

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Winner School District 59-2
High School Room 105
7:00 P.M. March 11, 2024

President Calhoon called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the pledge of allegiance.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mike Calhoon, Scott Meiners, Lynnelle Anderson, Rusty Blare, Julie Manke, Steve Kubik and Corey Audiss

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: None

SCHOOL PERSONNEL PRESENT: Keven Morehart, Brett Gardner, Brian Naasz, Kim DeMers, Cathy Ducheneaux, Diane Durrin, Ross Patmore, Monica Ellwanger, Lisa Jankauskas, and Ashley Duffy

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Matthew Calhoon, Sierra Wise, Jordan Drummond, Joey Anderson, Zac Olson, Abe Kaiser, Lilly Barfuss, Gracie Root, Olivia Swedlund, Kylie Sachtjen, Parker Mathis, Roper Moore, Amanda Edwards, Quincy Phillips and Dan Bechtold, Winner Advocate.

ALL MOTIONS CARRIED BY MAJORITY VOTE UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

RECEIVE PUBLIC INPUT: None.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEMS: Added item R1

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion made by S Meiners and seconded by L Anderson and carried to approve the amended agenda. 7-0

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion made by J Manke, seconded by R Blare and carried to approve minutes of February 12, 2024. 7-0

APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL REPORTS: Motion made by S Kubik, seconded by S Meiners and carried to approve financial reports. 7-0

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Motion made by S Meiners, seconded by L Anderson and carried to approve the bills as submitted by Business Manager Root. 7-0

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT: Leila Balsiger, Student Council President

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS: Kim Demers, Brett Gardner, and Brian Naasz

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT REPORT: Kim Demers

CONFLICT DISCLOSURES: None.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Motion made by L Anderson, seconded J Manke and carried to combine items A, B, L, M, R1 7-0
Approved the resignation of Reagan Nielsen as the Elementary Childhood/Elementary Special Education Teacher and thank her for her years of service.
Approved the resignation of Jayden Shoemaker as the Elementary Special Education Teacher and thank her for her service.
Approved the resignation of Keely Connot as the 5th grade Elementary teacher and thank her for her years of service.
Approved the resignation of Ben Connot as an Elementary para-professional and assistant boys basketball coach and thank him for his years of service.
Approved the resignation of Diane Mueller as the School Psychologist and thank her for her years of service.

