

## League of Women Voters of Pullman Observer Report

Name of Agency: Pullman School Board Special Meeting Date: 23 June 2021

Observer Reporting: Ndambuki Length of Meeting: 26 minutes

Members Present: Jim Evermann, Allison Munch-Rotolo, Susan Weed, Nathan Roberts, Bob Maxwell, Roberta Kramer, Diane Hodge, Courtney Hodge, Joe Thornton

Members Absent: Amanda Tanner

Others Present (e.g., media, public): \_\_\_\_\_

### Business pertaining to League Positions or topics of interest:

#### Quality of Instruction:

- **Summer school** is under way and students are reporting that they are enjoying it which is something new for summer school according to the Superintendent
- Phasing out a **disciplinary philosophy** and structure that was punitive to a system of restoration, family and student engagement

#### Responsible Use of Public Funds:

- Have run into a few bumps in the **HVAC upgrades** in all the elementary schools except for Kamiak. It is expected that it will be resolved by the end of summer
- **Pioneer Center Historic Designation**
  - Approved this designation in the event that the application is accepted
- **Bid processes** for fuel, food, and photography was described

Your additional comments/opinions: Regarding students enjoying summer school: It is likely related to missing so much in person school this pandemic year—absence makes the heart grow fonder as they say...