Dermott Special School District Regular Session May 18, 2021

The Dermott Special School District met in regular session on May 18, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. in the elementary cafeteria.

Call to Order – Stephanie Jones

Prayer – Lucan Hargraves

Establish a Quorum: Stephanie Jones, Lexa McMickle, Lucan Hargraves and Leroy Kennedy.

Board Minutes:

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Lexa McMickle to approve the April 8, 2021 regular board minutes as presented. Passed 4-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Lexa McMickle to approve the April 27, 2021 special board minutes as presented. Passed 4-0

Clarence Thrower arrived at the meeting at 6:01.

Superintendent's Report - Warrants & Balances

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Leroy Kennedy to approve the warrants and balances as presented. Passed 5-0

New Business:

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Lexa McMickle to approve the 2021-2022 school calendar option one. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Lexa McMickle to approve the 2021-2022 Health and Wellness Plan. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Leroy Kennedy to approve hiring Darlene King as a part-time math teacher/GT Coordinator. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Leroy Kennedy to approve hiring LaShonda Gammel as Family and Consumer Science teacher. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Lexa McMickle to approve hiring Alleaner Owens as Elementary Special Education teacher. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Leroy Kennedy, second by Lucan Hargraves approve the summer school pay as follows; certified - \$45.00 per hour and classified (paras) - \$25.00 per hour. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Leroy Kennedy to continue with K-12 Culinary as the cafeteria management company. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Leroy Kennedy to hire Rabb's Construction to be the contract manager for the new HVAC system for elementary and high school buildings. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Leroy Kennedy, second by Lexa McMickle to hire Virginia Myers as the Speech and Language Pathologist. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Leroy Kennedy, second by Lexa McMickle to approve the additional pay proposal from ESSER II funds. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Leroy Kennedy to hire Jessica Rayner as the 7-12 Principal. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Leroy Kennedy to hire Carol McDonald as the LEA Supervisor. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lexa McMickle, second by Leroy Kennedy to hire Tonya Allen as the Cafeteria Director. Passed 5-0

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Clarence Thrower to enter into executive session. Executive session – 6:16 - 6:20

Walter Toney was on the agenda to speak with the board. Board President Stephanie Jones informed Mr. Toney that he would be able to speak at the next board meeting with the necessary paperwork filed with the board.

Next school board meeting June 10, 2021 in the elementary cafeteria at 6:00 p.m.

Motion made by Lucan Hargraves, second by Leroy Kennedy to adjourn. Passed 5-0

Adjourn - 6:23

President

Secretary