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# **Board of Education Meeting Minutes**

February 4, 2019, 6:00 p.m., Dansville Schools Board of Education Meeting Room Mike Kapp, 2018-2019 President, kappm@dansville.org

A rescheduled regular meeting of the Dansville Schools Board of Education was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Superintendent Amy Hodgson.

Members Present:	Trustee Tim Bolles, President Mike Kapp, Trustee Dave Lilly, Treasurer Chad Minnis, Vice President Chris Schmidt, Trustee Candy Sherwood, Secretary Mark Slabaugh, Student Representative Janna Wildermuth
Administrators:	Elementary Principal Andy Cox, Assistant Secondary Principal Erin Graf, Secondary Principal Tania Dupuis, Superintendent Amy Hodgson

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mrs. Hodgson administered the Oath of Office to newly elected board member Mr. Bolles and newly reelected board member Mr. Lilly.

## **BOARD ORGANIZATION**

Mr. Kapp provided an overview of the board policy requiring an election of a temporary chairperson to conduct officer elections. Mrs. Hodgson called for nominations. Mr. Lilly nominated Mr. Kapp to serve as temporary chairperson.

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

Motion by Mr. Minnis, seconded by Mr. Bolles, to nominate the following officers:

- Mike Kapp President
- Chris Schmidt Vice President

- Mark Slabaugh Secretary
- Chad Minnis Treasurer

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

Mr. Kapp noted that board committee assignments would remain as is.

## **APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Mr. Kapp added the topic of Asset Manager to Other Discussion items.

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Mr. Gene Ulrey, Bunkerhill Township Supervisor, congratulated the board on successfully implementing the recent facility improvement project.

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#### **SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS**

- Board Appreciation Month
  - Mrs. Sandy Hunt introduced Middle School Student Council members Ms. Maddie West and Ms. Abagail Cox, who thanked the board on behalf of the middle school staff and students.
  - Mr. Cox thanked the board on behalf of the elementary school staff and students.
  - Mr. Caleb Hodgson thanked the board on behalf of the high school staff and students and presented a video made by the Media Production Class.
  - Mrs. Hodgson thanked the board on behalf of the district and presented Mr. Lilly with a 15-year service pin.

#### REPORTS

- Student Representative Report
  - o Mrs. Hodgson introduced Student Representative Ms. Janna Wildermuth.
  - Ms. Wildermuth gave an overview of the Homecoming White Out T-Shirts, including the positivity activity, as well as the PALS Coat Drive benefiting Homeless Angels, student perception of the new gym and the upcoming Greg Mack Memorial Basketball Game.
- Superintendent Report
  - Mrs. Hodgson gave an overview of efforts to potentially prepare the softball and baseball fields for use this spring, as well as Kindergarten Round-Up communication efforts, creation of a promotional district video and the new Aggie App.
  - Mrs. Hodgson commended Ms. Dupuis for her efforts related to the new Aggie App.
  - Mrs. Sherwood asked for an update regarding STEAM room, which was provided by Mrs. Hodgson.
- Principal Reports
  - o Middle School Behavior Summary Data August 2018 Present
  - o High School Behavior Summary Data August 2018 Present
- Board Reports
- Other Reports
  - o Ingham School Officers Association Executive Board Meeting Minutes

## **ACTION ITEMS**

- Motion by Mr. Slabaugh, seconded by Mr. Lilly, to approve the Consent Agenda Items 1-8 as presented.
  - o 7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed
- Motion by Mr. Slabaugh, seconded by Mrs. Sherwood, to approve the Revision 1 Budget Amendments as presented.
  7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed
- Motion by Mr. Lilly, seconded by Mr. Minnis, to approve the School Designations as presented.
  7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed
- Motion by Mr. Bolles, seconded by Mr. Slabaugh, to Adopt Resolution to call Special Election for May 2019 Sinking Funds Proposal and Approve Ballot Language as presented.

## **Role Call Vote**

Bolles - Yes	Minnis - Yes
Kapp - Yes	Schmidt - Yes
Lilly - Yes	Sherwood - Yes

Slabaugh - Yes

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

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#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Review of Student Activity Accounts

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Mr. Ulrey asked for the board's plan to address bus safety. Mrs. Hodgson gave an overview of the district's ongoing efforts with the Ingham County Sheriff's Department and Dean Transportation.

## **OTHER DISCUSSION**

 Motion by Mr. Schmidt, seconded by Mr. Lilly, to enter into closed session for the purpose of discussing a matter pertaining to attorney/client privilege.

#### **Role Call Vote**

Bolles - Yes Kapp - Yes Lilly - Yes Minnis - Yes Schmidt - Yes Sherwood - Yes

Slabaugh - Yes

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

The Board adjourned to closed session at 6:53 p.m.

The Board returned to open session at 7:36 p.m.

Mr. Kapp provided information regarding Mrs. Hodgson's extra duties as it relates to facility management and the construction project and proposed a stipend as it relates to her role as Asset Manager, as well as adjustments to her existing stipends for Special Education Coordinator and Athletic Supervisor.

Motion by Mr. Schmidt, seconded by Mr. Slabaugh, to move Asset Manager / Superintendent Stipends to immediate action.

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

Motion by Mr. Schmidt, seconded by Lilly, to approve Asset Manager / Superintendent Stipends as presented

7 yes, 0 no, Motion passed

The meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark Slabaugh, Board Secretary