

## Turtle Mountain Community College

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## Meeting Agenda September 1, 2011 5:00 p.m.

Type of Meeting:

Special Board of Trustees Meeting

Meeting Facilitator:

Chairman James Lindgren

Invitees:

**Board of Trustees** 

- I. Call to order:
- II. Opening Prayer:
- III. Roll call:
- IV. Approval of Agenda:
- V. Approval of Minutes: December 4, 2010
- VI. Old Business:
- VII. New Business:
  - A. Board of Director Vacancy
  - B. Letter from Board of Director Chairperson
- VIII. Other Business:
  - IX. Next Meeting:
  - X. Adjournment:

**Turtle Mountain Community College** 1 **Special Board of Trustees Meeting** 2 September 1, 2011 3 5:00 p.m. 4 5 **OFFICIAL MINUTES** 6 7 8 9 Board of Trustees Present: Jim Lindgren, Yvonne St. Claire, John Frederick, Dwight Trottier, Elmer Davis, Zelma Peltier 10 11 Board of Trustees Absent: David (Doc) Brien, Theresa Rivard 12 13 Call to Order: Chairman Lindgren called the meeting to order at 5:20 p.m. 14 I. 15 Opening Prayer: Zelma Peltier performed the opening prayer. 16 II. 17 18 III. Roll Call: Wanda Laducer performed roll call. 19 Approval of Agenda: Chairman Lindgren asked for the motion to approve the agenda. Dwight 20 IV. Trottier made the motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Yvonne St. Claire. Roll call taken. 21 All were in favor. Motion carried. 22 23 Approval of Minutes: Yvonne St. Claire made a motion to approve the minutes for December 24 V. 4, 2010. Zelma Peltier seconded the motion. Roll call taken. All in favor. Motion carried. 25 26 27 VI. **Old Business:** 28 29 VII. **New Business:** 30 31 A. Board of Director Vacancy: 32 Elmer Davis made a motion to table this item on the agenda until item "B" is discussed. 33 Yvonne St. Claire seconded. Roll call taken. All in favor. Motion carried. 34 35 36 37 B: Letter from Board of Director Chairperson: 38 Discussion was held regarding the letter received from Chairperson Barbara Poitra. The 39 Board reviewed the policy pertaining to removal of a Board of Director member for not 40 attending meetings. There were some concerns regarding the procedure. The policy may 41 need to be reviewed for clarification in regards to removal of the board member and the 42 procedure that is followed. 43 44 Discussion then reverted back to item "A" on the agenda – Board of Director vacancy. 45

There is now two Board of Director positions open. Discussion was held on how to 46 advertise for the two board position. The two board positions need to be kept separate. One 47 will cover the remainder of a position that has become vacant. That term will expire on 48 August 31, 2013. The other board position will expire on August 31, 2016. 49 50 Yvonne St. Claire made a motion to advertise for the two year position. Zelma Peltier 51 seconded. Roll call taken. All in favor. Motion carried. 52 53 Elmer Davis made the motion to continue advertising for the five year term. Yvonne St. 54 Claire seconded the motion. Roll call taken. All in favor. Motion carried. 55 56 The advertisements will run September 5, September 12, and September 19th, 2011 57 58 The Board of Trustees will meet on September 26th to review the applications for the Board 59 of Directors positions. 60 61 62 VIII. Other Business: 63 IX. Next meeting: Sept. 26, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. TMCC Board Room 64 65 Adjournment: Chairman Lindgren asked for the motion to adjourn. Yvonne St. Claire made X. 66 the motion to adjourn, seconded by John Frederick. All were in favor. Motion carried. Meeting 67 adjourned at 5:53 p.m. 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 Jim Lindgren, Chairman Wanda Laducer, Board of Trustees Secretary