Mission Statement

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Vision Statement

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BOARD MEMBERS

President- Leslie Nielsen Vice Pres- Kurt Douglas Secretary- Annette Webber Director- Sam Tolley Director – Joyce Key

RANGELY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-4 Board of Education Tuesday, September 16, 2014 EARLY EDUCATION CENTER 6:15P.M. Minutes

1. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 6:17pm by President Nielsen

BOARD'S CORE VALUES

Respect Focus Transparency Achievement

2. Roll Call

Key, Nielsen, Webber, Douglas (late)- present; Tolley - absent

3. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance

NOTES

Your insights are needed and welcomed and the board encourages you to meet with the most appropriate person among the district's many leaders.

Public participation is an opportunity to present brief comments or questions to the board for consideration or follow-up. Each person is asked to focus comments to five minutes and sign in on the podium.

The consent agenda is based around "need for action" decisions which are highly routine or backed by prior information and discussion.

If you are interested in helping the district's efforts, please speak with any member of the district or call the district office at 675-2207. Opportunities abound and your participation is highly desired.

4. Approval of Agenda

Recommended Motion: To approve the Agenda as presented

MOTION: Key SECOND: Webber ROLL CALL: All ayes

5. Approval of Consent Agenda

The Consent agenda allows the Board of Education to act on several items in one motion. If you would like to comment on any of these items please notify the board by registering on the sign-in sheet.

- 5.1 Approval of board meeting minutes for August 19, 2014
- 5.2 Personnel Addendum
- 6.3 Approval of financial information located at <u>www.rangelyk12.org</u> for the month of August, 2014.

Recommended Motion: To approve the Consent Agenda as presented

MOTION: Key SECOND: Webber ROLL CALL: All ayes

6. Recognitions

6.1 McKenzie Webber

Mr. Scoggins recognized McKenzie Webber for the great job of painting the Panther Paws along the schools. She did a great job!

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7. Requests to Address the Board

None

8. Reports from superintendent, administrators and committees

8.1 Parkview Elementary – Mike Kruger, Principal

- Mr. Kruger reported to the board that the student count as of today is 327.
- He is interviewing for the PE Teacher and will make a decision soon.
- The Moral Focus is "WISDOM" and the 5th grade did a great video on it, 4th grade will finish the Moral Focus.
- PTO meeting is Sept. 22nd at 6pm in the Panther Den
- PT conference will be October 7th & 9th (1st 5th) and Nov. 4th & 6th (Kindergarten)
- 8.2 RJSHS Kevin Gates, Principal Absent
- 8.3 BOCES Teresa Schott, Director
- Ms. Schott reported to the board that they had combined the afternoon preschool classes due to low enrollment. Ms. Neddy and Rosa will be working with Rebecca Savage and Teresa Staley since the numbers are up at PVE.
- Induction training on the 24th then on the 26th & 27th will be the new teacher induction.
- GT is going well

8.4 Superintendent Report – Matthew Scoggins

- Mr. Scoggins stated that the fact that we have less funding to work with is challenging and we need
 to keep the Colorado Funding in front of people. We have a community that has been very helpful
 and we have been able to deal with some, but over the last 3-4 yrs., with the negative factor, we
 are well over &1,000,000 behind where we should be if they were funding at the level they are
 required to.
- Our digital sign was delivered today and we will be getting that up within the next month.
- The new TV's are here and being utilized for the communication for the district.
- Air-conditioning units are up and working well
- Attended a Superintendent conference was good, depending on who gets on the state board their opinion that they would do away with the PARK test (which replaces TCAP).
- Communication work hard on getting articles in the paper on a regular bases and have been sending out the "Panther Reporter" each week.

9. Discussion/Action items:

- 9.1 CASB's Annual Delegate Assembly (appoint board member to serve as a voting delegate)
 The board discussed and decided not to send a delegate.
- 9.2 1st reading of legally required policies
 - 9.2.1 KDB Public's right to Know/Freedom of Information

No changes

9.3 Final reading and adoption of revised policies

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- 9.3.1 JEA Compulsory Attendance Ages
- 9.3.2 JFC Student Withdrawal from School/Dropouts

No questions or comments

9.4 District Performance Framework/Assessments

The board discussed the assessments and felt the students are being over accessed and would like to check into what tests are required/mandated and if we could do less testing.

- 9.5 Initial Distribution of Policies for Revision(changes required by law)
 - 9.5.1 JFBA Intra-District Choice/Open Enrollment
 - 9.5.2 JFBA-R Intra-District Choice/Open Enrollment Regulation
 - 9.5.3 JFBB Inter-District Choice/Open Enrollment
 - 9.5.4 JFBB-R Inter-District Choice/Open Enrollment Regulation
 - 9.5.5 JH Student Absences and Excuses
 - 9.5.6 JHB Truancy

10. Action items

a. Policies - JEA and JFC

Recommended Motion: To approve the revised policies JEA and JFC

MOTION: Key SECOND: Douglas ROLL CALL: All ayes

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:41pm

Submitted by

Shari Plummer, District Board Secretary

Date Submitted

Approved by

Leslie Nielsen, Board President

Date Approved