

MINUTES - REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

June 15, 2022 6:30 P.M. Bloomington High School

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Ms. Wilma Gleason, Board Secretary, established a quorum and the following Members were present: Mr. James Almeda, Ms. Elizabeth Fox Anvick, Mrs. Brigette Gibson, Mr. Charles Irwin, Mr. Fitzgerald Samedy, and Mr. Mark Wylie, Board President.

Present from the administrative staff were Dr. Barry Reilly, Mr. Michael Cornale, and Ms. Sherri Thomas.

Dr. Reilly was recognized for his 32 years of service to District 87 by former Board of Education President, Mr. John Dirks. Mr. Dirks read comments prepared by Dr. Robert Nielsen, former District 87 Superintendent. Mr. Dan Brady and Mr. Wylie also recognized Dr. Reilly for his years of service. Several current and former Board of Education members and administrators were in attendance.

A public hearing was held on the FY22 Amended Budget. Mr. Cornale stated that the notice was in the Pantagraph on May 12, 2022. The amended budget as presented has not changed since it was presented in May.

It was moved by Ms. Fox Anvick, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, that the Board approve the May 11, 2022, Regular Board Meeting minutes. Upon a roll call vote, Almeda, Fox Anvick, Gibson, Irwin, and Wylie voted "Aye". Samedy abstained due to absence on May 11, 2022. Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the May 11, 2022, Closed Session Board Meeting minutes. Upon a roll call vote, Almeda, Fox Anvick, Gibson, Irwin, and Wylie voted "Aye". Samedy abstained due to absence on May 11, 2022. Motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Almeda, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, to adjourn sine die. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:46 pm.

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It was moved by Dr. Irwin, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that Wilma Gleason be appointed temporary Secretary. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the Resolution to Fill Vacancy in Board of Education appointing Ms. Velda Harvey to complete Tammy Houtel's term which expires in April 2023. The vacancy was created by Mrs. Houtzel's resignation due to moving outside of District 87. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/1)

Ms. Harvey recited the Oath of Office; the Board and Administration welcomed and congratulated her.

It was moved by Mr. Almeda, seconded by Mr. Irwin, that Mr. Wylie be elected President of the Board of Education. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Mr. Almeda, that Ms. Fox Anvick be elected Board Vice President. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Irwin, seconded by Mr. Samedy, that Ms. Gleason be appointed Secretary of the Board of Education. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that Mr. Cornale be appointed Treasurer of the Board of Education. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the Appointment of Ad Hoc Committees and Other Appointments as deemed appropriate by the Board President. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried.

Mr. Almeda attended BJHS' Uknighthed student recognition breakfast; Mr. Lockenvitz' farewell at Washington Elementary; BHS' Oath of Enlistment for students entering the Armed Forces; BHS Senior Carnival; staff recognitions at Washington, Oakland, BHS/ACC; and BHS graduation.

Ms. Fox Anvick attended the Balanced Calendar Committee meeting. Beyond the Books' grants were awarded at individual schools. She attended BJHS' Uknighthed breakfast; Mr. Lockenvitz' farewell at Washington; BJHS Honors Society induction; staff recognitions at Raymond, BJHS, BHS/ACC, Bent, Irving, Sheridan, Stevenson, and Washington; Sheridan Sharktastic event; Washington St. Jude Run; Washington Carnival; Washington 3rd Grade Egg Drop; BHS Future Teacher Signing; Bent virtual talent show; BHS graduation; and Washington 5th Grade Honors Day.

Mrs. Gibson attended a Board Policy Committee meeting. She attended Mr. Lockenvitz' farewell at Washington; BJHS' Uknighthed breakfast; BHS graduation; Bent's virtual talent show; and staff recognitions at Oakland and Sheridan.

Ms. Harvey attended Washington's staff recognitions, Sheridan Sharktastic event, and BHS Oath of Enlistment Ceremony.

Mr. Irwin attended the Balanced Calendar Committee meeting; Regional Planning Commission's Transportation Committee meeting; and the Committee planning meeting. He attended BJHS' Uknighthed breakfast; BHS Honors Achievement; BHS Oath of Enlistment Ceremony; BHS Graduation; and staff recognitions at Bent, Sheridan and Washington. He reminded those in attendance that the deadline to complete the McLean County Regional Planning Commission's transportation survey is June 30th. The survey can be accessed on the Regional Planning Commission's website as well as at the Bloomington Public library.

