## POQUOSON CITY SCHOOL BOARD SPECIAL MEETING January 24, 2022 – 5:00pm CITY OF POQUOSON LIBRARY CONFERENCE ROOM

## **MINUTES**

Present:

Michelle Sheeler, Chairman

Christy Helsel, Vice Chair Craig Freeman – via phone Jeremy Jordan – via phone

Jonathan Ingram Timothy Goodale

Cameron "CJ" Childress Arty Tillett, Superintendent

Christine Hill, PhD, Assistant Superintendent for Instruction and Support Services

Dustie McCay, Clerk of the Board

I. CALL TO ORDER. Chairman Sheeler called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

## II. MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION.

A. DOLI Regulation – Advice from Attorney

Superintendent, Mr. Tillett, recommended to follow the DOLI regulation, as advised by PCPS School Board Attorney, requiring masks for all employees while in high rate of transmission.

The Board discussed whether they should keep the current plan in place or require staff and visitors to wear a mask per DOLI regulation.

Chair Sheeler made a motion, seconded by Mr. Jordan, to require staff and visitors to wear a mask inside PCPS property. Vote was taken.

VOTE: 2:4

Mr. Childress, Nay; Mr. Ingram, Nay; Mr. Goodale, Nay; Mr. Jordan, Aye; Vice Chair Helsel, Nay; Chairman Sheeler, Aye

Mr. Freeman requested Mr. Childress vote by proxy to keep masks optional for staff and visitors as he could not virtually attend the full meeting. Per PCPS School Board Attorney, a vote by proxy is not authorized by law in Virginia. Stricken vote did not affect the outcome of the vote.

**III. ADJOURNMENT.** There being no further business before the Board, Chairman Sheeler adjourned the meeting at 5:59 p.m.

Christina Helsel, Acting Chair

Dustie McCay, Clerk of the Board

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