AGENDA BOARD OF EDUCATION COFFEYVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 445 Special Meeting

November 26, 2018 – 6:30 p.m. at Education Center

"Building on a culturally diverse community, USD 445 will prepare all students for life-long learning by providing resources for a comprehensive quality education in a safe environment that promotes high academic achievement and responsible citizenship in a global society." – Mission Statement

"Valuing individuals, Celebrating Learning, Improving Life! USD 445 will provide a happy, caring, hopeful environment that will empower children to achieve their greatest potential." – Vision Statement

The Board of Education of USD 445 has acted to call a Special Meeting on Monday, November 26, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the Board Office, 615 Ellis, Coffeyville, Kansas. The agenda is as follows and no items other than those listed may be considered.

Call to Order

- 1. Roll Call
- 2. Adoption of Agenda
- 3. Executive Session:

I move that we go into executive session to discuss an employee(s) performance pursuant to the nonelected personnel exception under the Kansas Open Meetings Act, and the open meeting will resume in this room at _____ pm.

- 4. Board action to narrow the list of potential Construction Manager at Risk (CMaR) for interviews.
- 5. Adjournment

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: December 12, 2018, 6:00 p.m. - Education Center

Areas of Improvement to Affect Change

We as a school board want to improve our understanding of cultural diversity to better serve our students. We can achieve this by studying our current strategic plan. We understand that poverty is a challenge but it is much more than just numbers on a page, it is about relationships with students, parents and community. We need to provide the individuals we serve with equal access and opportunities so as to not leave anyone out of our system. When we are able to isolate biases in ourselves we will be more prepared to help create a culture filled with creativity to include the arts and other humanity studies incorporated into our classes or programs. We need to create an environment that promotes a welcoming climate and builds relationships and this should start with the design of our facilities.

"....it shall be my constant endeavor to devote time, thought and study to the duties and responsibilities of a school board member so that I may render effective and credible service..."

School Board Member Code of Ethics