



**The Board of Education of School District No. 61 (Greater Victoria)
George Jay Naming Committee**

Minutes

Date: **Wednesday, December 1, 2021**
4:00p.m.-5:30p.m.

Location: **Via Zoom**

Chairperson: Trustee Angie Henzte

In Attendance: Bob, Angela, Sarah, Lisa, Deanna, Ai Linh, Harold

A.

COMMENCEMENT OF MEETING

A.1

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL TERRITORIES -

The Greater Victoria School District wishes to recognize and acknowledge the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, on whose traditional territories, we live, we learn, and we do our work.

A.2

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

B.

PRESENTATIONS TO THE COMMITTEE

None

C.

NEW BUSINESS

C.1 Review the Guiding Principles

3 Guiding Principles were reviewed:

1. The name of the school should be in alignment with the District's core values.
2. The name of the school should be symbolic of the unique school community and reflective of all students, staff and families.
3. The name of the school should be culturally appropriate.

We will have a conversation with Shelly Niemi regarding Guiding Principle 3.

C.2. Next Steps – How to hear from students

Sarah and Lisa will work to develop a process for coming up with possible names for the school.

D.

CORRESPONDANCE

None

E.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Meeting: January 5, 2022

F.

ADJOURNMENT

5:10 pm