

Quinter Public Schools USD 293
Official Minutes of Regular Board Meeting
November 11, 2024

Call to Order:

President Aaron Betz called the Regular Board of Education Meeting to order at 7:31 pm. In attendance were Tiffany Gillespie, Kristal Werth, Robert Herl, Shane Mann and Stacey Anstaett. Member not in attendance was Jill Stewart. Also attending were Supt./Princ. Kurt Brown; Princ. Toby Countryman; Clerk Evone Waggoner; AD John Crist; Staff Candace Betz; Guest; Levi Getz, Greg Gillespie and Tyler Holder by Zoom.

Approval of Agenda:

Motion to approve the agenda as presented. Werth/Anstaett (m/s/c 6-0)

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the board of education regular meeting minutes of October 14, 2024 and special meeting minutes of October 29, 2024 as presented. Anstaett/Mann (m/s/c 6-0)

Approval of Bills:

Motion to approve bill checks #106 thru 109 Equity Bank and #380 thru 438 The Bank. Werth/Gillespie (m/s/c 6-0)

AD Report:

John Crist gave the AD Report. Sport competition results were presented. Winter sport athlete numbers: JH basketball – girls 13, boys 23; HS basketball – girls 10, boys 13; HS wrestling – 3 or 4 boys; JH wrestling – 1 boy, and 1 girl. Coaches, athletic directors, and pros/cons were presented on 6th grade participation in junior high sports.

NKESC Reports:

Stacey Anstaett gave the NKESC report.

Transportation Report:

EPA Bus Rebate/Grant was awarded to USD 293 for three electric & two propane new busses. Mr. Brown reached out to another district with an electric bus, and also checked the cost to insure. EPA reimbursement for busses that would fit in the bus barn will not cover the full cost of the busses so Mr. Brown recommended not purchasing electric busses at this time.

All School Building Report:

Candace Betz presented on Quinter's agriculture education

Superintendent's Report:

Bank bid forms received from Equity Bank and The Bank were reviewed.

Action Item:

Motion to accept bank bids: Equity bank for HS Activity checking and district idle funds checking; and The Bank for the district checking as received. Herl/Anstaett (m/s/c 6-0)

Old Business:

Tyler Holder with DCS joined the meeting by Zoom to review bid clarifications on HVAC units for phase I & II for the JHSH remodeling.

Action Item:

Motion to approve JHSH remodeling phases I & II HVAC/plumbing contract from Trato with Carrier HVAC units. Mann/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Information Report:

Board of education took a 3-minute break at 9:04pm.

Superintendent's Report Cont.:

KASB updated policy GAOE on Workers Compensation was reviewed. Dr. Valerie Brown-Kuchera is eligible to serve a four-year term as the Quinter Schools Library representative to the Northwest Kansas Library System Full Board. KSDE food service efficiency review report was tabled to the December meeting. Jill Stewart will attend the KASB annual convention on November 15-17.

Action Items:

Motion to approve updated KASB policy GAOE as presented. Gillespie/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Motion to approve Dr. Valerie Brown-Kuchera as the Quinter Schools Library representative to the Northwest Kansas Library System Full Board beginning on January 1, 2025 and expire on December 31, 2028. Anstaett/Mann (m/s/c 6-0)

New Business Continued:

Donations: GPCU \$1,500 for band room cabinets; Gene Tilton memorial \$10,035 for athletics or academic needs; Roetta Mann memorial \$4,805 for library books and educational materials.

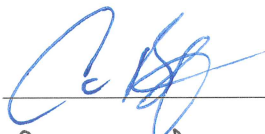
Action Item:

Motion to approve donations as presented. Anstaett/Werth (m/s/c 6-0)

Adjournment:

Aaron Betz adjourned the Board of Education meeting at 9:17pm.

President: _____



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Clerk: _____



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