



Lapeer Community Schools Board Action Briefs

Mike Keller President
 Gary Oyster Vice President
 Peggy Bush Secretary
 Wendy Byard Trustee
 Denise Becker Trustee
 Jonathan Nugent Trustee
 Matthew Wandrie Superintendent

Board of Education Meeting Thursday, September 5, 2013

Turrill Elementary students led the Board and audience in the pledge of allegiance.

Principal Ken Janczarek from Turrill Elementary spoke to the Board about the successful year-round program taking place in his building.

The following candidates addressed the Board of Education regarding the opening on the Board of Education (due to the resignation of John Nugent): William Gavette, Elvina Dawn Vanniman, Michael Nolan, Michael J. Gildner, Robert Kimball and Tim Westman. The Board will appointment a new member at a special meeting on September 19, 2013 at 6:45 PM.

Wendy Byard reported on the Student Advocacy and Communications Committee meeting that was held on August 27, 2013 when Performance Money and Increasing Student Academic Motivation were discussed.

Gary Oyster reported on the Personnel Committee Meeting that was held on September 4, 2013 when negotiations and Administrative Guideline 8453.01 Control of Bloodborne Pathogens were discussed.

Board Action

- The Board appointed Peggy Bush to serve as Board Secretary for the remainder of 2013. This position was vacant due to the resignation of Board Member John Nugent.
- A special meeting was set for 6:45 PM on September 19, 2013.
- The Board approved the 2013 Tax Levy Resolution and Form L4029. Form L4029 specifies to the Treasurers of the various townships the exact amount to levy.

Board members thanked the candidates that applied for the vacancy on the Board of Education. They thanked Lapeer West band director Dan Hundt and Lapeer East band director Lyniece Fenner for working together and allowing the bands to perform at the "Welcome Back" meeting for all District staff that was held on August 28.

Board members thanked Mr. Janczarek and commended his staff for making the year-round program a success.

Board members expressed their gratitude to Sherryl McLaughlin, Executive Director of Special Education, for her work in the district and wished her well in new position as Assistant Superintendent at Eaton RESA.

Mr. Nugent stated that he attended the first student meeting for selecting a mascot for the new Lapeer High School. Mr. Wandrie led the meeting and presented the 60 students with the foundation they need to move forward in the selection process.

Mr. Wandrie stated he has spoken with several parents regarding the new security procedures that have been put in place before and after school at our elementary buildings. He has passed on some of the suggestions he received from parents to the principals.

Mr. Wandrie is pleased with the number of hits the District is receiving on the website and the number of people viewing the videos that have been posted. The internet is now the primary vehicle used by prospective families looking to move into our District.