Board of Directors Mission and Values

Mission Statement
We believe students should be empowered to develop their passions, critical thinking and collaborative skills. Further, we believe in the ability of all students to learn essential academic skills to be career and college ready. Our District will provide an educational environment that meets the diverse needs of each student; ensuring the opportunity to develop their individual potential to become a competent and contributing member of a global society.

Values and Beliefs About...

- **Students**: Every student deserves a high quality educational experience. We commit to encourage each students’ dreams, potential, drive and skills by providing opportunities to become career and college ready. We will make decisions based on what is best for our students.

- **Teaching**: We commit to support teachers in the rigorous application of research based practice, which should be relevant, engaging, and respectful. All students should be challenged and expected to reach their potential.

- **Learning**: Each person in the organization should be responsible for their own learning and growth. We acknowledge each student learns differently; staff will take the responsibility of meeting the needs of our diverse learners. We commit to expanding and improving programs and program offerings to meet the needs of students.

- **Community**: The Board and Administration will actively engage with community on an ongoing basis to provide opportunities for meaningful involvement.

- **Communication**: The Board, District and schools will promote positive virtues of the Tenino School District. We will communicate proactively by providing current and meaningful information to all stakeholders across all platforms.

- **Facilities**: All members of the District community will take pride and ownership of District facilities. The Board commits to maintaining and improving our facilities.

- **Fiscal Resources**: The Board is committed to the prudent use of our monies to support students and student achievement. We will look to expand revenue beyond State, Federal and local funding.

- **Extra-Curricular Activities and Athletics**: The Board supports the role Extra-Curricular Activities and Athletics play in enhancing the development of well-rounded students. Students and families will be encouraged to actively participate in athletics and activities.