

Board of Education Meeting
Stapleton Public Schools
District 57-0501
April 19, 2021

President Opela called the regular meeting of the Stapleton Public Schools Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 19, 2021, in the library at Stapleton Public Schools.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited; the board norms were read aloud.

President Opela observed Open Meeting Law requirements.

Burnside: Present, Kramer: Present, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Present, Schaeffer: Present, Walz: Present.

Moved by Rex Walz, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to to excuse Kim Kramer from the meeting. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by F. Kramer, seconded by Rich Burnside, to approve the board meeting agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Notice of the meeting was published in the Stapleton Enterprise on Thursday, April 15, 2021, and posted at five local business along with notice to the president of the board and all members prior to the meeting date.

President Opela asked if there was any public comment and referred to the guidelines in the agenda.

Moved by F. Kramer, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to approve the March 15, 2021, Regular Board Meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Kristy Opela, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to approve the claims as presented. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

The treasurer's report was presented by Superintendent Gaffney.

Lacy Kinderknecht gave her Community Liaisons' report which included: attended March Chamber meeting with Jr. Chamber members, also helped along with NHS members with Easter egg hunt, summer activities, discussion on family night at golf course in May, Walk at Lunch Day on April 28th, Foundation meeting tomorrow and wrapping up gala and continue to share pictures and articles with newspaper and website.

The Activities Director's report given by Jason Wehnes included the following: congratulations to State Speech duet (Hannah Burnside & Trinity Hansen) 6th place and Informative Speaking (Trinity Hansen) 4th, track and golf have begun with some weather interruptions: Boys Track 12 members, Girls Track 7 and Golf 11, and NSAA spring sports guidelines.

Principal Walker's report included: Reading, implementation of PBIS schoolwide, Blue and Gold Graduation cords for 6 students that earned 12 or more credits with MPCC, Nebraska Health Standards, targeted summer school and 2021-2022 school calendar.

Building and Grounds had opening of the bids for the new building and now waiting on next phase.

Coop Committee updated items at their last meeting.

Brenda Monson, K-6 Special Education Teacher, presented to the board what is happening with curriculum for the SPED students.

The Board discussed targeted summer school and possible transportation and also proposed health standards in the Legislature with a letter to be sent in regards to the board and administrations stand on items in the bill.

Moved by Kristy Opela, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to to hold back bids on two glass doors and the beveled mirror in chance they can be used in the remodel and addition. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by F. Kramer, seconded by Rich Burnside, to award sealed bids to Wes Easter \$22/ea for 28 black mats, Rex Walz \$10/ea for 14 blue mats, Jim Opela \$201 for shop fan, and Howard Gaffney \$30 for office door. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rex Walz, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to approve Eric Kloke as the Athletic/Activities Director for 2021-2022. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Nay, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rich Burnside, seconded by Rex Walz, to approve 2021-2022 school calendar as presented. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rich Burnside, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to table 2021-2022 Extra Duty Assignments until next meeting. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rex Walz, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to approve maintenance salary contract with Keifer Burke for the 2021-22 school year. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rich Burnside, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to purchase custodial supplies in the amount of \$9266 from Spiffy Cleaners as presented. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rich Burnside, seconded by Rex Walz, to to approve 2021-2022 certified contract with Joni Morash for elementary position. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rich Burnside, seconded by Rex Walz, to to approve 2021-2022 certified contract with Carly Kulp for secondary math position. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Nay, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

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Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Nay, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Rex Walz, seconded by Steve Schaeffer, to table action on building project. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Absent, Opela: Aye, Schaeffer: Aye, Walz: Aye

Superintendent Gaffney's report presented information on the following: average cost to educate students comparing with surrounding districts, art room sink with clay traps, ESSER grants, chrome book purchase through grant, and Legislative bills and concerns.

The next regular board meeting will be held on Monday, May 17, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. in the library at Stapleton Public Schools.

President Opela adjourned the meeting at 8:56 p.m.

Kim Kramer, Secretary