

Board of Education Meeting  
Stapleton Public Schools  
District 57-0501  
July 17, 2023

President F. Kramer called the regular meeting of the Stapleton Public Schools Board of Education to order at 7:20 p.m. on Monday, July 17, 2023, in the library at Stapleton Public Schools.

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

President F. Kramer observed Open Meeting Law requirements.

Rich Burnside: Present, Chance Connell: Present, Kim K. Kramer: Present, Frank F. Kramer: Present, Kristy Opela: Present, Rex Walz: Present.

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

Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Notice of the meeting was published in the Stapleton Enterprise on Thursday, July 13, 2023, and posted at five local businesses along with notice to the president of the board and all members prior to the meeting date.

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

Community members addressed the board and welcomed the new 7-12 Principal to the community.

Moved by K. Kramer, seconded by Opela, to approve the June 19, 2023, Regular Board Meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Burnside, seconded by Connell, to approve the claims with approval of NRCSA enrollment for the board as presented with invoice for JCC Truck LLC withheld. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Burnside, seconded by K. Kramer, to pay JCC Trucks invoice. Motion carried.

Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Abstain (With Conflict), Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

The treasurer's report was presented by Superintendent Redinger.

Bryan Regier gave his Community Liaisons' report which included:  
There was no report given by community liaison.

The Activities Director's report given by Jeremiah Johnson included the following: morning weight attendance with athletes and coaches, reaching out to staff through email that he is now available and asked if there was anything the board would like him to report on in his future reports.

Principal Johnson's report included: meetings with superintendent and guidance counselor to familiarize himself with the school and also reaching out to staff.

The Board Curriculum and School Improvement Committee gave highlights on their meeting they had before the board meeting tonight. Areas of curriculum being reviewed are elementary reading, math and social and mental health.

Superintendent Redinger's report presented information on the following: 2022-2023 leave report, sport cooperative update and he experienced a great vacation.

Moved by Burnside, seconded by Walz, to approve winter coaching assignments as presented with Bo McVay for boys basketball and Bridget Weems for girls basketball. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Kramer, seconded by Connell, to approve contracting of propane purchases for 2023-24 with Dan's Propane for \$1.55 per gallon maximum cost with costs possibly being lower throughout the year with \$15,000 down payment. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Opela, seconded by Burnside, to approve review and accept Board of Education Policy #5018 - Parent and Guardian Involvement In Education Practices. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Kramer, seconded by Burnside, to approve review and accept Board of Education Policy #5045 Student Fees. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by K. Kramer, seconded by Kramer, to approve increase of compensation for substitute teachers to \$145/day and \$75/half day of 1-4 periods. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Connell, seconded by K. Kramer, to approve long term consecutive substitute pay at \$155 for days 6-15 and base pay for 16 plus days. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

The purchase of a wheelchair accessible vehicle was discussed. Moved by Walz, seconded by Opela, to allow discretion of superintendent to purchase a wheelchair accessible vehicle. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

Moved by Walz, seconded by Connell, to approve the 2023-24 Student/Parent Handbook as presented with addition of the cell phone policy. Motion carried.  
Burnside: Aye, Connell: Aye, K. Kramer: Aye, Kramer: Aye, Opela: Aye, Walz: Aye

The next regular board meeting will be held on Monday, August 21, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. in the library at Stapleton Public Schools.

President F. Kramer adjourned the meeting at 8:24 p.m.

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Kim Kramer, Secretary