



Bessemer Area School District



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BESSEMER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, August 23, 2023
5:00 p.m.

LOCATION: A.D. Johnston Jr./Sr. High School Media Center

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1. ROLL CALL

Present:
Absent:

Late:

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes of July 24, 2023 Regular Meeting

4. FINANCIAL MATTERS

- A. Receipts and Disbursement as of July 31, 2023
- B. Bank Reconciliation as of July 31, 2023
- C. Approval of the Special Revenue Fund
- D. Accounts Payable

5. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Gogebic-Ontonagon Intermediate School District Regular Meeting
Minutes dated July 19, 2023

6. ACTION ITEMS

- A. Motion to approve Neola Policy Update Vol. 37 No. 2 - Technology- February 2023 - 2nd Reading: po7540.02, po7540.03, po7540.04
- B. Motion to approve purchasing of all ESSER III budget items per approved budget by MDE (budget was presented at last meeting, but can include that in this packet)
- C. Motion to approve hiring of Bethany Schafer as 6-12 High School Social Studies Teacher, pending favorable background check
- D. Motion to approve hiring of Kelly Carlson as 5-hour behavioral paraprofessional for the 2023-24 school year, pending favorable background check
- E. Motion to accept resignations from Jordy Chiapuzio - JH Football and from Jake Chiapuzio - JH Football
- F. Motion to hire the following coaches for the 2023 football season:

Jason Suckow - JV/Varsity Assistant
Matthew Montie - JV/Varsity Assistant
Antonio DelFavero - JH Coach
Jake Zelinski - JH Coach

- G. Motion to approve four year Santander Bus Lease for four buses
- H. Motion to approve GOISD lease agreement

8. PUBLIC COMMENT (5 minutes maximum)

“We will not be having dialogue. The Board will be taking input into consideration. If follow up is required, that follow up will be provided by someone from Administration outside the meeting.”

9. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

Business Manager - Ms. Huotari
Washington School - Mr. Mark Switzer
District Administration - Richard Matrella

10. ADJOURNMENT