MINUTES

Boulder Elementary School District No. 7

May 13, 2019 Regular Meeting Boulder Elementary School

Board members present:

Bob Warfle Eric Rykal Carrie Harris Matt Strozewski

Administrators present:

Maria Pace, Superintendent/Principal

Britton Mann, Clerk

Visitors: Anika McCauley, Jessie Harris, Jeyden Sullivan

CALL ELEMENTARY

The Elementary Board was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Bob, who led the Pledge

BOARD TO ORDER of Allegiance.

AGENDA REVIEW None

CANVAS ELECTION The election was cancelled by acclamation.

CONSENT AGENDA Eric motioned to approve claims and warrants with the prior month ending with

> warrant # 8257 and the current warrant numbers 8256-8301 in the amount of \$99,301.56. Carrie seconded, all present approved. Carrie motioned to approve the

minutes for April 2019, Eric seconded, all present approved.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

SEATING OF **TRUSTEES**

Peg Hasner left her position and was replaced by Matt Strozewski. Matt will sit on the board for a three (3) year term. Anika McCauley was in attendance to swear

Matt in as a trustee.

BOARD

Bob motioned to appoint Eric Rykal as the new board chair and Carrie Harris as the REORGANIZATION

new Vice Chair. Carrie seconded, all present approved.

APPOINTMENT OF

CLERK

Carrie Harris motioned to appoint Britton Mann as the clerk for Boulder Elementary, Bob seconded all present approved. Anika McCauley was in attendance to swear

Britton Mann in as the clerk.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Leadership – Chair and Vice chair: Eric Rykal and Carrie Harris

Handbook/Policy - Bob Warfle and Matt Strozewski

Budget/Finance and Negotiations/Personnel - Carrie Harris and Eric Rykal

Facilities - Bob Warfle and Matt Strozewski

Transportation -

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters - Letter of resignation was received from Trustee Christine Schultz.

Student Issues - None

COMMENDATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS Ms. Pace wanted to recognize Mr. Bowman and Mr. Hesford for the Wizard of Oz

play. The whole school attended and the students were a great audience.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Leadership - Eric Rykal & Carrie Harris: The committee did meet and discussed the following:

1. Rochelle Hesford and Susie Hartman completed a needs assessment for the green house.

2. Year-end Budget

- 3. Roof and Facilities assessment
- 4. 19/20 School staffing.
- 5. Football coop numbers with Clancy.
- 6. Set the agenda

Handbook/Policy – Bob Warfle & Matt Strozewski: This committee did not meet. **Budget/Finance and Negotiations/Personnel** – Carrie Harris and Eric Rykal: This committee did meet. The committee recommended to increase the pay for Ms. Pace by 2.5% and also increase her cell phone reimbursement from \$600 a year to \$1000 a year. She will keep the same insurance, employee and children, and put a freeze on salary increase for the next 2 years.

Facilities – Bob Warfle & Eric Rykal – This committee did not meet. **Transportation** – Eric Rykal & Bob Warfle: The committee did not meet.

ADMINISTRATORS REPORT

Ms. Pace provided notes to be added to the official minutes.

Jessie Harris and Jeyden Sullivan from the student council were present to discuss ideas from the student council. They are planning a spirit week towards the end of school. They have established a drama club and those participants are talking with Mr. Hesford at JHS about some high school students working with the Jr High students on drama. They have been approved to have a hat day. This will be used as a fundraiser and the student council is still working out the logistics.

NEW BUSINESS

Personnel -

- a. <u>Long term substitute</u> Ms. Pace recommended Jackson Ballard for this position. Mrs. Peterson will be out the remainder of the year. Bob motioned to accept the recommendation presented by Ms. Pace, Carrie seconded, all present approved.
- b. Appointment of Certified Staff and Grade Level Ms. Pace explained the Reading Specialist position and stated that it would be paid through the literacy grant. Eric asked how it was going with Mrs. Sullivan as part tome assistant principal. Ms. Pace stated that is was going really good. Carrie motioned to accept the staff and grade assignments as presented with the additional position to advertise. Matt seconded, all present approved.
- c. Renewal / Non-Renewal of Classified Staff Ms. Pace recommended rehiring all current classified staff. Eric asked how many para's we had prior to introducing Intermountain to the school. Ms. Pace stated that last year we had 6 para's assigned and this year we are down to 4. Matt asked what was Intermountain. Ms. Pace stated that it was a self-contained classroom for students who needed extra help emotionally or behaviorally. The staff consists of a counselor, teacher and aide. Carrie motioned to approve the classified staff presented, Bob seconded, all present approved.
- d. <u>Athletic Director / On site Tech Assistant</u> Carrie motioned to approve Jason Sullivan as the athletic Director and Sarina Eckman as the on-site Tech Assistant. Matt seconded, all present approved. Ms. Pace explained the contract the school has with Schoolhouse IT.
- e. <u>Coaching Position</u> Mr. Bowman let Ms. Pace know that was not interested in the boys basketball assistant coach position this year. Ms. Pace will advertise in house for any applicants and if there is no interest she will advertise in the Monitor.

Non Resident Student Acceptance – Standing Agenda Item – None Liquidation of School Property – Standing Agenda Item - None Food Corps Update – Standing Agenda Item – None.

Board Vacancy – Christine Schultz resigned her position as a trustee. Bob motioned to accept her letter of resignation. Carries seconded the motion which passed unanimously. Eric asked if Ms. Pace would be able to send out a message on the school messenger system along with advertising in the Monitor. Ms. Pace stated that she would find out from MTSBA if that was allowed.

Social Studies Curriculum Grades 4-8 – Carrie motioned to approve the $4^{th} - 8^{th}$ grade social studies curriculum in the amount of \$11,159.05. Bob seconded the motions, all present approved.

Graduation – 8th grade graduation will be held on June 6th at 6:00 in the gym. **Resolution** – Matt motioned to pass a resolution to have Jefferson County run the

19/20 school election. Bob seconded, all present approved.

TOPICS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

Nonresident Students

TR4's

Policies

Superintendent Contract Cancel July Meeting

MOU for Basin and JHS Food Program Foods Contract with Basin and JHS

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 6:37

Chair, Elementary Board

Clerk, Elementary Board