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Staff Newsletter

October 2019

The Vision and Purpose of Circle USD 375, in partnership with our communities, is to educate each student to be an engaged, knowledgeable, responsible and productive citizen in the 21st Century.

Summary of the Board of Education Meetings

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REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

President Jared Swilley called the October 14, 2019 meeting to order at 6:00 pm at Circle District Office. Those present were board members Jared Swilley, Ben Whiteside, Herb Pello, Nathan White, Kyle Turner, Janet Varner, and Kristy Evans. Others present were Superintendent Don Potter, Assistant Superintendent Michael Janzen, Board Clerk Kari Killman, District Business Manager Elizabeth Turner, CHS Athletic Director John Coslett, CHS Teacher Leanne McKee, CHS Girls Tennis Coach Cran Chase, El Dorado Inc. representative Linda Jolly, and Patron Jake Myers.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all in attendance.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Chase gave an update on the Girls Tennis program.

Ms. Jolly provided information to the board on the Neighborhood Revitalization Program.

Mrs. McKee asked permission from the board for the Madrigals group to travel to San Antonio, Tx.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

The board approved the agenda as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA

The board approved the consent agenda as presented.

TREASURERS REPORT

The board approved the treasurer's report as presented.

SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT

Mr. Potter shared with the board information in regards to attempting to establish College Academics with BCC and WSU Tech for the 2020-2021 school year. Early College Academies

Bond discussions are progressing. Board members Kristy Evans and Janet Varner have agreed to serve on the committee to assist in the hiring of the Construction Manager At Risk.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

Principal reports were shared with the board.

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Mr. Coslett shared with the board information in regards to the potential addition of Girls and Boys swimming by entering into a cooperative agreement with El Dorado.

Mr. Nibarger's development report was shared with the board.

NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION PROGRAM– RESOLUTION 1920-08

The board approved the Neighborhood Revitalization Program as presented.

SHOW CHOIR TRIP

The board approved the Madrigals group to travel to San Antonio, Tx.

GIRLS & BOYS SWIMMING

The board approved the addition of swimming to USD 375 activities offerings by entering into a cooperative agreement with USD 490, El Dorado as presented.

FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT BIDS

The board approved the bids as amended for facilities improvements, with a contingency for roofing repairs.

PERSONNEL

The board approved the following appointments: Food Service Warehouse/Delivery Rick Kistler and CHS Color Guard Sponsor Julie Martin.

The board approved the following resignations: CMS 7th Gr. Asst. Basketball Coach Tami Boettjer, CHS Asst. Baseball Coach Thomas Bryant, CTE Food Service Karen Foxx, CTE Aide Kayla Griffin, , CMS Custodian Rebecca Huntington, CHS Custodian Joseph Johnson, CBE Aide Kendra Nelson, CHS Food Service Kacie Rourke. Other: CBE Custodian Jonathan Hamilton.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the board, President Jared Swilley declared the meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.