

ROSEBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Time & Location:

The August 9, 2017 School Board Meeting was held at 6:00 p.m. in the Central Office Board Room, located at 1419 Northwest Valley View Drive followed by an Executive Session



SUPERINTENDENT:

GERRY C. WASHBURN, Ed.D.

Superintendent's Report:

Dr. Washburn thanked RHS Principal, Jill Weber, for her initial work on P-3, emphasizing that the skills improvement we are seeing with our youngest students is largely due to her efforts. Coordinator, Kris Kelso, and Tatum Stedman, Instructional Coach, now continue that work. The passion these individuals have for our most at-risk learners is obvious and they all deserve credit for the strides being made in the area of P-3, a critical factor in each student's pathway to graduation.

This Sunday, just after

Next Board Meeting:

August 23, 2017
6:00 p.m.
1419 NW Valley View Drive
Roseburg, Oregon

midnight, RHS football practice will take place under the lights.

Chief Operations Officer, Cheryl Northam, has obtained a \$20,000 grant for facility assessment to enable us to evaluate 3-4 schools. She plans to apply for another grant to assess more schools in order to adequately inform our community of what could potentially be accomplished through a future bond proposal.

HR Director, Robert Freeman, was recognized for responding to the County's need for area cooling centers due to the recent intense heat. Green Principal, Amy Jo Rodriguez, partnered with outside agency staff in providing space at Green Elementary.

Dr. Washburn thanked the Board and his staff for being considerate while he spent time with visiting grandchildren who wasted no time in reminding him of what is truly important in life.

The Board accepted licensed resignations from Ari Maloney, Tanya Maxwell, and Elise Sensabaugh.

Action Items:

The Board approved the Consent Agenda that consisted of July 12th Minutes, Gifts to the District and Surplus.

Board members

approved employment recommendations for:

- Bridget Batsch, PE Teacher;
Jonathan Foster, Language Arts Teacher, Rose School;
Jeffrey Freeman, RHS Credit Retrieval Teacher;
Kirsti Hellenthal, PE Teacher;
Sarah Hobert, First Grade Teacher at Winchester School;
Jamie Hummel, PE Teacher;
Randi Janeksela, Preschool Teacher at Winchester School;
Harmony Klingenmeyer, Elementary Music Teacher;
Crystal Reynolds, Sixth Grade Social Studies Teacher at Fremont Middle School; and
Kylie Smith, PE Teacher.

The Board considered the proposed 2017-2018 Supplemental Budget following increased funding from the State.

The Board approved Resolution 17-18-9 adopting the proposed Supplemental Budget for 2017-2018, as well as budget appropriations within the 10 percent limitation on expenditures as allowed under Oregon Budget Law.

The Board was excited to

hear staffing proposals including restoration of a counseling position at RHS; two middle school in-school suspension/skills trainers; an additional English Teacher for Rose Alternative School; two full-time elementary music teachers; and four full-time elementary PE teachers, due to increases in the State School Fund.

The Board approved an MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) for 2017-2018 with the Roseburg Education Association for our licensed staff.

Members of the Board were appointed to Board Sub-Committee positions for the 2017-2018 school year.

The Board approved 2017-2018 Supervisory and Confidential Employee designations.

Policy JG/JGD/JGE: Discipline-Suspension/Expulsion and Custodial/Non-Custodial Parent-District Relations Policy were both postponed until the August 23rd Board Meeting.

- School Board:
Charles Lee, Chair
Dan Endicott, Vice Chair
Rod Cotton
Joseph Garcia
Rev. Howard Johnson
Paul Meyer
Steve Patterson