



## **CUBA INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS JOHNSON O'MALLEY INDIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

**Regular Meeting  
February 10, 2020  
Cuba School Federal Building Board Room  
5:00 pm**

### **I. Call Meeting to order:**

a. Welcome Address

*IEC President George Aragon called meeting to order at 5:10 pm. Welcome address by Mr Aragon and Ms Chiquito.*

b. Approval of agenda

*Agenda for meeting called for approval by Mr George Aragon. Motion for approval by Ms Chavez, seconded by Ms Chiquito. 3 in favor, 0 opposed, motion passed.*

c. Approval of prior minutes

*Call for approval of prior meeting minutes by Mr George Aragon. Motion for approval by Ms Chiquito seconded by Ms Chavez. 3 in favor, 0 opposed, motion passed.*

### **II. Public Comment:**

*\*Any interested person may submit data, views, or arguments in writing to the IEC members on any school related topic. An individual or representative wishing to give public comment shall register prior participating in public comment. Additionally, when registering for public comment, the speaker shall be required to identify the subject matter of their proposed comment when they register. Speakers are allotted three minutes, or an amount of time otherwise designated by the IEC President at the beginning of the meeting. The IEC president, in his/her sole discretion, may shorten/lengthen the comment period time to ensure that the meeting is efficiently and promptly conducted. All speakers are strongly encouraged to abide by all time-limitations, to avoid personal attacks, to utilize all administrative avenues for complaint resolution before bringing issues to the board, and to avoid identifying students or staff in comments, and to present all comments professionally and respectfully. Persons requiring special assistance or services, such as a sign language interpreter, should call (575)-289-3211 at least three business days before the meeting.*

*No Public Comment*



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### **III. Reports**

#### **a. Lavern Wagner, Transformational Community Engagement Coordinator**

- i. Update on Middle School Navajo Teacher
- ii. Update on community engagement activities

*Mrs Wagner discussed that the district had not secured a Middle School Navajo Language teacher at this time. She also discussed activities of community engagement she has been having with the community. She has reached out to communities and has had gatherings with the communities within the Cuba Independent School District boundaries. She explained her position and the intention of the district with her position and the IEI grant.*

#### **b. Dr Matt Williams, Federal Programs Director/Assistant Superintendent**

- i. Update on grants/deadlines

*Dr Williams discussed the grants that were coming up and the need for the IEC to help bring community involvement and input so that they are written to address the community needs. He discussed the importance for the IEC to be a part of the process, along with parents and community members.*

### **IV. Old Business**

*None*

### **V. New Business**

- a. How can IEC help us in community engagement?
  - i. Future trips
    1. Dates/purpose

*IEC members wanted to hold a special meeting to focus specifically on how they can help with community engagement.*

### **VI. Announcements:**

*None*

### **VII. Next Meeting Date and Location:**

*TBD by Indian Education Director & IEC members*

### **VIII. Adjournment:**

*Meeting adjourned by IEC President, George Aragon, at 6:05 pm.*