



**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL REGULAR MEETING
The Board of Education
School District #33 (Chilliwack)**

Date of Meeting: Wednesday, March 12, 2025

Location: School District Office

Members Present:

Chair	David Swankey
Vice Chair	Teri Westerby
Trustee	Carin Bondar
Trustee	Richard Procee
Trustee	Willow Reichelt
Trustee	Margaret Reid
Trustee	Laurie Throness

Staff Present:

Superintendent	Rohan Arul-pragasam
Secretary Treasurer	Simone Sangster
Assistant Superintendent	Paula Jordan
Assistant Superintendent	David Manuel
Director of Facilities and Transportation	Allan Van Tassel
Executive Assistant	Talana McNally

1. CALL TO ORDER

1.1. Call to Order

The Board Chair called the meeting to order at 4:02 p.m. – Welcome, Acknowledgment of Traditional Territory and Diversity Statement

1.2. Adoption of the Agenda

The agenda was adopted by consensus.

2. ACTION ITEM

2.1. Trustee Oath/Affirmation of Office

I, **Laurie Throness**, do solemnly affirm that:

I am qualified to hold office as a trustee in School District No. 33 (Chilliwack) and meet the trustee qualification requirements set out in the School Act;

I have not, by myself or any other person, knowingly contravened the School Act respecting vote buying, intimidation or other election offences in relation to my election as a trustee;

I will abide by the School Act and I will faithfully perform the duties of my office, and will not allow any private interest to influence my conduct in public matters;

I will comply with the requirements of the School Act that relate to conflict of interest and, in particular, I will comply with the requirements relating to disclosure of pecuniary and indirect pecuniary interest in a matter.

The Oath of Office was signed by Laurie Throness and witnessed by the Secretary Treasurer.

3. **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

Board Chair

Secretary-Treasurer