# ENNIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 2022\*\*\*\*\*\* SPECIAL BOARD MEETING FINAL AGENDA – ROOM #3 6:00 P.M.

### **PLEDGE**

- I. VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT
- II. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Consideration to Hire Part-Time Math Teachers
  - B. Consideration to Hire Custodian
- III. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Discussion on Bond Schedule Strategies and Outreach

The Board Chair is authorized to adjust the order of agenda items to accommodate scheduling needs of interested parties.

In accordance with District policy and Montana law, citizens may comment on items appearing on the agenda when invited to participate during that agenda item by the Board Chair. Additionally, citizens may comment on items related to School District business not appearing on this agenda during the public comment portion of the meeting as noted in the public comment form.

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# SCHOOL DISRICT 52 ENNIS, MADISON COUNTY, MONTANA AUGUST 17, 2022

# SPECIAL BOARD MEETING 6:00 P.M.

Kyle Stone Chairman
Andrew Henrich Vice-Chair
Dino Fanelli Trustee
Paul Bills Trustee
Marilyn Jenkins Trustee

Brian Hilton Elementary Principal

Mellissa Newman 7-12 Principal
Casey Klasna Superintendent
Ginger Martello District Clerk

Chairman Stone called the meeting to order. The pledge to the flag was recited.

#### VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT

None

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

## Consideration to Hire Part-Time Math Teachers

Superintendent Klasna informed the board the late resignation from the math teacher put the district in a tough spot. We have two individuals willing to help until the position is filled. They will be emergency authorized with OPI and both positions will be .322. Joanne Casey is recommended cover Algebra II. She is a retired math teacher from Vermont with thirty-seven years of experience. Trustee Fanelli made a motion to hire Joanne Casey as presented. Trustee Jenkins seconded the motion. The board asked how we were managing the other courses. Superintendent Klasna said we have another person to be recommended for Geometry, Wendy McKitrick will take Pre-Calculus and Calculus which just leave edgenuity for consumer math. Chairman Stone called for the vote. All members present were in favor.

Carly Teska is recommended to cover the geometry classes. She is a project manager with a degree in bio/mechanical engineering. She has a strong math background. She has no teaching experience but has tutored students in high school and college. Trustee Bills made a motion to hire Carly Teska as presented. Trustee Fanelli seconded the motion. All members present were in approval.

#### Consideration to Hire Custodian

Tabled

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

# Discussion on Bond Schedule Strategies and Outreach

The board discussed messaging and a schedule for getting bond materials to the public. Discussion included how to present it to the community, less material on the brochure, be consistent on all materials, focus on safety, condense the pillars, focus on assessed value not what a house sells for, add a quote from the board, show the board listened to the taxpayers, show entire board supports the bond, focus on education, mail brochure early September and postcards in October, make the message clear, attend community meetings, boards in fewer locations, no FAQ sheets, use QR code for conceptual designs, hold contractor meeting-so they know they can be part of bid packages, take out ads in the Madisonian, meeting in Big Sky, info on website and Facebook page, get brochures out before attending meetings and events, etc.

As there was no other business for the attention of the board, the special meeting was adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

**ATTEST** 

Ginger Martello, District Clerk

Kyle Stone, Chairman

Date Approved