

WHITE RIVER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 416  
Buckley, Washington

**MINUTES OF THE WHITE RIVER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 416  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING HELD MARCH 25, 2015**

The meeting of the White River Board of Directors was called to order at 5:30 p.m. The pledge of allegiance was conducted. Under Roll Call, all members except Denise Vogel were present. Under Approve Agenda, it was moved and seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

**Roll Call**

**Agenda Approved**

Staff members including Lainey Mathews, Jer Argo, Karen Fugate, Robin Cerato-Gibbs and Tracy Nelson, reported on a conference they attended. They shared information regarding implementing Common Core Standards with Total Instructional Alignment. They explained how their learning fits with current work in Professional Learning Communities, and also talked about the impact on teacher teams and on student learning. As knowledge about the Common Core is gained, learning targets are established, and ultimately instruction is aligned using data to improve along the way. Next steps at each grade level were shared.

**Total Instructional Alignment**

Information regarding third grade reading assessments was shared. Information regarding the assessment and how the data is scored and shared with parents was discussed.

**Third Grade Reading Assessments**

Donna Morey provided an update on the Pierce County Comprehensive Plan draft changes that affect the siting of schools in rural areas. There was discussion about Pierce County's draft proposal to re-zone the District's tree farm property on 234th from rural to agricultural land.

**Growth Management Report**

Director Sanabria moved to approve the Personnel Report. Director Lacy seconded. Motion carried.

**Personnel Report**

There being no further business to come before the board, it was moved and seconded to adjourn at 7:30 p.m.

**Adjourn**

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Janel Keating  
Secretary to the Board

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Jean Lacy  
Board Vice President