

**June 20, 2022**  
**Regular Meeting Board of Education**

The Board of Education District 54-0586, Bloomfield Community Schools, met in Regular Session on Monday, June 20, 2022 in Room 203 at the High School.

Members present: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.

Also present: Shane Alexander and Konnie Thiele.

Motion by Ziegler, seconded by Mackeprang, to declare the meeting open, with all legal requirements having been met showing the time and place of the meeting with all members having been notified in advance of the call of the meeting.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Mackeprang, seconded by Koertje, to approve the agenda items of the meeting.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Ziegler, seconded by Loseke, to approve the minutes of the Monday, May 16, 2022 regular meeting.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Mackeprang, seconded by Ziegler, to approve the Consent Agenda minus the Hefner Hardware bill.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Koertje, seconded by Loseke, to approve the payment of the Hefner Hardware bill of \$1,947.25.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler. Abstain: Hefner.  
Motion:Passed

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| 201479        | AT&T                             | 172.92     |
| 42273 - 42290 | June Payroll                     | 292,405.06 |
| 42291         | Amazon Com                       | 1,690.15   |
| 42292         | Apptegy                          | 5,259.00   |
| 42293         | Arts Garbage Service             | 767.97     |
| 42294         | AT&T                             | 122.07     |
| 42295         | Black Hills Energy               | 138.96     |
| 42296         | Blick Art Materials- Dick Blick  | 7.82       |
| 42297         | Bloomfield Auto Parts            | 221.58     |
| 42298         | Bloomfield Tire & Oil, LLC       | 280.00     |
| 42299         | Carhart Lumber Co                | 62.95      |
| 42300         | City Of Bloomfield, Nebraska     | 410.00     |
| 42301         | Courtyard Marriott Lincoln       | 192.00     |
| 42302         | Demco                            | 248.83     |
| 42303         | Dollar General                   | 151.75     |
| 42304         | E.S.U. ONE                       | 180.00     |
| 42305         | EAI EDUCATION                    | 292.33     |
| 42306         | Eakes Office Solutions           | 285.53     |
| 42307         | Gary Eisenhauer                  | 294.00     |
| 42308         | Electronic Systems Inc           | 154.50     |
| 42309         | ESU #9                           | 77.28      |
| 42310         | Farmer's Pride/Battle Creek Coop | 2,566.06   |
| 42311         | First National Bank              | 455.58     |

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| 42312 | First National Bank of Omaha            | 703.26    |
| 42313 | First National Bank of Omaha            | 70.70     |
| 42314 | First National bank of Omaha            | 162.35    |
| 42315 | First National Bank Omaha               | 66.15     |
| 42316 | First National Bank Omaha               | 398.63    |
| 42317 | Graham Tire Norfolk                     | 550.64    |
| 42318 | Great Plains Communications             | 494.91    |
| 42319 | Hartington-Newcastle School             | 5,291.52  |
| 42320 | Hefner Hardware                         | 1,856.54  |
| 42321 | Holiday Inn Kearney                     | 449.85    |
| 42322 | Hometown Leasing                        | 2,498.98  |
| 42323 | J.W. Pepper & Son, Inc                  | 441.23    |
| 42324 | John Deere Financial                    | 188.79    |
| 42325 | Jamie Johnson                           | 196.00    |
| 42326 | Michael Johnson                         | 196.00    |
| 42327 | Justice Fire & Safety                   | 134.78    |
| 42328 | L & E LLC - Country Market              | 251.77    |
| 42329 | Lakeshore Learning Materials            | 220.94    |
| 42330 | Learning Without Tears                  | 2,981.00  |
| 42331 | Lexia Learning Systems LLC              | 100.00    |
| 42332 | MakerBot                                | 509.23    |
| 42333 | Marzano Resources                       | 709.00    |
| 42334 | Midwest Technology Products             | 120.00    |
| 42335 | Mike Wagner & Sons Construction, LLC    | 932.49    |
| 42336 | Nebraska Safety Center @unk             | 250.00    |
| 42337 | Northwest Evaluation Association        | 1,787.50  |
| 42338 | Olson's Pest Technicians Inc            | 99.00     |
| 42339 | One Source                              | 55.00     |
| 42340 | Paper 101                               | 744.21    |
| 42341 | Parco Scientific Company                | 104.50    |
| 42342 | Perry, Guthery, Haase & Gessford, P.C., | 861.00    |
| 42343 | Pitzer Digital                          | 311.05    |
| 42345 | Prochaska & Assoc. Inc.                 | 28,666.60 |
| 42346 | Rasmussen Mechanical Services, Inc      | 142.27    |
| 42347 | Really Good Stuff                       | 75.58     |
| 42348 | Rifton Equipment                        | 354.00    |
| 42349 | Scholastic Inc                          | 474.41    |
| 42350 | School Health Corporation               | 246.55    |
| 42351 | Seesaw Learning Inc                     | 391.90    |
| 42352 | Signature Sewer Pumping                 | 425.00    |
| 42353 | Special Needs Toys                      | 429.00    |
| 42354 | Squishy Circuits Store LLC              | 110.00    |
| 42355 | Supplyworks                             | 109.50    |
| 42356 | Time Management Systems                 | 461.00    |
| 42357 | US Postal Service                       | 910.00    |
| 42358 | West Music Co.                          | 84.75     |
| 42359 | E.S.U. ONE                              | 44,314.13 |
| 42360 | Eakes Office Solutions                  | 30.49     |
| 42361 | Educational Insights                    | 48.48     |
| 42362 | The Glass Edge Inc.                     | 48.00     |
| 42363 | IXL Learning                            | 13,828.00 |
| 42364 | J.W. Pepper & Son, Inc                  | 12.50     |
| 42365 | NCSA                                    | 385.00    |
| 42366 | Petty Cash                              | 31.00     |
| 42367 | Teacher Direct                          | 647.98    |

