

Kearsley Community Schools  
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

Kearsley Community Schools  
Weston Elementary  
2499 Cashin St.  
Burton, MI 48509

**November 13, 2017**

**Meeting Minutes**

Present: Board of Education: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill,  
C. Langworthy, C. Wade

Administration: P. Yorks, K. Walworth

Absent: None

President C. Boggs called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

17-052 Motion by D. Joubran, supported by J. Natzke to approve the October 9, 2017 Board of Education Regular meeting minutes.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

17-053 Motion by D. Joubran, supported by J. Natzke to approve the October 23, 2017 Board of Education Work Session meeting minutes.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

17-054 Motion by D. Joubran, supported by J. Natzke to approve the agenda.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

**Presentations:**

\*Mrs. Simms & Mrs. Pumphrey's first graders did a presentation honoring Mr. Dennis Ackerman for making a Buddy Bench for Weston.

### **Manifest of Bills:**

17-055 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by D. Joubran to approve the manifest of bills.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

### **Communications:**

\*D. Alburtus read a "Thank You" note from Karen Aagesen which expressed Mrs. Aagesen's appreciation for all of her years at Kearsley. She thanked the high school administrators for her exemplary treatment as the grand marshal for homecoming.

### **Citizens' Comments:**

\*Brian Weidman - Expressed concerns about the fire alarm system not working at Weston.

\* Sarah Tola - Expressed concerns about the fire alarm system not working at Weston.

\*Jennifer Smith - Expressed concerns about the fire alarm system not working at Weston and about the doors being unlocked on 10/31/17.

\*Robin Peake - Expressed concerns about the fire alarm system not working at Weston and about the doors being unlocked on 10/31/17.

### **Personnel & Labor Relations:**

17-056 Motion by R. Hill, supported by J. Natzke to approve the Personnel Report.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

### **Buildings & Grounds:**

17-057 Motion by C. Langworthy, supported by D. Joubran to approve the bid of \$83,291.00 from Capital City for the purchase of two (2) buses, based on the MSBO Bid Documents.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

17-058 Motion by C. Langworthy, supported by D. Joubran to approve the bid of \$121,739.00 from Culinary Products for the AMS Food Service Equipment update project.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

**Finance:**

\*None

**Athletics, Activities & Transportation:**

\*None

**Policy & Community Relations:**

\*None

**Programs, Materials & Curriculum**

\*None

**Items from Student Representative - Barbara Hawes**

\*1st Marking Period has come to an end. Only three marking periods left for seniors.

\*Parent/Teacher conferences went well.

\*Thursday, 11/16/17 at 7:00 p.m. are the NHS Inductions at the high school.

\*First DECA meeting is 11/15/17.

\*Student Council will be meeting on 11/16/17.

\*Sports tryouts for the Winter season have begun.

**Items from Administration:**

\*K. Walworth: Thanked Mr. Hibbs, Mrs. Pumphrey, Mrs. Simms & Mrs. Taylor for hosting the meeting and for the presentations. He thanked Mr. Ackerman for his dedication to the community. He thanked the board for their support with the bus purchase bid and the food service equipment bid. He noted that the AMS Robotics program was incredible and that Mrs. Bowman did a great job with the event. He noted that he attended the Coach of the Year honors for Rob Ploof and congratulated him. He thanked Mr. & Mrs. Michalik for helping to get Cashin St. resurfaced so quickly.

\*P. Yorks: Thanked Mr. Hibbs and his staff for hosting. She thanked Mr. Ackerman for his dedication to the Community. She reminded the board that the November work session will begin at 5:00 p.m. instead of 6:30 p.m. in order to start the process of reviewing the Neola policies. She informed the board that former student, Santino Guerra, won a political seat in Flint. She reminded the board of the NHS Inductions on Thursday, 11/16/17 at 7:00 p.m. She thanked the parents for coming to the board meeting to express their concerns and reassured them that the safety of the students is the number one priority of the district.

**Items from the Board of Education:**

\*D. Alburton: Thanked Mr. Hibbs and Mr. Ackerman and commended the children for their performance. She noted that she is looking forward to the winter sport season.

\*D. Joubran: Thanked the community for voicing their concerns and noted that she has confidence in the administration and the board to address their concerns.

\*R. Hill: Noted that the Student Council did a nice job hosting a fundraiser at Buffalo Wild Wings. He informed the board that he and Dr. Wade attended the MASB Leadership Conference and passed out the "Board of Education Governing Standards".

C.Langworthy: Thanked the community for coming to the board meeting to express their concerns. He noted that the Robotics event was amazing.

- C. Wade: Commended the children on their performance. He made some suggestions for the board members that he learned about at the MASB Leadership Conference.
- J. Natzke: Thanked Mr. Hibbs and his staff for hosting.
- C. Boggs: Thanked the community for coming to the board meeting and noted that the safety of the children is the district's number one priority.

17-059 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by D. Joubran to adjourn at 8:03 p.m.

Ayes: C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, D. Alburtus, R. Hill, C. Langworthy, C. Wade  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Motion carried.

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Debra Alburtus, Board of Education Secretary

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December 11, 2017