

Proceedings

October 8, 2012

The school board of Clark School District #12-2 convened in regular session in the library on Monday, October 8, 2012 at 6:30 pm. The following members were in attendance, Michelle Mehlberg, Bob Steffen, Kim Seefeldt, Trudi Gaikowski & Amy Sass. Also in attendance was: Superintendent-Brian Heupel, Principal- Jerry Hartley, Business Manager-Heidi Sigdestad, and Courier reporter-Bill Krikac. Visitors included, Lonna Deslauriers, Brent Forest, John Arthur, Karen Arthur, Annette Helken, Bob Bjerke, Julie Foster, Brenda Jenkins, Kevin Petersen, Jeff Olson, and Bonnie Kloster.

2013-043

Chairman Mehlberg called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

2013-044

Moved by Seefeldt and seconded by Sass to approve the following agenda with the addition of F. 3. 9-10 Exit Audit Review scheduled for 4:15 pm Tuesday, October 09, 2012.

The board heard delegations; Bob Bjerke addressed the board about his concern of the sale of land south of the practice football field. John Arthur and Julie Foster also addressed the board about the same issue. Jeff Olson spoke for the elevator and the purchase of the land.

Lonna Deslauriers presented the school program showcase this month. She addressed the school board about the new school lunch guidelines that went into place this school year.

2013-045

Moved by Steffen and seconded by Gaikowski to approve the minutes from September 10, 2012 regular board meeting.

2013-046

Moved by Seefeldt and seconded by Sass to approve the minutes from September 17, 2012 special board meeting.

2013-047

Moved by Steffen and seconded by Seefeldt to approve the financial reports for the month of September.

2013-048

Moved by Sass and seconded by Gaikowski to approve the claim list presented for payment.

The Exit Audit Review for years 9-10 is scheduled for 4:15 pm, October 9, in the library.

The land sale was discussed by the school board. After a brief discussion the board voted 4-1 to rescind the motion to declare the land surplus. Those voting to rescind were Sass, Seefeldt, Gaikowski, and Steffen. Mehlberg voted against rescinding the motion. The board will look at selling a small piece of land that would square off the land with the elevator.

The board discussed four professional development opportunities coming up. There is a regional ASBSD meeting in Wilmot on October 24, School Law Seminar in Sioux Falls on October 25, Board of Governance Workshop in Clark on November 7, and NESC informational meeting in Watertown on November 14.

2013-049

Moved by Seefeldt and seconded by Steffen to pay \$135 towards Rodney Freeman's national conference dues in exchange for legal advice over the phone along with annual memorandum regarding terminations and non-renewal of tenured and probationary teachers.

The school board discussed how they are going to review the policy manual. Beginning in December they are going to look at the first three sections of the manual.

Initiated Measures 15 and 16 were discussed by the school board. The school board agreed to sustain efforts of the administration to support measure 15 and defeat measure 16.

The following staff and students were recognized by the school board: Elementary staff for reaching "Exemplary" status under the new accountability model. To reach this status a school has to be in the top 5% of the schools in the

state. In this case the elementary schools. Katlyn Maynard for being, "Middle School Student of the Month." All state chorus-Kathryn Paulson, Laura Alexander, Skylar Flatten, Harrison Wookey, Jamie Finstad, Lindsey Helken, Mikal Kirkeby, Cody Wookey, Braxton Hartley.

Reports were given by Superintendent, Heupel: Mr. Heupel and Mr. Hartley will be attending an administrator's common core meeting in Pierre on Wednesday, October 10, 2012.

Administration discussed with the school board about sportsmanship. The board gave their support to the administration on their efforts to maintain good sportsmanship and how they are supervising our crowd at sporting events.

Secondary Principal, Hartley: addressed the board about music trips and fundraisers. It is the intent of the music department to cut back on the number of fundraisers they currently do.

Business Manager, Heidi: discussed her trip to Pierre in September to the SDASBO Fall Conference. She recognized that October 15-19 is National School Lunch Week and would like to recognize the cooks for all of their hard work and great lunches they provide to students and staff.

2013-050

Motion by Seefeldt and seconded by Steffen to adjourn the October 8, 2012 regular meeting at 8:14 pm.

ATTEST  
Michelle Mehlberg  
Board Chairperson

Heidi Sigdestad  
Business Manager