

## School District of Alma

Alma Area Schools

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### NOTICE OF REGULAR MONTHLY SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the regular monthly meeting of the School Board of the School District of Alma will be held on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, at 7:00 pm in the high school library.



Steven N. Sedlmayr  
Superintendent of Schools

- I. **Call to Order** – Dennis Hetrick, Board President
- II. **Public Comment**
- III. **Approval of Previous Minutes**
- IV. **Approval of Monthly Vouchers**
- V. **Order of Business**
  - A. Telephone System Update
  - B. Speech/Language with Wabasha-Kellogg
  - C. Staffing
    1. Speech Language Pathologist – Pepin
    2. Resource Room Paraprofessional
  - D. Next Regular Board Meeting – *Wednesday, September 21, 7:00 pm*
- VI. **Discussion**
  - A. Well Inspection
  - B. Education Opportunities
    1. WASB Regional Meeting – September 27, 6:00 pm, Northside Elem. – La Crosse
    2. WSAA / WASB Employment & School Law Seminar – Oct.13-14, Wisconsin Dells
  - C. Other Items for Discussion
  - D. Building Project Progress
- VII. **Adjournment**

**V. Order of Business**

**A. Telephone System Update**

Matt from Cochrane Co-Op Telephone has found the parts to get our voicemail system up and running. They will do the work at \$30 per hour (great price). The cost of parts which include a fiber port will be \$1,715. I have approved going ahead with this as we need to have the system up and running post-haste. This will also give us time to look at our options down the road.

**B. Speech/Language with Wabasha-Kellogg**

I received a call from Wabasha-Kellogg superintendent Jim Freihammer last Wednesday morning, telling me that the person we shared last year would not return this year. She had "concerns" about her licensing and duties. In short, she did not want to come here and Wabasha-Kellogg will have her stay there as a paraprofessional.

**C. Staffing –**

**Speech/Language Teacher – Co-Op with Pepin**

Nancy Lund, Pepin's speech and language teacher has agreed to extend her contract from .50 full-time equivalency (2.5 days) which she has been with Pepin to .90 full-time equivalency, of which we will be using .40 full-time equivalency (2 days). She is a positive person and works well with students. We all are excited to have her join our staff.

**Jr-Sr High Resource Room Paraprofessional**

We are currently in the process of hiring for this position. Mrs. Krzoska and I will be looking at the students schedule to determine the hours and days required of this person.

**D. Next Regular Board Meeting – *Wednesday, September 21, 7:00 pm***

Again this month, I would like to move the Board meeting from the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday. I will be at the State Supt's Conference in Madison leaving at Wednesday noon and returning late Friday afternoon of the prior week. There are always last minute things for the agenda and that would assure that extra time on Monday to see that we are set.

**VII. Adjournment**