## GRAND RIDGE DISTRICT. #95 BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

**December 8, 2020** 

The December regular monthly Grand Ridge School Board of Education meeting was called to order via remote by President Rich Frye, on Tuesday, December 8, at 7:00 p.m. Roll call was taken. Answering present were: Michael Wielgopolan, Ken Bernard, George Lukach, Fran Swallers, Mary Domoleczny and Christine Christensen. Also present was Ted Sanders, Terry Ahearn and Melissa Bernard.

Visitors to the meeting were: Amanda Jaegle, Lisa Killelea, Kate Jaegle, Rachel Woodyer, Jenn Rix, Matt Lamps and John Lubelski.

After the Pledge of Allegiance, a motion to approve the minutes of the November meetings was made by Ken Bernard. This was seconded by George Lukach. Voice vote taken: All Ayes. Motion passed.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved, to be placed on file for further audit with a motion made by Mike Wielgopolan and seconded by Mary Domoleczny. Voice vote taken. All Ayes. Motion carried.

<u>Payment of Bills:</u> The bills for the month of December were inspected and presented for payment. A motion was made to approve the bills by Mike Wielgopolan. This was seconded by George Lukach. Roll call vote was taken. All Ayes. Motion carried.

**<u>Public Comment:</u>** There was no public comment.

## **Principal Report:**

- **December Calendar:** Mr. Ahearn shared with the Board the December calendar.
- Jr. High FFA: Mr. Ahearn shared with the Board the progress that is being made with implementing the Jr. High FFA. Next week, Mr. Ahearn, Mr. Sanders, Mary Domoleczny and George Lukach will visit a school to review their program. The first meeting with the team will be January 7<sup>th</sup>.
- <u>Update on remote learning:</u> We currently have 33 remote learners. The biggest challenge currently with remote learning is attendance and students not showing up for the google meetings and completing assignments.

**<u>Building Items:</u>** Matt Lamps presented to the Board plans for the electrical upgrades, maintenance grant items and the west wall windows and insulation. It was agreed that the Building Committee would meet to start discussing how to proceed with these projects.

1st Reading of Press Plus Updates Issue 106: Mr. Sanders gave to the Board the most recent press plus updates.

<u>School Board Calendar for 2021:</u> A motion to approve the 2021 Board Meeting dates was made by Mike Wielgopolan. This was seconded by Fran Swallers. Voice vote taken. All aye. Motion carried.

## **Superintendent's Report:**

• Holiday Gift Cards: A motion was made by Mike Wielgopolan to purchase a \$25.00 Handy Foods Gift Card for all staff members for Christmas. This was seconded by Ken Bernard. Roll call vote taken. All ayes. Motion carried.

• Mr. Sanders commended all staff and parents on the great job everyone is doing to be

able to stay with in person learning.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by George Lukach. This was seconded by Mary Domoleczny. Voice vote taken: All Ayes. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:44 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Grand Ridge School Board of Education will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Bernard

Secretary: Board of Education

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President: Board of Education

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