The Board approved Lunch checks totaling \$13,361.04, Escrow checks totaling \$180,984.87, Activity checks totaling \$22,974.98, and Student Fee checks totaling \$100.00.

The Elementary Principal was not in attendance. Mr. Alexander mentioned that the Marzano training with Jan Hoegh went well, and most teachers were done with the ELA portion. The elementary rooms are almost ready to go for the new school year. There are new cabinets being installed in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade room. More blue mulch has been ordered for the playground.

Mr. Alexander mentioned that Bloomfield would be cooping with Crofton for girls wrestling.

The Superintendent reported that we will see an increase in State Aid. He is expecting an increase in the assessed Knox and Cedar County valuations. The summer custodial employees are working at the high school building. Drywall cracks and touch up painting is being completed. Mr. Alexander is hopeful for a mid-July punch list for the new remodel/renovation. The epoxy floors have been completed. The west entry way glass and doors are being installed. Dirt work and concrete on the west side of the gym will begin soon. Lunch prices will see a slight increase for the 2022-2023 school year. Meals will not be free this year, so families are encouraged to fill out the Free/Reduced paperwork early. We received only one milk bid from Highland Dairy. Handbooks will be updated. Knife River will be in town and will be overlaying Benton Street in front of the school and will also put asphalt on the east side of the high school building.

The Board discussed the changes in the transportation employees. Kevin Millikan will be the new transportation director. Marlene Folck will continue to drive routes and activities. Roland Johnson will continue as custodial as well as substitute route driving. These changes will open up a custodial position. Lunch prices were discussed. We are hoping for no more than a .05 raise in meal prices if this is approved by the State. School fundraising was discussed. Jason Hefner would like to see a committee set up to review and approve the need for fundraising by organizations. School safety was discussed. The district will plan a practice reunification drill during the coming school year. When Board members need to visit with a faculty member they should first start with the teacher or staff member to resolve the issue before going to the Athletic Director, Principal or Superintendent. Bloomfield will join with Crofton for girls wrestling if we have any female students that would like to participate.

Motion by Koertje, seconded by Ziegler, to approve changes in student and adult lunch prices for the 2022-2023 school year as presented by the administration.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Ziegler, seconded by Bratetic, to approve the milk bid presented by Administration from Highland Dairy for the 2022-2023 school year.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

Motion by Koertje, seconded by Ziegler, to approve the Coop between Crofton Public Schools and Bloomfield Community Schools for Girls Wrestling for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years.

Aye: Dee Bratetic, Jason Hefner, Keith Koertje, Jessica Loseke, Christy Mackeprang, and Hally Ziegler.  
Motion:Passed

The president adjourned the regular meeting at 7:50 pm.

The next regular meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. Monday, July 18, 2022 in Room 203 at the High School.

Jason Hefner- Board President

Konnie Thiele- Board Secretary