



**EASTERN WYOMING COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
SPECIAL MEETING Minutes  
July 6, 2020, 3:00 pm  
Dolores Kaufman Boardroom**

**Vision Statement**

Eastern Wyoming College will be an innovative learning environment for academic excellence and community enrichment that champions student success.

**College Mission**

Student success is our first priority; as a learning community, we provide opportunities that enable students to achieve their goals and enrich our unique region through work, partnerships, and student achievement.

The Board of Trustees met at 3:00 p.m. on July 6, 2020 in the Dolores Kaufman Boardroom. Chair Bob Baumgartner called the meeting to order.

**ACTION:** Trustee McCreery made a motion to approve the Special Meeting Agenda. Trustee Bartmann seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: (Recorded)**

Public comments received by:

Dr. Colleen Mitchell representing the Faculty Senate. Dr. Mitchell presented a document from Faculty Senate to Dr. Travers and the Board with their questions, concerns and ideas on budget cuts.

Dr. Catherine Steinbock also represented the Faculty Senate with a presentation of thoughts and concerns for the college, (attached).

Aaron Bahmer addressed the Board and voiced his opinion, cares and concerns on instruction, facilities support, housing and dining support, and support services.

Brandon Semler addressed the Board and expressed his concerns and thoughts on the process for reduction.

Trustee Patrick addressed the participants and made it known that this process is complex and that information was supplied to the board to look at all angles, ideas, and options of the budget process were being reviewed.

Trustee Ochsner commented that being a member of the Board is something that he does not take lightly. The information is complete and the Board was supplied a great deal of information.

**ACTION:** Trustee McCreery made a motion to adjourn to Executive Session to discuss personnel. Trustee Adams seconded the motion. Motion passed.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION – PERSONNEL**

No action was taken tonight. Dr. Travers will put together Option E and Option F to discuss at the next meeting for public comment.

Trustee Bartmann made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:55 pm. Trustee Patrick seconded the motion with no action taken.

Submitted by:

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Sally J. Watson

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Robert Baumgartner, Chair

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Colby Ochsner, Secretary