- c. Motion made by R Blare, seconded by J Manke and carried to approve the Certified contracts as recommended by Superintendent Morehart as follows:
Larry Aaker, Kelly Assman, Haley Barfuss, Linda Bergjord, Skyler Best, Misty Brown, Austin Calhoon, Tracy Childress, Liane Christensen, Karyl Clay, Robin Curtis, Ashley Duffy, Judy Duffy, Diane Durrin, Monica Ellwanger, Jennifer Engel, Valerie Ewing, Lindsey Foster, Lucas Fredrick, Mark Gronlund, Lisa Jankauskas, Morgan Juracek, Carolyn Karlin-Storms, Amy Kartak, Jaime Kevin Keiser, Myrna King, Diane Kludt, Randy Klundt, Abigail Kuil, Misti Lapsley, Melanie Morehart, Nathan Naasz, Stacy Norrid, Spencer Novotny, Trent Olson, Ross Patmore, Bria Peppel, Jayd Schuyler, Michelle Sharkey, Shawn Soles, JoAnn Streifel, Tammy Sund, Sarah Taggart, Emily Tideman, Jolene Vavra, Lisa Vesely, Nicole Vogt, Rona Volmer, Taia Wickham, LaGrande Woods 7-0
- d. Motion made by R Blare, seconded by L Anderson and carried to approve extra-curricular contracts as recommended by Superintendent Morehart as the following:
Larry Aaker – Head Golf, Head Girls Basketball, Head Track; Kelly Assman – Special Teams Advisor; Haley Barfuss – MS/HS Student Council Advisor, Junior Class Advisor; Skyler Best – Asst. Softball Coach; Austin Calhoon – MS Boys Basketball Coach, Asst. Football Coach; Glenn Carlson – Asst. Varsity Track Coach; Tracy Childress – FFA Advisor; Kelli Curtis – MS Track Coach; Kim DeMers – School Improvement Committee Chair; Judy Duffy – Dual Credit E-Advisor; Diane Durrin – Speech Activities Director; Monica Ellwanger – Reading Olympics/Brain Brawl; Valerie Ewing – Junior Class Asst. Advisor, Head Competitive Cheer Coach, Cheerleading Advisor (FB), Graduation Advisor; Lindsey Foster – Asst. Varsity Trach Coach, HS/MS Quiz Bowl; Lusas Fredrick – 5-12 Band, MS/HS Vocal; Brett Gardner – Activities Director, Head Boys Basketball, MS AD; James Halverson – Head Girls Golf, Asst. Boys Golf; Stacy Halverson – Asst. Girls Golf; Kari Heenan – Yearbook Advisor; Elizabeth Jankauskas – GBB/BBB Sideline Cheer; Lisa Jankauskas – FCCLA Advisor, Academic Banquet/National Honors Society; Morgan Juracek – MS Volleyball; Carolyn Karlin-Storms – 7th Grade Volleyball; Jaime Keiser – Head VB Coach, Asst. HS Track Coach; Kevin Keiser – Asst. FB Coach; Myrna King – Elem. Vocal; Randy Kludt – Science Fair Director; Matt Lantz – MS Wrestling Coach; Misti Lapsley – Head Oral Interp; Bailey Meadors – Asst. Varsity Girls Basketball; Keven Morehart – MS Asst. FB Coach; Nathan Naasz – Asst. MS Basketball, Asst. Varsity FB Coach; Stacy Norrid – Head Girls Softball Coach; Spencer Novotny – Head Wrestling Coach, Asst. MS FB; Trent Olson – Head FB Coach; Dan Patmore – Play Technical Director; Ross Patmore – MS One Act Play; Jenna Phillips – Asst. Volleyball; Brayden Robbins – MS Wrestling Coach; Jayd Schuler – Asst. Varsity Wrestling, Asst. Track, Head Cross Country, Concession Advisor; Michelle Sharkey – Reading Olympics/Brain Brawl; Sarah Taggart – Contest One Act Play, Head Competitive Dance Coach, MS/HS Warriorette Advisor; Lori Weiland – Asst. Competitive Cheer Coach; LaGrande Woods – MS Reading Olympics 7-0
- e. Motion made by S Meiners and seconded by J Manke and carried to approve tabling contract with the Winner Playhouse 7-0
- f. Motion made by R Blare, seconded by S Meiners and carried to approve the 2024-2025 Capital Outlay Plan 7-0
- g. Motion made by R Blare, seconded by L Anderson and carried to approve authorizing Business Manager Root to advertise for school bids for Capital Outlay projects over bid limits. 7-0
- h. Motion made by S Meiners, seconded by J Manke and carried to approve opening negotiations with WEA. 7-0
- i. Motion made by S Meiners, seconded by R Blare and carried to approve the school calendar for 2024-25 school year. 7-0
- j. Motion made by S Kubik, seconded by S Meiners and carried to combine items J, O, P, Q 7-0
Approved offering Gail Curtis a contract for the 2024-2025 school year as a 3rd grade teacher
Approved offering Caitlyn Jelinek a contract for the 2024-2025 school year as a 5th grade teacher
Approved offering Marlie Schuyler a contract for the 2024-2025 school year as a Elementary Special Education Teacher
Approved offering Lexie Stenson a contract for the 2024-2025 school years as a Elementary Special Education Teacher
- k. Motion made by S Meiners and seconded by R Blare to approve offering a contract to Mandy Audiss as a 6th Grade Teacher for the 2024-2025 school year. 6-0 (C Audiss abstained)
- n. Motion made by R Blare and seconded by L Anderson and carried to approve offering a contract to Jessical Calhoon as a 5th grade teacher for the 2024-2025 school year. 6-0 (M Calhoon abstained)

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT: Superintendent Morehart updated the board on the following: Enrollment; Student activities; Maintenance of the Buildings; SAC Team meeting; Family Fun Night; Spring athletics; regional Superintendent meetings; Legislative updates.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion made by R Blare, seconded by S Meiners and carried to adjourn at 8:06 7-0

Cathy Ducheneaux
Administrative Secretary

Mike Calhoon
Chairman

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