

Watersmeet Township School District  
REGULAR MEETING  
October 19, 2015  
6:30 P.M.

Vice-President G.Zelinski called the meeting to order to 6:30 p.m. in the media center.

Present: G.Zelinski, J.Moll, N.Christ, T.Pallin, P.Peterson, Jr., G.Peterson, III, Principal,  
G.Pease, Superintendent, T.Hand, District Clerk

Absent: F.Zelinski, Bruce Caudill

Visitors: C.Wightman, T.Basanese

Motion by P.Peterson, Jr second by N.Christ to approve the agenda. Motion carried

C.Wightman presented a preliminary itinerary for the senior class trip. This item will be on the November agenda for approval.

There was no representation from Lac Vieux Desert in attendance.

There was no representation from Student Council.

Correspondence: MASB-SEG has presented the Watersmeet School with a SET-SEG Safety Award for the 2014-2015 school year.

Motion by P.Peterson, Jr second by J.Moll to approve the regular meeting minutes of September 21, 2015 as presented. All ayes, motion carried

Motion by J.Moll second by P,Peterson, Jr. to approve the general fund/lunch fund accounts payable as presented. All ayes, motion carried.

The financial report was presented.

Information was presented on the Forest Management Grant.

Information was presented on the Driver's education program. After discussion, there was a motion by P.Peterson, Jr. second by N.Christ to have Tony Basanese instruct the Driver's Education class. All ayes, motion Carried.

Motion by J.Moll second by T.Pallin to authorize the purchase of 2 classroom smartboards (1 in elem/1 in high school). All ayes, motion Carried.

A proposal was presented from U.P. Office for a Sharp MX-M654N copy machine. After discussion, there was a motion by T.Pallin second by J.Moll to approve the purchase of the Sharp copy machine. All ayes, motion carried

The new 7-year bus contract from Schilleman's Bus Service from Eagle River was presented and discussed. Motion by N.Christ second by T.Pallin to accept the proposal as presented. Motion carried.

Information was shared on the upcoming Title I Audit scheduled in November.

Motion by P.Peterson, Jr. second by J.Moll to table the Career & Technical Educational Contract pending corrections from the G.O.I.S.D..

Motion by P.Peterson, Jr second by N.Christ to accept Brent Besonen's resignation as JH Boys' Basketball Coach. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by P.Peterson, Jr. second by N.Christ to hire Richard Chiochios as JH Boys' Basketball Coach. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by J.Moll second by T.Pallin to hire Jessica Chiochios as special education aide. All ayes, motion carried.

Principal report was given.

Superintendent Pease updated the Board on the vacant 6th grade position. He has received 2 qualified applicants and will be conducting interviews on October 23.

Dr. Pease distributed brochures from Gogebic Community College on a proposed Technical/Trade dual enrollment program. Representatives from G.C.C. will attend the November Board meeting to provide further information.

Superintendent Pease also informed the Board of the upcoming Consolidated Grant and McKinney-Vento audits.

Dr. Pease explained that Ms. Sartori, kindergarten instructor, will be piloting a standard based objectives report in place of the traditional report card.

J.Moll questioned our substitute teacher pay rate. Discussion was held.

On a motion by N.Christ second by P.Peterson, Jr. the meeting adjourned at 8:4 p.m. All ayes, motion carried.

---

Vice-President, George Zelinski

---

Secretary, Joan Moll