REGULAR MEETING BESSEMER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

February 23, 2022

A Regular Meeting of the Bessemer Board of Education was held on February 23, 2022 beginning at 5:00 p.m..

Roll Call:

Present:

Partanen, Stanislawski, Matrella, Graham and Steiger.

Absent:

Late arriving:

Also Present: Daniel Niemi, Superintendent and A.D. Johnston Jr/Sr. Principal; Mark Switzer, K-6 Principal//K-12 Counselor; and Kassi Huotari, Business Manager/Transportation Supervisor

21-22:0326:

It was moved by Graham, supported by Steiger, to approve the Agenda, as amended, adding Action Item C: Motion to hire Cara and Richard Matrella as Junior High Track Coaches.

Roll Call:

5 Ayes

0 Nays

0 Absent

Motion Carried

21-22:0327:

It was moved by Graham, supported by Stanislawski, to approve the Minutes of the January 24, 2022 Work Session, Minutes of the January 24, 2022 Organizational Meeting, and Minutes of the January 24, 2022 Regular Meeting, as presented.

Roll Call:

5 Ayes

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0 Absent

Motion Carried

21-22:0328:

It was moved by Steiger, supported by Graham, to approve the Receipts and Disbursement as of January 31, 2022, Bank Reconciliation as of January 31, 2022, Accounts Payable, Special Revenue Fund and additional Invoice from PFM Financial Advisors LLC (\$1,000 - debt retirement acct)

INVOICES PAYABLE						
55512	UHL Company, Inc.	Parts For Boiler	\$233.11			
55513	Renaissance Learning, Inc.	At-Risk Supplies: Star 360 Subscription Add-On	\$49.60			
55514	Hermitage Art Company Inc	Graduation Programs	\$35.97			

55515	Handsome Prints	Board Exp: Caring Plaque	\$16.00
55516	Copper Country Isd	Monthly VoIP Services, SupportNet	\$11,116.75
55517	Xerox Corporation	ADJ Toner & Printers; WES Toner & Printer	\$583.34
55518	Twin City Dairy, Inc.	F/S: Milk Jan Statement	\$1,723.91
55519	Time Warner Cable	Telephone Services: January	\$79.98
55520	SHI International Corp	G-Suite Enterprise For Education	\$948.78
55521	School Specialty, LLC	Elem Supplies	\$65.90
55522	Republic Services #645	ADJ Garbage & Recycling: Feb 2022; WES Garbage & Recycling:	\$477.62
55523	Nelson's Bus Service Inc.	Bus Parts: New Strobe Light	\$79.90
55524	Lindquist Electric Inc	Gym Heater Soft Starter Replacement	\$3,455.00
55525	Lake SuperiorVirtual Academy/GOISD	LSVA First Semester Courses	\$195.00
55526	Ironwood Daily Globe	Track/Driver Ad	\$102.50
55527	Global Industrial	ESSER II: Cust Sups	\$1,109.70
55528	Dalco	Cust Sups	\$96.04
55529	City of Bessemer	Monthly Water & Sewer: Jan 2022	\$981.62
55530	C & M Oil Co of Bessemer	January 2022 Statement	\$2,313.14
	Xcel Energy	Statement Not Yet Received	
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Voice

Roll Call: 0 Nays 0 Absent Motion Carried 5 Ayes

It was moved by Steiger, supported by Graham, to remove the mask mandate for all 21-22:0329: students, staff and employees at WES, except for on the bus which is a federal mandate, with authority granted to administration to reinstate the same if the positivity rate reaches the threshold of 5%.

0 Absent Motion Carried Roll Call: 0 Nays 5 Ayes

It was moved by Steiger, supported by Graham, to accept the resignation of Nick 21-22:0330: Heikkila from supervisory Activities Director duties, with regrets, effective 6/30/22, and to post for said position.

0 Nays Motion Carried Roll Call: 5 Ayes 0 Absent

21-22:0331: It was moved by Graham, supported by Stanislawski, to hire Richard and Cara Matrella

as Junior High Track Coaches for the 2021-2022 season.

Roll Call: 5 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent Motion Carried

21-22:0332: It was moved by Graham, supported by Steiger, to adjourn.

Roll Call: 5 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent Motion Carried

Meeting adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

BETH STEIGER - Secretary