

Quinter Public Schools USD 293
Official Minutes of Regular Board Meeting
March 8, 2021

Call to Order:

President Aaron Betz called the Regular Board of Education Meeting to order at 7:30pm. In attendance were Kristal Werth, Tiffany Gillespie, Shane Mann, Robert Herl and Tara Thornburg. Board member not in attendance was Giovanni Caasi. Also attending were Supt./Princ. Kurt Brown; Princ. Toby Countryman; Clerk Evone Waggoner; and Guest Esther Thielen.

Approval of Agenda:

Motion to approve the agenda as amended. Facility Rental was added under Superintendent's Report, Coach/Sponsor Contracts 21-22 was added under Personnel, and Trap Shooting Team Sponsor was added under Negotiations. Mann/Herl (m/s/c 5-0)

Information Report:

Tiffany Gillespie entered the board of education meeting at 7:32pm.

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the regular board of education meeting minutes of February 4, 2021 as amended. Herl/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Approval of Bills:

Motion to approve bill checks #25213 thru 25268 as presented. Herl/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

AD Report:

Mr. Countryman reported that WaKeeney would like to continue the wrestling cooperative agreement. JH track numbers: girls 21, boys 20. HS numbers are estimated at 45.

QTA Report: None

STUCO Report: None

NKESC Reports:

Shane Mann gave the NKESC Report.

Transportation Report:

Mr. Brown would like to discuss purchase of a school bus at the next meeting under capital projects.

Grade School Building Report:

Grade school 2nd grade conducted the wax museum. Reading and Math Curriculums are being researched by a committee. 2021-2022 teacher schedules are being tweaked. District will conduct State Assessments. Window opens on State Assessments on April 1st.

Junior-Senior School Building Report:

No students or staff are in quarantine or symptomatic since February 5th. Prom date has been moved to April 17th. Graduation for 2022 will be May 14th at 10:00am. KSHAA guidelines for track season were reviewed. Student/Staff Successes were presented. Chamber of Commerce annual mother/son corn hole tournament and father/daughter dance were discussed. Open positions: HS English, 8th grade sponsor, and play director. Philip G. Martin would like to give a \$500 scholarship for 20 years.

Action Item:

Motion to accept the scholarship donation from Philip G. Martin. Werth/Gillespie (m/s/c 6-0)

All School Building Report:

Daycare agreements were presented for approval. Boiler/radiator repairs have been done at the grade school. Dust Collection System in the woods building was discussed.

Action Item:

Motion to approve daycare agreements as presented. Betz/Mann (m/s/c 6-0)

Public Forum: None

Superintendent's Report:

State & Local Finance/Legislative Updates

ESSERS II funding: will be able to draw down on if documentation is completed. ESSERS III funding potentially still may be available. Strategic Plan was reviewed. The outside group Todd Becker Foundation wanting to rent the HS gym in January on a Wednesday was discussed.

New Business: None

Old Business:

Pandemic Response Plan review of temperature check stations, masks, and spring activities were discussed. Implementing a Trap Shooting Club was discussed.

Action Item:

Motion to approve removing temperature check stations; optional masks for students, staff and visitors; PT conferences in person; and allow field trips starting Wednesday, March 10th. Betz/Thornburg (m/s/c 6-0)

Motion to approve a Trap Shooting Club for high school students following approved KASB guidelines.

Mann/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Student Executive Session:

Board of Education went into executive session at 9:17pm.

Aaron Betz moved to go into executive session with Supt. Kurt Brown, and Princ. Toby Countryman to discuss out of district request pursuant to the exception relating to actions affecting a student under KOMA, and the open meeting will resume to the board room at 9:20pm. Betz/Mann (m/s/c 6-0)

The Board of Education meeting returned to open session at 9:20pm.

Negotiations:

Trap Shooting Club coach supplemental and Negotiations letter to be discussed in executive session.

Negotiations Executive Session:

Board of Education went into executive session at 9:23pm.

Robert Herl moved to enter into executive session with Supt. Kurt Brown and Princ. Toby Countryman present to discuss negotiation items pursuant to the exception for employer-employee negotiations under KOMA. The meeting will resume in the board room at 10:00pm. Mann/Herl (m/s/c 6-0)

Evone Waggoner entered the executive session at 9:43pm.

The Board of Education meeting returned to open session at 10:00pm.

Action Item:

Motion to approve adding a Trap Shoot Club coach supplemental at 3% to the negotiated agreement. Mann/Herl (m/s/c 6-0)

Motion to approve Candace Betz as a Trap Shoot Club coach. Werth/Mann (m/s/c 5-0-1) Betz ab.

Motion to approve negotiations letter as discussed. Herl/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Personnel:

Supplemental contracts were recommended for Andrea Hargitt, HS assistant track and Blake Selensky, JH assistant girls basketball.

Action Item:

Motion to approve Andrea Hargitt as HS assistant track coach and Blake Selensky as assistant JH girls' basketball coach.

Gillespie/Thornburg (m/s/c 6-0)

Personnel Executive Session:

Board of Education went into executive session at 10:03pm.

Aaron Betz moved to go into executive session with Supt. Kurt Brown, and Princ. Toby Countryman to discuss employee contracts/evaluations pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA, and the open meeting will resume to the board room at 10:30pm. Betz/Herl (m/s/c 6-0)

Toby Countryman and Kurt Brown left the executive session at 10:16 pm.

Kurt Brown entered the executive session at 10:23pm.

The Board of Education meeting returned to open session at 10:30pm.

Action Item:

Motion to extend administration contracts by one year. Betz/Herl (m/s/c 6-0)

Adjournment:

Aaron Betz adjourned the Board of Education meeting at 10:34pm.

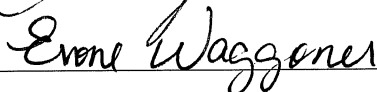
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