

Minutes of the Public Hearing of June 15, 2022

The Board of Education of Community Unit School District No. 1, Coles and Cumberland Counties, convened for a Public Hearing on Wednesday, June 15, 2022 at the Administration Building – 410 West Polk Avenue, Charleston, IL 61920.

At 6:18pm, Dr. Clarke serving as President Pro-Tem called the meeting to order and asked Secretary Daniels for roll call.

The following members were present:

Scott Clarke, Vice President
Susan Daniels, Secretary
Charles Jarrell, Treasurer
Brian Gough
Eva Ritchey

The following members were absent:

Jason Coe, President
Brandon Wright

The following staff members were present:

Todd J. Vilardo, Superintendent of Schools
Chad Burgett, Assistant Superintendent for Business Services
Genia Lang, Recording Secretary

The following staff member was absent:

Kristen Holly, Assistant Superintendent for Student Services

Visitors 5 and 0 Members of the Press

President Pro-Tem Clarke asked if there were any comments, questions or written communications. There were no requests for the Board of Education.

Dr. Vilardo stated the purpose of the meeting was to hold a public hearing on the amended budget for the 2021-22 school year. Dr. Vilardo reported that an amendment to a school district's budget was required when a total disbursement in a fund is greater than the amount budgeted for any year. The amended budget has been on file for the required 30 days. At that time, he turned the meeting over to Assistant Superintendent Chad Burgett.

Mr. Burgett provided an overview of the recommended budget adjustments at the board meeting held on May 18, 2022. He reported that he and Alyssa Matar, Bookkeeper for the District, reviewed each line item in the budget and amended many of them. He provided a summary of the amendment reflected in each fund on the revenue and expenditure line items. In closing, he indicated that with the budget amendment, the district closes the school year with a balanced budget and a deficit reduction plan is not required by the ISBE.

At that time, Dr. Vilardo asked if there were any questions regarding the budget amendment by the Board of Education or audience. There were no questions or comments received.

At 6:24pm, Mr. Jarrell made a motion to adjourn from the budget hearing. Mrs. Ritchey seconded the motion.

On roll call vote:

AYE: Jarrell, Ritchey, Gough, Clarke, Daniels

NAY: none Abstain: none

Motion carried

Jason Coe

President, Board of Education

Susan Daniels

Secretary, Board of Education