Mr. Wylie attended a Policy Committee meeting. He attended BJHS' Uknighthed breakfast; BHS' Oath of Enlistment; staff recognitions at BJHS, Irving, and Washington; BHS Graduation; BHS Honors Night; Mr. Lockenvitz' farwell at Washington; BJHS track sectionals; and BHS Lacrosse banquet.

Mr. Tom Frazier presented the FY23 Regional Vocational System/Area Career Center tentative budgets.

Dr. Reilly presented Board of Education policies for 5-year review/minor changes as follows:

- 3.70 Succession of Authority
- 4.70 Resource Conservation
- 5.40 Communicable and Chronic Infectious Disease
- 5.70 Religious Holidays
- 5.110 Recognition for Service
- 5.140 Solicitation by or from Staff
- 5.240 Suspension
- 6.70 Teaching About Religions
- 6.80 Teaching About Controversial Issues
- 6.140 Education of Homeless Children
- 6.290 Homework
- 6.330 Achievement and Awards
- 7.15 Student and Family Privacy Rights
- 7.270 Administering Medicine to Students

Dr. Reilly presented Board of Education policies as follows for 1st reading:

- 2.230 Public Participation and School Board Meetings and Petitions to the Board
- 5.80 Court Duty
- 7.285 Anaphylaxis Prevention, Response, and Management Program

It was moved by Mr. Irwin, seconded by Mr. Samedy, that the Board approve the Consent Agenda (Human Resources, Bills, FOIA Report, Payroll, Treasurer's Report, Financial Summary, Bill Payment Cycle Resolution, Fund Balance Interest Resolution, HIPAA Opt-Out, 2022-23 Group Medical Rates, FY23 Excess Workers Compensation Insurance Renewal Recommendation, BACC Interfund Loan). Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/2)

Dr. Reilly introduced Mrs. Leslie Albee and Ms. Jen Mangreum. Ms. Mangreum will be an Assistant Principal at BJHS; Mrs. Albee will be the Assistant Director of Human Resources. The Board and Administration welcomed them to District 87.

Dr. Reilly attended the recent press conference at Ferraro Candy Factory announcing the company's expansion. This comes on the heels of the district's collaboration with the Economic

Development Council. The expansion is all within District 87 boundaries and will greatly benefit our community.

Dr. Reilly stated that Washington's community garden was vandalized. Scott Miller from WJBC reported this on his show and community outpouring and support has been incredible. Students, teachers, businesses, and members of the community have repaired and replaced plants and trees in the garden.

Dr. Reilly thanked many with whom he has worked the past 32 years including former and current administrators, teachers, staff, union representatives, school resource officers, and Board members during his 32 years. He welcomed Velede Harvey as the new Board of Education member.

It was moved by Mr. Samedy, seconded by Mr. Almeda, that the Board approve the FY22 Amended Budget. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye." Motion carried. (See with Original minutes, 6-15-22/3)

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the Board of Education policies as follows which were presented for 5-year review/minor changes. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/4)

It was moved by Ms. Fox Anvick, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, that the Board approve the E-Learning Plan. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/5)

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the FY23 RVS/ACC Tentative Budget Resolution. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/6)

It was moved by Mr. Irwin, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, that the Board approve the IHSA Membership Renewal. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/7)

It was moved by Mr. Almeda, seconded by Mr. Samedy, that the Board approve the Food Service Agreements (Regional Office of Education; High Roads). Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/8)

It was moved by Mrs. Gibson, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the BEA Letter of Understanding - Dance and E-Sports Coach Stipends). Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/9)

It was moved by Mr. Irwin, seconded by Ms. Fox Anvick, that the Board approve the Second Presbyterian Church Parking Lot Agreement. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/10)

It was moved by Ms. Fox Anvick, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, that the Board approve the FY23 Copier Lease Agreement. Upon a roll call vote, all Members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. (See with Original Minutes, 6-15-22/11)

Public Comment:

Julie Riley, Bloomington Education Association President, thanked Dr. Reilly for his years of dedicated service to District 87 and congratulated him on his retirement.

It was moved by Ms. Fox Anvick, seconded by Mrs. Gibson, 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 7:39 p.m.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:
