

GARDEN CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Regular Meeting Minutes
May 8, 2017

The meeting was called to order by President, Darlene Jablonowski, at 7:00 p.m., at the Administrative Service Center, 1333 Radcliff, Garden City, MI 48135.

Call to Order

Members present: Darlene Jablonowski, Sarah Roffi, John Thackaberry, Patrick McNally, Lynette Childress, Jen VanDeWater, Linda Williams

Roll Call

Cabinet members present: Derek Fisher, Brian Sumner, Drew, McMechan, Alex McNeece

151.17 Moved by Roffi, supported by Childress, that the Board approve the regular meeting minutes of April 24, 2017. Unanimously approved

Regular Meeting Minutes Approved

John Thackaberry presented the Finance Committee minutes of April 24, 2017.

Finance Committee

The Board has been invited to the Kindergarten Completion Ceremony.

Communication

Principal from Farmington 5-6 Campus presented on Best Practices, Instructional Enhancement, Zap Room and NWEA Data.

Presentation

Associate Principal from High School gave presentation School Improvement Goals, Pride Room and NWEA Data.

Alex McNeece shared Lathers' Michigan School Board Presentation Highlights.

Curriculum Highlight

The Board presented the students and staff with the Shining Star/Above and Beyond Certificates for academic achievements.

Shining Star/Above and Beyond Cert.

152.17 Moved by Thackaberry, supported by McNally, that the Board approve the return from leave of absence for Joanne Marsh, effective April 17, 2017. Unanimously approved

Certificated Return from Leave of Absence

153.17 Moved by Roffi, supported by McNally, that the Board approve the hire of Jennifer Martin, effective May 1, 2017. Unanimously approved

Non-Certificated New Hire

154.17 Moved by McNally, supported by Childress, that the Board approves the resignation of Nicholas White, effective May 4, 2017. Unanimously approved

Non-Certificated Resignation

155.17 Moved by McNally, supported by Thackaberry to request a closed session for purposes of negotiation.

Call for Closed Session

Roll Call
Unanimously approved

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Administrators commented on the following:

- Thanked Farmington Staff
- Thanked High School Staff
- Thanked Alex McNeece and Lathers staff
- Teacher Appreciation Day
- Middle School Play
- Elementary Fundraiser at Skateland
- New Digital Sign at High School

Administrators
Comments

The Board commented on the following:

- High School Scores
- Farmington Staff changing to meet student needs
- Teacher Appreciation
- Thanked Alex McNeece and Lathers Staff
- High School Parking Lot

Board Comments

The Board recessed at 8:22 p.m.

Closed Session

The Board went into a Closed Session at 8:26 p.m.

The Board returned from a Closed Session at 9:02 p.m.

156.17 Moved by Thackaberry, supported by McNally to adjourn the meeting.

Adjournment

Unanimously approved

The meeting was adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

Dr. Patrick McNally, Secretary
Garden City Public Schools

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