

**BARTLETT PARK DISTRICT  
LOCAL GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2024**

**Call to Order**

Commissioner Gunsteen called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

**Roll Call**

Executive Director, Kevin Romejko, called for roll. Commissioners answering present were: Diana Gunsteen, Theodore J. Lewis, Stephen Eckelberry, Lori Palmer, Susan Stocks, Dale Ann Kasuba and Jody Fagan. Community Members answering present were: Mark Kasbab and Chris Stephan.

Staff members present were: Executive Director, Kevin Romejko and Executive Assistant, Maureen Carter.

**Approval of Minutes**

Ms. Gunsteen moved to approve the minutes for the October 24, 2023 Government Efficiency Meeting. Mr. Eckelberry motioned to approve, seconded by Mr. Lewis. **Motion Carried.**

**Public Comments**

None

**Review Purpose of Decennial Committee on Local Government Efficiency**

Ms. Gunsteen asked Mr. Romejko to review the purpose of this committee. Mr. Romejko explained the purpose of the committee is to review many aspects of local government to ensure efficiency and transparency. The Committee will compile information about the District's efficiency and transparency which will be reported to each County once approved. If needed, the Committee will have the opportunity to provide suggestions on how the District can be more efficient and transparent. This is a decennial committee and will reconvene every ten years.

**Review of Decennial Committee on Local Government Efficiency Report**

Mr. Romejko reminded the Committee, the purpose of this report is to highlight everything the District offers and does for the community. The Committee went through the report and provided comments and suggestions. Mr. Kasbab suggested providing a complete list of programs the District offers, opposed to the highlighted list included in the report. Committee members agreed it would be better to include all programs and enrollment numbers to fully show everything the District offers. Other intergovernmental agreements that could be included were discussed as well as additional services the District offers. The Committee agreed on updates to the report to be ready for approval and submission at the next meeting.

**Review Process and Schedule**

Mr. Romejko explained the report will be updated with the feedback from this meeting and will be approved at the next and final committee meeting on October 1, 2024. At the final meeting, once the report is approved, the committee will be dissolved.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business before the Committee, Ms. Gunsteen moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Eckelberry made a motion, and Ms. Palmer seconded. **Motion Passed at 7:15 PM.**

Minutes Approved by the Committee on October 1, 2024.

By:   
Kevin Romejko, Executive Director