

**CENTRAL COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
ELKADER, IOWA  
School Board Meeting  
April 23, 2019  
7:00 AM**

**BOARD MEETING**

President Jered Finley called the board meeting to order at 7:02 AM

**Board Present:** Jered Finley, Suzy Hilgerson, Michael Whittle, Taylor Alexie and Amy Pope

**Board Absent:** Ed Hertrampf and NiCole Dennler

**Staff:** Nick Trenkamp, Aaron Reinhart and Joyce Piorkowski

**Guests:** Mark Wiley, Allison Burkle, Amy Steffen and Tracey Kuehl

**Senior Class Trip & Payment**

Michael Whittle made a motion to approve the Senior Class Trip to Adventureland on May 5, 2019. Amy Pope seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**CEC down payment – network update**

Michael Whittle made a motion to approve the down payment to CEC for the network update. Suzy Hilgerson seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Field trip payment – National Mississippi River Museum**

Amy Pope made a motion to approve the payment to the National Mississippi River Museum for the fifth grade field trip on May 16, 2019. Taylor Alexie seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Early Graduation**

Michael Whittle made a motion to approve the Early Graduation. Amy Pope seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Curriculum Director Sharing Agreement**

Amy Pope made a motion to approve the 2019-2020 Curriculum Director Sharing Agreement with MFL-MarMac. Michael Whittle seconded. Motion carried.

**Payment to Hurricane Lanes for Prom**

Michael Whittle made a motion to approve the payment to Hurricane Lanes for Prom. Taylor Alexie seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Gift Certificates for Early Retirees**

Amy Pope made a motion to approve the gift certificates for Early Retirees. Taylor Alexie seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Fundraisers**

Amy Pope made a motion to approve the Softball fundraiser, to sell clothing and the Softball/Track fundraiser, Elkader Pizzeria – 10% of sales May 5 to May 11. Suzy Hilgerson seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Employment**

Taylor Alexie made a motion to approve Ryan Zubriggen for Social Studies Teacher. Michael Whittle seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

Amy Pope made a motion to approve Mike Smith for Elementary PE and Dean of Students. Suzy Hilgerson seconded. Motion carried.

**Central Initial Proposal – Certified Staff**

President Jered Finley presented the Initial Proposal:

Article I – 2019-2020 Base Salary – The Central Handbook Committee has already agreed to approve step(s) and lane(s) movement (2.02%). This is no longer a mandatory topic of bargaining.

The CEA proposed a 1.06% increase to base salaries (3.08% total increase). The Central Community School district proposes a .23% increase to base salaries (2.25% total increase). The CPI is 1.4% for May.

**Settlement & New Money History**

	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
New Money	-\$48,550	\$29,547	-\$67,906	\$1,422
Settlement	\$86,911	\$85,706	\$49,684	\$75,200

**Language**

Language has already been decided by the Central Handbook Committee and is no longer a mandatory topic of bargaining. The school board will honor the work of the Central Handbook Committee which was open to all employees.

**Duration**

Due to changing enrollment and changing state aid, the school board is not interested in a multi-year agreement

The Agreement shall be effective July 1, 2019 and shall continue in effect through June 30, 2020.

**Construction Project**

**Alternates**

Amy Pope made a motion to decline alternatives five and six, handicap platform in small gym and ramp. Suzy Hilgerson seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**HS Restroom**

Amy Pope made a motion to approve the HS restrooms with a cap of \$117,796.

Michael Whittle seconded. Motion carried. 5-0

**Through Board Members**

Amy Pope - Art Scavenger Hunt questions for Ms. Recker in regard to her request to the board. Book Study questions on what platform will be used.

**Adjournment**

Amy Pope made a motion to adjourn.

Suzy Hilgerson seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 am. Motion carried. 5-0

Respectively Submitted,

Joyce M. Piorkowski  
Board Secretary

Jered Finley  
Board President