# BROOKFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION Brookfield Public Schools REGULAR MEETING, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2015 BROOKFIELD HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER 7:00 P.M. MINUTES

Vice Chairman Paul Checco called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

**Present**: Paul Checco, Susan Queenan, Victor Katz and Scott McCarthy via phone

**Absent:** Steve Harding, Tara Lerner, and Harry Shaker

**Also Present:** Acting Superintendent Ralph Iassogna, Director of Special Services Charlie Manos, Interim BHS Principal Mark Jewett, WMS Principal Deane Renda, HHES Principal Mary Rose Dymond, CES Principal Dr. Krys Salon and members of the public.

#### STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

The Board and Superintendent recognized the students from Center School who will share some poetry. Mrs. Olivia Quinsland had students read poems the wrote.

The Board recognized the following Teachers of the Year:
Center Elementary School Joyce Zaldo
Huckleberry Hill School Melissa Cirillo
Whisconier Middle School Nancy D'Amora
Brookfield High School Mike Smith

The Superintendent announced that Nancy D'Amora from Whisconier Middle School has been voted as the District Teacher of the Year.

The Board recognized the following Top 10 graduating seniors from Brookfield High School, Class of 2015 for their academic achievements and presented them with an award:

Peter Lazorchak, Shannon Downey, Elizabeth Snyder, Alison McVey, Elizabeth McManus, Phoebe North, Julie DeLucia, Jonathan Serino, Zach Ye and Emma Gianoplus

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Rich Saluga commended Ralph and Gregg for their hard work.

Rachel Raymond spoke about the reassignment of Ms. Agati to WMS. Kelsey Perry spoke about the reassignment of Ms. Agati to WMS. ?? Aragi spoke about the reassignment of Ms. Agati to WMS. ?? Jones spoke about the reassignment of Ms. Agati to WMS. Fasil ? spoke about the reassignment of Ms. Agati to WMS.

#### STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

None

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#### WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE

Gesette Jewett wrote about the bus stop.

Rachel Raymond wrote about speaking at the next meeting.

#### APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

S. Queenan moved, V. Katz seconded, and the Board voted 4-0 that the Board approve the minutes listed below as recommended:

Regular Meeting- 5/20/15 Special Meeting- 5/27/15

S. McCarthy, P. Checco, S. Queenan, and V. Katz voted aye.

#### SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

# **COMMUNICATIONS**

None

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

S. Queenan moved, V. Katz seconded, and the Board voted 4-0 that the Board approve the items on the consent agenda as recommended.

S. McCarthy, P. Checco, S. Queenan, and V. Katz voted aye.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

# BROOKFIELD 2015-16 EDUCATOR EVAULATION AND SUPPORT PLAN STATUS UPDATE

The Board received an update on the Educator Evaluations as presented by Acting Superintendent Ralph Iassogna.

## DISCUSSION OF JOINT FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM

The Board discussed a Joint Financial Accounting System between The Board of Education and the Town of Brookfield. The Board concurs moving to a common financial platform is something the Board wants to pursue and has asked the Business Office to put together an action plan.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### 2015-2016 BUDGET DISCUSSION

The Board continued its discussion on the 2015-2016 budget. Mr. Iassogna went through the renewal savings/additions.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to conduct, <u>S. McCarthy</u> moved, <u>V. Katz seconded</u>, and the Board voted 4-0 to adjourn its regular meeting at 9:13 PM.

S. McCarthy, P. Checco, S. Queenan, and V. Katz voted aye.

Mrs. Queenan gave a list of upcoming events.

Respectfully Submitted, Lisa Gramling, Board Clerk

Susan Queenan, Secretary Brookfield Board of Education