Hartington-Newcastle Public School Board Meeting Public Budget Hearing Minutes September 13, 2021

The Board of Education convened for the Public Budget Hearing at 5:15 p.m. Members present: Jason Dendinger, Candice Climer, Aaron Fuelberth, Jason Heikes, Ian Lange. Absent: Dana Rosener. Others present: Supt. A.J. Johnson, Elementary Principal Sarah Edwards.

Notice of meeting was given by publication in the Cedar County News on September 8, 2021, and the Board of Education acknowledged by receipt and agenda. Publication and notice indicated the meeting place, date and time.

President Dendinger called the Public Budget Hearing to order at 5:15 p.m.

President Dendinger pointed out the copy of the Open Meetings Law Chapter 84 Article 14 poster posted on the Board Room wall.

The Board met for the purpose of holding a public hearing to hear support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the proposed budget and to consider amendments relative thereto.

Supt. Johnson presented the district position.

Mr. Dendinger called a closing to the public budget hearing at 5:20 p.m. and then reconvened for the tax request hearing. Motion by Lange, seconded by Fuelberth, to adjourn budget hearing. Members voting aye: Lange, Climer, Heikes, Fuelberth, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Candice Climer, Secretary

Hartington-Newcastle Public School Board Meeting Tax Request Hearing September 13, 2021

The Board of Education convened for the Tax Request Hearing at 5:30 p.m. Members present: Jason Dendinger, Candice Climer, Aaron Fuelberth, Jason Heikes, Ian Lange. Absent: Dana Rosener. Others present: Supt. Johnson and Elementary Principal Sarah Edwards.

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President Dendinger called the Tax Request Hearing to order at 5:30 p.m.

President Dendinger informed all present of the Open Meetings Law and pointed out the copy of the Open Meetings Law Chapter 84 Article 14 poster posted on the Board Room wall.

The board met for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on and to discuss and approve or modify the District's Tax Request(s) for the 2021-2022 school fiscal year.

Supt. Johnson presented the district position.

Mr. Dendinger called a closing to the tax request hearing at 5:44 p.m. and then reconvened for the regular board meeting. Motion by Fuelberth, seconded by Lange, to adjourn tax request hearing. Members voting aye: Heikes, Lange, Fuelberth, Climer, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Candice	Climer,	Secretary	

Hartington-Newcastle Public School Board Meeting Minutes September 13, 2021

The Board of Education convened for the regular board meeting at 5:45 p.m. Members present: Jason Dendinger, Candice Climer, Aaron Fuelberth, Jason Heikes, Ian Lange. Absent: Dana Rosener. Others present: Supt. Johnson and Elementary Principal Sarah Edwards.

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President Dendinger called the regular board meeting to order at 5:45 p.m.

President Dendinger pointed out the copy of the Open Meetings Law Chapter 84 Article 14 poster posted on the Board Room wall.

Motion by Lange, seconded by Fuelberth, to approve the consent agenda that includes items #2 August 16, 2021 Minutes, #3 Report on School Finances, #4 Approval of Bills (including those covered by the provisions of LB 734), and #5 Recognition of Visitors. Members voting aye: Climer, Fuelberth, Heikes, Lange, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

See Bills Insert

Motion by Heikes, seconded by Lange, to approve 2021-2022 annual budget. Members voting aye: Fuelberth, Heikes, Lange, Climer, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Motion by Lange, seconded by Fuelberth, to approve 2021-2022 Tax Request. Members voting aye: Fuelberth, Heikes, Lange, Climer, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Insert Resolution Setting The Property Tax Request

Motion by Fuelberth, seconded by Lange, to approve sale of Super Red Van for \$500.00. Member voting aye: Heikes, Lange, Climer, Fuelberth, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Motion by Lange, seconded by Climer, to approve selection of Prohaska Architecture Firm. Members voting aye: Heikes, Lange, Climer, Fuelberth, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Motion by Heikes, seconded by Fuelberth, to approve special committee of Jason Dendinger, Dana Rosener, and Ian Lange. Members voting aye: Climer, Lange, Heikes, Fuelberth, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

ESSER III (Cares Act) Plans were discussed (1/2 time counselor and school supplies). There was no input given from the public. No motion made.

Next board meeting will be October 11, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Motion by Fuelberth, seconded by Lange, to adjourn at 6:22 p.m. Members voting aye: Lange, Climer, Heikes, Fuelberth, Dendinger. Members voting nay: none. Absent: Rosener. Carried: 5-0-1 Absent.

Candice Climer, Secretary

RESOLUTION SETTING THE PROPERTY TAX REQUEST

WHEREAS, Nebraska Revised Statute 77-1601.02 provides that the Governing Body of Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools passes by a majority vote a resolution or ordinance setting the tax request; and

WHEREAS, a special public hearing was held as required by law to hear and consider comments concerning the property tax request;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governing Body of Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools resolves that:

1. The 2021-2022 property tax request be set at:

General Fund: \$ 4,731,714.00 Bond Fund: \$ -

Special Building Fund: \$ 955,556.00 Qualified Capital Purpose \$ -

Undertaking Fund:

- 2. The total assessed value of property differs from last year's total assessed value by 0.83 percent.
- 3. The tax rate which would levy the same amount of property taxes as last year, when multiplied by the new total assessed value of property would be 0.487304 per \$100 of assessed value.
- 4. Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools proposes to adopt a property tax request that will cause its tax rate to be 0.499971 per \$100 of assessed value.
- 5. Based on the proposed property tax request and changes in other revenue, the total operating budget of Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools will increase or decrease last year's budget by 22.53 percent.
- 6. A copy of this resolution be certified and forwarded to the County Clerk on or before October 13, 2021.

Motion by Ian Lange, seconded by Aaron Fuelberth to adopt Resolution.

Voting yes were:	Voting no were:
Candice Climer	
Jason Dendinger	
Aaron Fuelberth	
Jason Heikes	
Ian Lange	

Dated this 13th day of September, 2021