

SHELDON R-VIII BOARD OF EDUCATION

Meeting Type: Open Session
Date: January 13, 2021

Location: FACS Room
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Board Members Present:

Mrs. Moran
Mr. Leininger
Mr. Sprenkle
Mr. Lamb
Mrs. Byram
Mrs. Claflin
Mr. Nance

Administration Present:

Mr. Irwin
Mrs. Compton

Others:

Ms. Renda Armstrong
Mr. Franklin-NDM

At 7:10 p.m., Mr. Lamb called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Byram made a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Nance seconded the motion and the motion passed 7-0.

Ms. Armstrong reviewed the audit for the board. Mrs. Moran made a motion to approve the audit. Mr. Sprenkle seconded the motion and the motion carried 7-0.

Mrs. Moran made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Mrs. Claflin seconded the motion and the motion carried 7-0.

After some discussion, Mrs. Byram made a motion to pay the bills. Mr. Leininger seconded the motion and the motion carried 7-0.

Mr. Irwin reviewed the balance and budget for the board.

Mr. Irwin gave the board an update on the COVID situation. Mr. Irwin discussed with the board the EPSL Act which ended on 12/31/21. After some discussion, the board decided to adopt a resolution to extend the EPSL. Mr. Nance made a motion to adopt the resolution, Mr. Sprenkle seconded the motion and the motion carried 7-0. Mr. Irwin discussed with the board the feedback he has received from teachers and staff about moving to 4 day school weeks. We will be sending a survey out to the community to get their feedback.

Mr. Irwin informed the board he has received 4 bids for window replacements for the high school. After some discussion, it was decided to wait on replacing the windows.

The board discussed whether or not the seniors will be able to take a trip this year. No decisions were made, due to the pandemic a decision cannot be made at this time.

Mr. Irwin gave the A.D. report, reviewing the basketball season so far this year. Homecoming will be held on January 22nd, but there will not be a dance. The arrangements for the district tournament were also discussed.

Mrs. Compton gave her report to the board. (see attached)

Mr. Irwin informed the board that he and Mrs. Compton will be participating in a training webinar for Title IX. Mr. Irwin discussed with the board current legislation covered in the MSBA monthly report. State assessment tests will take place this year. Mr. Irwin also informed the board that some of the school organizations may be helping the YMCA with food distribution to earn \$1000. Board appreciation week is February 14th through the 20th and the CTA will provide the board with a meal for the February meeting to show their appreciation.

At 8:48 Mr. Nance made a motion to move to closed session after a 5 minute break. Mr. Sprenkle seconded the motion and the motion carried with the following votes: Mr. Sprenkle-yes, Mr. Leininger-yes, Mrs. Moran-yes, Mrs. Byram-yes, Mrs. Claflin-yes, Mr. Nance-yes, and Mr. Lamb-yes.

At 9:25 the board came out of closed session and adjourned following a motion by Mr. Nance, seconded by Mrs. Moran. The motion carried with the following votes: Mrs. Moran-yes, Mrs. Claflin-yes, Mr. Leininger-yes, Mr. Sprenkle-yes, Mrs. Byram-yes, Mr. Lamb-yes, and Mr. Nance-yes. Meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Board President

Board Secretary

Date

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Sheldon R-VIII School District
Principal's Report- Carolyn Compton
Board Meeting- January 13, 2021

		Current	Last Month	Last Year
Attendance: December	Elementary	96.34%	96.62%	95.67%
	High School	96.98%	94.26%	94.28%
Year to Date:				
	Elementary	96.21%	96.18%	96.26%
	High School	94.38%	93.83%	95.26%
	Overall	95.34%	95.05%	95.79%

Activities:

January 7th was the PreK- 3rd grade music and Jr High and High School band concert
 No school on January 18th in observance of Dr. King
 No School February 1st for a PD day

