Pine Grove Area School District



Committee of the Whole Meeting October 15, 2024 Middle School Library

Board President

Mr. Dave Lukasewicz Mr. Heath W. Renninger Superintendent

1. CALL TO ORDER - meeting was called to order at 5:41 pm by Vice President Donald E. Brown, Jr.

In Attendance: Donald E. Brown, Jr., Sasha Primeau, Randy Stump, Lauren Potter, J.T. Herber, Dave Lukasewicz (arrived 6:14 pm), Heath Renninger, Jodie Dermo, Joanne Brindle, Mike Janicelli, Bernie Kelly, Stephanie Ziegmont, Kerri Clauser, Corey Mentzer, Bill Kimber, Sandy Burns, Todd Lengle, Henry Snyder, Kim Pribilla, Alex Dubbs, Lori Roshannon, Donna Medeiros, Jolene Schneck, Joshua Zelinsky, Amber Holland.

- 2. DR. ZIEGMONT AND CURRICULUM SCIENCE FACILITATORS- Dr. Ziegmont talked about the new science STEEL Standards and presented to the Board the McGraw Hill Inspire Curriculum for Grade K-5 that the district will be asking to purchase and the Amplify Science Curriculum for Grades 6-8. Teachers Mrs. Medeiros, Ms. Schneck and Mrs. Holland explained why they chose the curriculum for the elementary school. Mrs. Roshannon explained what they may be looking to do in the high school with the science curriculum. A zoom session was held with representatives from the curriculum companies. On a motion by R. Stump, seconded by S. Primeau the Board decided to put a motion on the Thursday night agenda to purchase these Items for a 6-year commitment. Vote was Unanimous
- 3. DR. ZIEGMONT WONDERS READING SERIES AND AGE OF LEARNING Steph explained to the Board that the Wonders Reading Series will expire at the end of the 2024-2025 school year. Teachers are comfortable with this program and would like to extend it. The series will be extended for two years and the money will come from the curriculum budget.

Steph also presented to the Board the Age of Learning Program. This program is for PreK to 4 students and is an after school program that they can do at home with the parents. It is free for 2 years with no commitment. It will be on Thursday nights agenda for approval.

REVIEW OF THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024 MEETING AGENDA - The Board 4. reviewed the agenda for Thursday night and decided to make a motion by R. Stump seconded by J.T. Herber to: Approve the Illuminated Integration Change Order 1 in the amount of \$9,358.00. This change will replace the manual winch option for the stage screen with an electric tork winch option due to existing building conditions. Raising and lowering the screen will avoid damage when not being used and allow better viewing during different types of events. This cost will be taken from the Board approved Auditorium Improvement Project Contingency Fund. Vote was Unanimous

The Board decided to advertise for a Buildings & Grounds Meeting to be held on November 12, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the district office conference room.

5. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u> - On a motion by J.T. Herber, seconded by R. Stump the meeting adjourned at 7:07 pm.

Joanne Brindle Board Secretary