

**OCTOBER 10, 2019** 

## **MINUTES**

1. **Regular School Board Meeting** - School Board President, Ms. Reich called the meeting to order at 8:03 a.m. and let the Pledge of Allegiance. The meeting was held in the District Office.

# Attendance:

Board Members: Trish Hart, Brian Kelly, Russ Pfeiffer-Hoyt, Karen Reich; Kelly Zender was absent and excused. Certificated Administrators: Mary Sewright, Ian Linterman

Amend: There was a request to add 3.c.x, 3.c.xi. & 3.c.xii.

Approval of Agenda - Mr. Pfeiffer-Hoyt moved to approve the amended agenda, Mr. Kelly seconded; motion carried, 4-0.

## Good of the Order

- FFA Salmon BBQ
- Homecoming Week
- Upcoming Choir Concert
- Fieldhouse Roofing
- Acme Curriculum Night
- Field Trips
- Harmony Books & Breakfast
- Letter from HS Student Athletes

## 2. Approval of Minutes

- a. 9/3/19 No quorum; will bring back for the 10/24/19 meeting.
- b. 9/12/19 Mr. Pfeiffer-Hoyt moved to approve the 9/12/19 minutes, Ms. Hart seconded; motion carried, 4-0.
- c. 9/26/19 Mr. Pfeiffer-Hoyt moved to approve the 9/26/19 minutes, Mr. Kelly seconded; motion carried, 4-0.
- 3. Consent Agenda Mr. Pfeiffer-Hoyt moved to approve the Consent Agenda, Mr. Kelly seconded; motion carried 4-0.
  - a. Personnel Actions
  - b. Surplus Personal Property; none at this meeting.
  - c. Purchases over \$7,500.00
    - i. KCDA; \$48,657.82
    - ii. Tiger Construction; \$4,141,228.00
    - iii. ESD 112; \$46,200.00
    - iv. Ednetics Inc; \$28,960.56
    - v. Rolluda Architects; \$250,000.00
    - vi. NW Professional Roofing SVC Inc; \$23,173.26
    - vii. Simple Box Storage LLC; \$8,967.53
    - viii. Elitests.com Inc; \$66,418.06
    - ix. Imagine Learning; \$90,000.00
    - x. Belcher Swanson Law Firm, PLLC; \$10,902.07
    - xi. KCDA; \$48,657.82
    - xii. Barron Heating & Air Cond Inc; \$56,362.50

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- d. Overnight Trips
  - i. MBHS Floriculture 11/15-16/2019
  - ii. MBHS Girls Wrestling 1/10-11/2020
  - iii. MBHS Girls Wrestling 1/17-18/2020
  - iv. MBHS Floriculture 1/31-2/1/2020
  - v. MBHS Floriculture 2/28-29/2020
  - vi. MBHS Floriculture 3/27-28/2020
  - vii. MBHS FFA 5/13-17/2020
- e. Approval of Accounts Payable for 9/16/19 and Payroll for 9/30/19 & 10/4/19 Vouchers audited and certified by the auditing officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090, have been recorded on a listing, which has been made available to the Board. As of this day, October 10, 2019 the Board by a unanimous vote does approve the payment of those vouchers included in the above list and further described as follows: Vouchers 37646 through 37793 in the total amount of \$1,596,572.14 and vouchers 37794 through 34494 in the total amount of \$27.97.
- f. Agreement with Bellingham School District and Mount Baker for Cooperative Educational Services
- g. Agreement with The Partners Group and Mount Baker for Employee Benefit Consulting Services
- 4. Presentation; none at this meeting.
- 5. Action Items
  - a. MB Resolution 19/20:04 Mount Baker Student Trust; Mr. Pfeiffer-Hoyt moved to approve the revised Resolution, Mr. Kelly seconded; motion carried, 4-0. Adding exhibit A: Whatcom Community Foundation Resolution Addendum of the Board of Directors to Establish the Mount Baker School District Endowment for Children & Youth.
- 6. Information from Board Members
  - a. WSSDA Legislative Assembly
  - b. WSSDA Ranking
  - c. School District Finance meeting
  - d. WSSDA Government Relations Staff meeting
  - e. South Fork Watershed meeting
  - f. Mount Baker Student Trust meeting
  - g. MBSD Safety Contract Proposal meeting
  - h. MBSD Prevention Policy meeting
  - i. Board of Natural Resources meeting
  - j. Cross County Events
  - k. Food Summit
  - I. Candidate Forum
- 7. Information from the Audience; none at this meeting.
- Policy; none at this meeting.
- 9. Reports
  - a. Director of Finance & Operations; none at this meeting.



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- b. Superintendent
  - i. MB Highway update
  - ii. Columbia Valley Connections Community meeting
  - iii. Laundry Facility update
  - iv. Principal walk-through
  - v. Interagency Agreement with Pre Employment Transition Services DVR & ESD 189 Pilot Project
- 10. Meeting(s) schedule Regular meetings are held at 6:00 PM on the second Thursday and 8:30 AM on the fourth Thursday of each month in the District Office unless otherwise noted.
  - a. Regular Meetings
    - i. Agenda and Work Session schedule
    - ii. Work Session Thursday, October 17, 2019 @ 7:00 a.m. in the District Office
    - iii. Board Meeting Thursday, October 24, 2019 @ 8:30 a.m. in the District Office
    - iv. Board Meeting Thursday, November 14, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m. in the District Office
- 11. At 9:20 a.m. Ms. Reich recessed the meeting to go into Executive Session at 9:25 a.m. on two personnel issues estimated to last 15 minutes with no decision to be made.
- 12. Executive Session
  - a. Personnel Issues (RCW 42.30.110:g); two this meeting.
  - b. Legal Issues (RCW 42.30.110:i); none this meeting.
  - c. Acquisition of Real Estate (RCW 42.30.110:c); none this meeting.
  - d. Publicly Bid Contracts (RCW 42.30.110:d); none this meeting.
  - e. Bargaining Update (RCW 42.30.140); one this meeting.
- 13. At 9:40 a.m. Ms. Reich adjourned the meeting.
- 14. 9:30 10:30 AM School Board Visit with Special Programs Mr. Linterman talked about the district's Special Education programs which included a visit to a HS classroom.

Karen Reich, President

ATTEST: Mary Sewright

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