

GEORGE-LITTLE ROCK COMMUNITY SCHOOL
BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES
July 14, 2014

The George-Little Rock Board of Education met in regular session on July 14, 2014 in the Family/Consumer Science room at Little Rock. Board President Amy Jurrens called the meeting to order at 6:04 P.M. and the pledge of alleiance was recited. Board members present were Doug Krull, Ryan Klingenberg, Wade Netten, and Curt Fiedler. Also present were Superintendent Steve Barber, Secretary Delinda Kruger, and guests Valecia West, Virginia Klaassen, and Jan Schilling.

Under board recognition, Mr. Barber thanked Sudenga Industries for painting the lockers from the wrestling locker room. The George Chamber of Commerce was appreciative of the use of all the facilities for the July 4th celebration. He also recognized all of the individuals from the Mustang Booster Club who worked during the ball games, and extended congratulations to both the softball and baseball teams on their success this season.

A motion was made by Krull, seconded by Fiedler, and carried 5-0 to approve the agenda with a change to Item M - the closed session will not be held.

The resignation received from Deb Bathke was omitted from the June 9 minutes. A motion was made by Netten, seconded by Krull, and carried 5-0 to approve the minutes with the correction.

The list of bills was presented for approval. There was some discussion regarding the increase of \$1,000 for the park rental from the Little Rock Town & Country Club. Krull moved to approve the bills as presented, Fiedler seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

A motion was made by Klingenberg, seconded by Netten, and carried 5-0 to acknowledge the receipt of the financial reports.

The Northwest AEA board briefs from June 16 were reviewed.

Resignations were received from Jeff Jager-Middle School Football coach, and Jill Netten-para. A motion was made by Krull, seconded by Fiedler, and carried 5-0 to approve and thank them for their dedication to the students and the district.

A motion to approve the following contracts was made by Klingenberg, seconded by Krull, and carried 5-0: Levi Judge, Assistant Girls' Basketball-\$2,880; Josh Rockhill, .5 Industrial Tech-\$15,000; Stacie VerSteege, increase from .77 to 1.0 FTE; and Jennifer VanderVeen, Middle School Girls' Basketball-\$1,500.

Mr. Barber updated the board on the progress of the summer projects including the sprinkler system and windows at the George Elementary. The sidewalk project will be postponed until next year. The band/choir room at Little Rock will have air conditioning installed. The carpet has been ordered for the library at Little Rock. All current route buses will have cameras

installed by the start of school, and the new bus will have a camera as well. The installation of lights on the softball diamond at George was discussed, and the consensus of the board was that the costs would be excessive.

The revenue purposes for the Lyon County Riverboat Foundation were reviewed. Several suggestions were discussed, including changing #3 to "Nutrition program for students"; change #5 to "Supporting the Backpack Program"; and under #6 - Transportation - adding A. "Field trips/Co-curricular activities". A motion was made by Klingenberg, seconded by Krull, and carried 5-0 to approve.

A motion was made by Klingenberg, seconded by Netten, and carried 5-0 to approve the Parent-Student Handbook for 2014-15.

The 2014 IASB Legislative Resolutions were presented for board consideration. A motion was made by Krull, seconded by Klingenberg, and carried 5-0 to submit the five chosen priorities to IASB.

A motion was made by Netten, seconded by Klingenberg, and carried 5-0 to advertise the 1997 Bluebird bus for sale by sealed bids with a minimum of \$1200.

A request was received from Curt and Lori Fiedler to use a school vehicle to take cross-country students to a running camp in Spearfish, SD from July 23-26. A motion to approve was made by Klingenberg and seconded by Krull. Voting aye were Klingenberg, Krull, Netten, and Jurrens. Abstained: Curt Fiedler Motion carried 4-0.

The board discussed the one-year extension of the Superintendent contract.

The next meeting will be held on August 11 at 7:00 P.M. in George.

A motion to adjourn was made by Krull, seconded by Netten and carried 5-0.