

Blissfield Community Schools

2022-2023

Special Meeting

May 15, 2023

A Special Meeting of the Board of Education of the Blissfield Community School District was held Monday, May 15, 2023 in the High School Media Center. Board President, Brewer called the meeting to order. Members present: Craig Bettis, David Brewer, Vicki Lombard and Denise Mallory. Members Absent: Andrew Borchardt, Jennifer Stutzman and Tyler Wyse. Others present: Superintendent Riley, Executive Assistant, Susan Gniewkowski and members of the public.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the Regular Meeting Agenda.

Approval of Agenda

Motion Carried.

Discussion took place regarding the candidates David Pray (Clinton), Paula Holtz (Tecumseh) and Barbara Korican (Tecumseh) who are running for the LISD Board of Education.

Consideration of Candidates
LISD Election

No comments.

Comments from Audience

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to adjourn the meeting at 7:09pm.

Adjournment

Motion Carried.

Secretary

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Regular Meeting

May 15, 2023

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Blissfield Community School District was held Monday, May 15, 2023 in the High School Media Center. Board President, Brewer called the meeting to order. Members present: Craig Bettis, David Brewer, Vicki Lombard and Denise Mallory. Members Absent: Andrew Borchardt, Jennifer Stutzman and Tyler Wyse. Others present: Superintendent Riley, Executive Assistant, Susan Gniewkowski and members of the public.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Malloyr to approve the Regular Meeting Agenda.

Approval of Agenda

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on April 17, 2023.

Approval Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion Carried.

Student Council President, Riley Buckmaster updated the Board on Student Council and varies Club activates, as well as introducing Peyton Dew, whom will be the new Student Council President for the 2023-2024 school year.

Student Council

The Board recognized Cris Rupp as the District Employee of the Month for May.

Educational Highlights

Middle School Principal, Laura Denkins, provided highlights of a variety of events that have occurred thus far for the 2022-2023 school year.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Mallory to approve payment of the General Fund bills in the amount of \$1,153,163.47.

Payments of Invoices

Motion Carried.

It was moved Bettis and supported by Mallory to approve the 2023-2024 LISD Budget as presented during their Budget Hearing.

2023-24 LISD Budget Resolution

Ayes: Bettis, Brewer, Lombard, Mallory

Nays: None

Absent: Borchardt, Stutzman, Wyse

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Mallory and supported by Bettis to approve the Shared Business Services Agreement with the LISD for the time period of June 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024.

Cooperative Shared Business Services Agreement

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the Letters of Agreements between Blissfield Community Schools and the Lenawee County Education Association Affiliated with the BEA, MEA/NEA for the 2023-2024 school year.

BEA Letter of Agreements

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to approve the revised 2022-2023 calendar, which was revised on April 19, 2023.

2022-2023 Calendar

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Lombard to select David Pray and Paula Holtz for LISD Board candidates and Denise Mallory as the representative to attend the LISD Biennial election in order to vote.

LISD Biennial Election Resolution

It was then moved by Bettis to amend the motion to select David Pray and Paula Holtz for LISD Board candidates and Denise Mallory as the representative to attend the LISD Biennial election in order to vote and select Craig Bettis as the alternate board member to attend if Denise Mallory is unable to attend.

Ayes: Bettis, Brewer, Lombard, Mallory

Nays: None

Absent: Borchardt, Stutzman, Wyse

Motion Carried

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the retirement of Kathy Miller from her position of elementary aide.

Personnel

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to accept the resignation of Callie Phillips from her position of 5th grade teacher.

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Mallory to approve the hiring of Andrew Ford for the position of high school social studies teacher.

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to approve the hiring of Alex Lipka for the position of high school physical education teacher.

Motion Carried.

It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the hiring of Ryan Love for the position of 5th grade teacher.

Motion Carried.

None at this time.

Committee Reports

None at this time.

Comments from Audience

Superintendent Riley updated the Board on items being worked on by the District School Improvement Team. They are in the process of defining what it means for Student Engagement, working with PBIS, which is a good guide on this. He thanked the community for their support of the recent bond passing and feels the future looks bright for BCS. Parking lot upgrade will be done over the summer with monies from the Sinking Fund, not the Bond Fund.

Superintendent's Report

It was moved by Bettis and supported by Mallory to adjourn the meeting at 7:50pm.

Adjournment

Motion Carried.

Secretary