



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

Date of Meeting: Wednesday, April 22, 2025

Location: School District Office

Members Present:

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

On Leave: Vice Chair Teri Westerby

Staff Present:

Superintendent	Rohan Arul-pragasam
Secretary Treasurer	Simone Sangster
Assistant Secretary Treasurer	Mark Friesen
Assistant Superintendent	Paula Jordan
Assistant Superintendent	Kirk Savage
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 5:41 p.m. – Welcome, Acknowledgment of Traditional Territory and Diversity Statement

1.2. Adoption of the Agenda

20.25 Moved by: Trustee Bondar
Seconded by: Trustee Reichelt

THAT the agenda be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

2. PRESENTATION

2.1. Public Budget Presentation

Assistant Secretary Mark Friesen provided an overview of the School District's budget development process and budget assumptions. The public participated by submitting written questions, in person and via the Q&A function on the YouTube livestream event, which were answered by staff.

3. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:32 p.m.

Board Chair

Secretary-Treasurer