

February 12, 2024

A regular board meeting of the Mid Peninsula School District Board of Education was called to order by President Bob VanDamme at 4:00 P.M.

Present: Bob VanDamme, President  
Cheryl Patrick, Secretary  
Gary Kivioja, Trustee  
John Albertson Trustee  
Dale Schneider, Treasurer  
Mandi Lippens, Trustee  
Eric VanDamme, Superintendent

Absent: Delores Englund, Vice President

Public Comments- None

A motion was made by Dale Schneider, seconded by John Albertson to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried. 6-0

A motion was made by Dale Schneider, seconded by Cheryl Patrick to approve the minutes of the January 15, 2024 reorganizational/regular board meeting. Motion carried. 6-0

A motion was made by Dale Schneider, seconded by Gary Kivioja to approve the bills for January 2024. Motion carried 6-0.

Old Business

Discussion was held on sinking fund projects. It was board consensus to have the Superintendent get estimates/bids for the gym floor, track, heaters, and parking lot.

New Business

The Board approved the second and final reading of the NEOLA policies, as presented. A motion to approve the policies was made by Dale Schneider, seconded by John Albertson. Motion carried 6-0.

NEOLA policy updates were reviewed, first reading of policy updates. The board also reviewed the school policy on field trip chaperones. It was general board consensus that the only chaperones permitted on field trips are chaperones essential to school operation.

A motion was made by John Albertson, seconded by Gary Kivioja to hire Christopher Reynolds as the Football coach. Motion carried. 6-0

Superintendent/Principal Report

The Superintendent reported on the following topics: 4<sup>th</sup> grade federal testing, Mackinac Island basketball game, and Professional Development day-NWEA scores. Christopher Reynolds gave the teachers report which included the following topics: Elementary fieldtrip, Elementary NWEA scores, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade studying erosion, and dances coming up.

Athletic Director Report

The Athletic Director reported on the following topics: three weeks left of the current sports season and next years scheduling.

Correspondence-None

Board Member Comment

Bob VanDamme-Bradly VanDamme was invited for the UP All Star game.

A motion was made by Gary Kivioja, seconded by John Albertson to adjourn the meeting at 5:03 p.m. Motion carried 6-0.

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Cheryl Patrick  
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