

COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2
CRAWFORD COUNTY ROBINSON, ILLINOIS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
Central office
March 15, 2021
5:30pm – Regular Meeting

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

1. Bill Sandiford
2. Dennis Inboden - Zoom
3. Amy Stone
4. Veronica Murphy
5. Mary Jane Parker
6. Mike Elliott

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

1. Chad Brown

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT:

1. Josh Quick - Superintendent
2. Jason Stark – WES Principal
3. Kathy Bemont – LGS Principal- Zoom
4. Craig Beals – NMS Principal
5. Victoria McDonald – RHS Principal
6. Bob Coffman – RHS Assistant Principal - Zoom
7. Jamie Rains – Special Services Director - Zoom

OTHERS ATTENDING:

1. Carla Sinclair - School Board Secretary
2. Susan Trimble – Treasurer - Zoom
3. Angie Elliott - CUSD #2 Bookkeeper – Zoom
4. Gary Oxford – CUSD #2 Bookkeeper
5. Randy Harrison - News Media - Zoom
6. CUTEA Representatives – Holly Gallagher and Sarah Hemrich - Zoom
7. Angela Langley – Zoom
8. Brenda Sutfin
9. Macy Sutfin

10. Jennifer McKee
11. Kathy Staller
12. Joy Wernz
13. Jody Strauch
14. Jerry Lawhead
15. Hillary Lawhead
16. Janette Rosborough
17. Valerie Austin
18. Casey Pinnell
19. Tracy Weber
20. Valerie Shidler
21. Angie Newlin

President Sandiford called the March regular board meeting to order at 5:30 pm. After pledge and roll call, Sandiford welcomed all attending.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Parker and seconded by Murphy to approve the consent agenda (including prior minutes (February 16, 2021 and March 9, 2021), March bills payable, treasurer's report, employee attendance reports, student attendance report, employments, retirement, and resignations). Roll call vote: Yeas – Stone, Elliott, Inboden, Parker, Murphy, and Sandiford. Nays – none. Motion carried.

By consent motion, the Board approved the following employments:

- Kylie Littlejohn – Part-Time Nurse/ Health Aid
- Katie Madrid – NMS Special Education Teacher – Effective 8/18/21
- Taryn Monti – Elementary Math Intervention – Effective 8/18/21
- Tina Shipman – LGS After School Tutor
- Jennifer McKee – LGS After School Tutor
- Tarita Siler – LGS After School Tutor
- Stephanie Dean – LGS After School Tutor

- Kaitlyn Kubiak – LGS After School Tutor
- Kristine Tuel – LGS After School Tutor
- Melinda Daugherty – LGS After School Tutor
- Teresa Gower – LGS After School Tutor

By consent motion, the Board approved the following retirement:

- LeAnne Harp – LGS 3rd Grade Teacher – Effective 25-26 School Year

By consent motion, the Board approved the following resignations:

- Chad Adams – WES Evening Custodian – Effective 2/25/21

By consent motion, the Board approved the revised 2020-2021 School Calendar.

By consent motion, the Board approved the 2nd reading of policies.

UNIT #2 DISTRICT UPDATES/ PUBLIC COMMENT:

CUTEA Co-President Holly Gallagher thanked Mr. Quick and the Board for the wellness opportunities for the staff.

Mrs. McDonald, RHS principal, gave a power point presentation concerning the options for the May 15, 2021 graduation. The ceremony will depend on capacity size restrictions to whether the event will be inside or outside. The event will be live streamed on the school website. Several parents asked questions concerning the graduation.

OLD BUSINESS

A motion was made by Stone and seconded by Elliott to approve the bid from Freitag-Weinhardt for the RHS boiler replacement (\$51,500.00) and authorized Superintendent Quick to complete the necessary contacts. Roll call vote: Yeas – Elliott, Inboden, Parker, Murphy, Stone, and Sandiford. Nays – none. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Inboden and seconded by Stone to direct Superintendent Quick to use Option 2 recommendations for the upcoming negotiations with CUTEA:

- NMS XC Assistant - \$1513.00
 - NMS Yearbook - \$1513.00
 - RHS Assistant Softball – 3rd - \$2459.00
 - RHS Assistant Baseball – 3rd - \$ 2459.00
 - RHS Assistant Girls Tennis - \$ 4255.00
 - RHS Boys Basketball – 3rd - \$2459.00
 - RHS Assistant XC - \$2459.00
 - NMS Assistant Track - \$4255.00
- TOTAL -\$21,372.00

Roll call vote: Yeas – Inboden, Parker, Murphy, Stone, Elliott, and Sandiford.
Nays – none. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Elliott and seconded by Parker to allow outdoor public use of school facilities with COVID guidelines being followed under the conditions of Board Policy 8:20. Roll call vote: Yeas – Murphy, Stone, Elliott, Parker, and Sandiford. Nays –Inboden. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made by Stone and seconded by Elliott to approve the purchase of (2) used buses for FY22. Roll call vote: Yeas – Stone, Elliott, Inboden, Parker, Murphy, and Sandiford. Nays – none. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Murphy and seconded by Parker to approve the 2021-2022 School Calendar as presented. Roll call vote: Yeas –Inboden, Parker, Murphy, Stone, Elliott, and Sandiford. Nays – none. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Inboden and seconded by Stone to renew our contract with Opa! Food Management to provide food service management services for the 21-22 school year. Roll call vote: Yeas – Inboden, Parker, Murphy, Stone, Elliott, and Sandiford. Nays – none. Motion carried.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT


Superintendent Quick told the Board:

- CUSD #2 Property Locations and Descriptions
- COVID 19 Update – No new cases
- Nearly 80% of Unit #2 Staff have been vaccinated
- Wellness Opportunities: Yoga Classes and Final Call nutrition and fitness classes

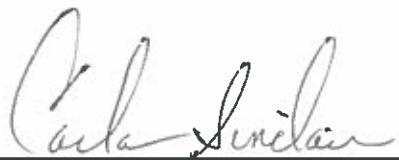
Congratulations to the 7th grade volleyball team, 8th grade volleyball team, and the RHS Scholastic Bowl Team.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Murphy and seconded by Inboden. Roll call vote: Yeas – Murphy, Stone, Elliott, Inboden, Parker, and Sandiford. Nays –none. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:22pm.

The next regular school board meeting will be held on Monday, April 19, 2021 at 5:30pm at the Central Office.



Bill Sandiford, School Board President



Carla Sinclair, School Board Secretary