and High Schools Students. It consisted of 100 questions and covered 10 topics, A few of those topics as were follows: Constitution & Amendments, Rights/Responsibilities of US Citizens, American History. The Jr. High students tested in the Spring and from 123 students the average grade for 8th graders was 60.61%, from the 51 twelve grade students 81% was the average score. The plan for future testing, is to work on processes to increase the number of High School students taking the test to 100%. Equally important is to continue aligning curriculum to help students scores.

5. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 6:06 pm