



**OFFICIAL MINUTES OF SCHOOL BOARD VISIT TO  
SHUKSAN MIDDLE SCHOOL  
BELLINGHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
February 4, 2020**

**1.1 Meeting Time/Date and Location**

7:30 a.m., February 4, 2020 – Shuksan Middle School – 2717 Alderwood Ave.,  
Bellingham, WA

**1.2 Roll Call/Attendees**

Board President Doug Benjamin called the meeting to order at 7:30 a.m. Present:  
Directors Kelly Bashaw, Douglas Benjamin, Jenn Mason, and Superintendent Greg  
Baker. Absent: Directors Camille Diaz Hackler and Katie Rose.

**Other Attendees**

- Shuksan Middle School staff, students and parents
- Executive Team members

**2.0 DISCUSSION**

Shuksan students shared, via video recordings, what they love about the AVID  
(Advancement Via Individual Determination) program. Assistant Principal Alli Hancock  
provided a lesson focusing on the power of recognizing and regulating emotions, from  
the RULER social emotional curriculum.

**3.1 Adjournment: 8:30 a.m.**

**Approved:**

Doug Benjamin, School Board President

**Attest:**

Greg Baker, Secretary to the Board

*Minutes approved: February 19, 2020*