

September 14, 2022

Work Session

The Schaller-Crestland Board of Education met in a work session on September 14, 2022 in the gym of the Schaller-Crestland Elementary School, Schaller, IA. The following board members were present: Christy Horan, Kory Blum, Matt Cress, Steve Mason, Mike Schmitt (arr: 5:12pm). Others present: Supt. Bisenius, Brd. Sec'ry Wandrey, and several members of the community.

Call to order at 5:00 pm by President Christy Horan.

Motion by Cress, second by Mason to approve the agenda as posted. Motion carried 4-0.

Supt. Bisenius talked with the board about the needs that will be required of the Schaller facility to house the shared 7th/8th grade students as well as adding the S-C 6th graders. After visiting with both Principals Andersen and Bellinghausen, they felt that they would need roughly seven to eight rooms to house those students. Cress asked Supt. Bisenius if the rooms were available right now and Supt. Bisenius stated only about five rooms are unused. Supt. Bisenius advised the board that he felt this project should be done in stages. What those stages looked like were dependent on what the architect suggests when he visits at the end of September. Ideas of possibly moving a few grades to Early during this process was discussed.

It was a consensus that a more detailed plan can be composed once the architect takes a look at the building and then will be able to advise the board what the best route to take is, remodel or reconstruct the east wing.

With nothing further to discuss, President Horan adjourned the work session at 6:18 pm.