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Shelley Palmer
President
Board of Education

Thursday, March 31, 2022
March 31, 2022 - Board of Education Minutes - Regular Meeting
Minutes are final and were approved at the April 12, 2022, meeting.

Meeting Time: 6:00 pm

Meeting Location open to the public: 1477 South Schodack Road, Room 310

Live Stream Link for viewing or listening:

<https://schodackk12.webex.com/schodackk12/onstage/g.php?MTID=eb11db1b5b045b6a1269de3e1dedf987d>

To join by phone:

1-408-418-9388

Access number: 2330 109 5168

Present: Shelley Palmer, Mary Yurista, Tylea Gebbie, Sherri Gibson, Marion Spar, Daniel Grandinetti and Kurt Maier

Also present: Jason Chevrier, Brian Carey, Jacqueline Hill, Hillary Brochu, James Derby, Nicole Martin and Michele Reickert

1. MEETING OPENING

A. President Shelley Palmer called the meeting to order at 6:01 pm.

B. President Shelley Palmer asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

C. **Mary Yurista moved** to approve the present agenda, **Tylea Gebbie seconded, all present in favor.**

2. REPORTS

A. Discipline – Alyssa Sabbatino, Jacqueline Hill, Hillary Brochu, James Derby and Nicole Martin

Alyssa Sabbatino talked about emotional and behavioral stress that COVID has brought to students affecting their behavior. Administrators shared building level behavior data for different behaviors: Hands On: pushing, shoving, physical contact and Verbal: disturbance, disrespect, failure to follow the rules, as well as consequences for the various behaviors.

B. 2022-2023 Budget Update – Jason Chevrier and Brian Carey

Information was shared about the state budget process, changes to Aid, transfer to capital project limit increase, residential placement cost shift and retiree income waiver. Insurance rates came in lower than what was projected in Draft #2 of the budget, SFA contract negotiations an agreement has been reached, and Universal Pre-K. The proposed \$100K transfer to capital project for the high school gymnasium was outlined to be presented as part of the budget.

There was discussion about the search for a new high school principal.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

4. BOARD DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEM FOLLOW UP

A. Board Discussion

- Kyle Hurysz has submitted a resignation letter resigning as a board member. Mr. Chevrier thanked Kyle for his service to the district.

5. FINANCE

Mary Yurista moved for approval of items 5. A. through B., Daniel Grandinetti seconded, all present in favor.

A. Approval of a contract for the Bus Garage Alterations project with Gallo Construction Corporation with a contract amount of \$60,700.00 (base bid of \$42300.00 and Alternate in the amount of \$18.400.00).

B. Motion to approve a Memorandum of Agreement between Schodack Central School District and The Schodack Faculty Association setting forth the parties' agreement relating to their successor collective bargaining agreement.

6. OTHER ACTION

None.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

8. ACTION ITEMS

Graduation rate.

9. ADJOURNMENT

A Sherri Gibson moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 pm., Daniel Grandinetti seconded, all present in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michele A. Reickert

District Clerk