

Board of Education Regular Meeting

Monday, June 15, 2020 8:05 PM

Public School Library

506 W. 9th Street

Dorchester, NE 68343-0007

Notice of the time and place of the Dorchester Board of Education meeting was published in a newspaper of general circulation within the district. Newspapers of general circulation in the district include, but are not necessarily limited to, the Crete News, the Lincoln Journal Star, or the Omaha World-Herald. Notice is also posted in at least three prominent places within the school district which may include the following: Dorchester Public Schools, Farmers Coop, First State Bank, and the Village Office. Individual board members received in advance the meeting agenda and meeting materials. Pursuant to Section 84-1412 of the Nebraska Statutes, the public is hereby informed that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted in the Board meeting boardroom.

Matthew Hansen: Present

Mike Hatfield: Present

Neal Pavlish: Present

Carol Schnell: Present

Kelli Schweitzer: Present

Steve Vyhnalek: Present

1. Call to Order and Announce Open Meetings Act Verification

The meeting was called to order at 8:14pm by President Steve Vyhnalek.

2. Roll Call

Also present are Superintendent Daryl Schrunk, incoming Principal Jake Wiese and Linda Woolsey. Karma Ridpath is a virtual visitor during her presentation.

3. Receive Visitors and Announce Open Forum for Public Comment

No visitors present.

3.1. Presentation by Mrs. Ridpath

Mrs. Karma Ridpath presented via Zoom Title 1 policies used at Dorchester Public School. All applicable policies are located on the Dorchester school website. Mrs. Ridpath shared information on Title 1 Intervention Participation for the 2019-2020 school year. A Title 1 Peer Review may be scheduled in the 2020-2021 school year.

4. Request for Change of Agenda

No request for change of agenda.

5. Approval of the Minutes of the Last Meeting(s)

Motion to approve the reading of the last meeting minutes Passed with a motion by Kelli Schweitzer and a second by Matthew Hansen.

Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea, Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

6. Financial Report

Motion to approve the financial report Passed with a motion by Carol Schnell and a second by Mike Hatfield.

Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea, Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

7. Reports

7.1. Principal's Report

7.1.1. Introduce Mr. Jake Wiese, new PK-12 Principal.

The Board welcomed Mr. Jake Wiese as our new PK-12 Principal.

7.2. Superintendent's Report

Mr. Schrunk reported on the east hallway carpet installation and roof repairs. The gym floor refinishing will begin the week of June 22nd. The Data Retreat Days for school improvement have been postponed until this fall. Students are in the school for Summer School, which started today, running June 15-19. The second week of Summer School will be held July 20-24.

8. Discussion Items

8.1. First Reading of Board of Education Policies #2002 - Organization of Board, Board Officers, and Check Signing; #3039 - Threat Assessment and Response; #3046 - Animals at School; #3055 - School Resource Officers; #5016 - Student Records; #5035 - Student Discipline; #5054 - Student Bullying; #6020 - Multicultural Education; #6021 - District Criteria for Selecting Evaluators to be Used for Special Education Evaluation; and #6033 - Restraint and Seclusion.

Mr. Schrunk presented the first reading for several policies. Changes had been made by KSB School Law. Policies reviewed are #2002 - Organization of Board Officers and Check Signing, #3039 - Threat Assessment and Response, #3046 - Animals at School, #3055 - School Resource Officers, #5016 - Student Records, #5035 - Student Discipline, #5054 - Student Bullying, #6020 - Multicultural Education, #6021 - District Criteria for Selecting Evaluators to be used for Special Education Evaluations and #6033 - Restraint and Seclusion.

9. Action Items

9.1. Approve Participation in the 2020-2021 School Lunch and Breakfast Programs with Jake Wiese as Determining Official and Daryl Schrunk as Hearing Officer.

Motion to approve the District's participation in the 2020-2021 School Lunch and Breakfast Programs with Jake Wiese as Determining Official and Daryl Schrunk as Hearing Officer Passed with a motion by Matthew Hansen and a second by Kelli Schweitzer.

Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea, Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

9.2. Consider Approving Meal Prices for the 2020-2021 School Year.

Motion to increase meal prices by \$0.10 for the 2020-2021 school year Passed with a motion by Carol Schnell and a second by Mike Hatfield.

Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea, Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

9.3. Consider approval of revisions to Board of Education Policy #4003 - Drug Policy Regarding Drivers.

Motion to approve the revisions to Board of Education Policy #4003 - Drug Policy Regarding Drivers Passed with a motion by Mike Hatfield and a second by Matthew Hansen.

Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea, Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

This is another policy needing revised after the D.O.T. Compliance Review. Recommended changes are highlighted in yellow.

9.4. Consider approving Board of Education Policy #5052 - School Wellness.

This is just a review. No changes made. Therefore, no action necessary.

10. Board Committee Report(s)

10.1. Setup meeting with Transportation Committee (Mike, Neal, & Steve) to review the fleet.

Meeting date to be determined.

11. Closed Session (as necessary per statute)

Not necessary at this time.

12. Establish Future Board of Education Meeting Date(s) and Time(s)

The next scheduled board meeting is Monday, July 13, at 8:00 p.m. in the Library.

13. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn at 9:59pm Passed with a motion by Matthew Hansen and a second by Kelli Schweitzer.
Matthew Hansen: Yea, Mike Hatfield: Yea, Neal Pavlish: Yea, Carol Schnell: Yea, Kelli Schweitzer: Yea,
Steve Vyhnalek: Yea

Carol Schnell?(s) Carol Schnell, Secretary of the Board of Education