

MINUTES - REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

August 26, 2020

6:30 P.M.

Educational Services Center

The Board of Education of the Bloomington Public Schools, School District 87, McLean County, Illinois, met in Regular Session.

Ms. Wilma Gleason, Board Secretary, established a quorum and the following Members were present: Mr. James Almeda, Ms. Kiasha Henry, Mrs. Tammy Houtzel, Mr. Charles Irwin, Mr. Mark Wylie, and Ms. Brigette Beasley, Board President.

Present from the administrative staff were Dr. Barry Reilly, Dr. Colin Manahan, Ms. Sherri Thomas, and Dr. Diane Wolf.

It was moved by Mrs. Houtzel, seconded by Mr. Irwin, that the Board approve the August 12, 2020 Regular Board of Education Meeting Minutes. Upon a roll call vote, Almeda, Beasley, Houtzel, Irwin and Wylie voted "Aye"; Henry abstained due to absence on August 12, 2020. Motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mrs. Houtzel, that the Board approve the August 12, 2020 Closed Session Board of Education Meeting Minutes. Upon a roll call vote, Almeda, Beasley, Houtzel, Irwin and Wylie voted "Aye"; Henry abstained due to absence on August 12, 2020. Motion carried.

The Board and Administration thanked Ms. Jan Meadows from the Back to School Alliance for donating backpacks and school supplies for District 87 students.

Mr. Almeda attended New Teacher welcome meeting via Zoom. His son attended BJHS' orientation meeting.

Ms. Beasley attended the New Teacher welcome meeting via Zoom. She thanked the administration for all of the work in planning for 2020-21.

Mr. Irwin attended the New Teacher welcome meeting via Zoom.

Mr. Wylie reported his daughter attended Oakland's 5th grade orientation meeting.

The Board and Administration recognized and thanked Ms. Jan Meadows from the Back to School Alliance for backpacks and school supplies donated for District 87 students.

Dr. Reilly presented Board policies 2:125 Board Member Compensation: Expenses; 2:160 Board Attorney; 5:60 Expenses; 5:150 Personnel Records; 5:280 Duties and Qualifications; 6:135 Accelerated Placement Program; and 7:70 Attendance and Truancy for first reading.

It was moved by Mr. Almeda, seconded by Mr. Irwin, that the Board approve the Consent Agenda (Human Resources, Bills, FOIA Report, Financial Summary, Treasurer's Report). Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 8-26-20/1)

Dr. Reilly stated that teachers completed professional development the week of August 17-21, students attend orientation sessions August 24-28, and remote learning begins August 31st. The district has enrolled approximately 5,000 students. 569 students are enrolled at BACC.

Board action resolutions related to bond funding were moved to the September 9, 2020 Board meeting agenda.

It was moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Ms. Henry, to adjourn this meeting of the Board of Education. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

President

Secretary