

ROSEBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Time & Location:

The September 12th School Board Meeting was held at 6:00 p.m. in the Administrative Office Board Room located at 1419 NW Valley View Drive, Roseburg, Oregon immediately followed by an Executive Session.



INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT AND DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES

ROBERT FREEMAN

Interim Superintendent, Robert Freeman, shared staffing adjustment recommendations due to early student enrollment numbers in our K-1st grade classrooms.

Green Elementary School is the first school to receive the national Zone 2 Blue Zone designation and a banner is currently proudly displayed in the District Office Board Room.

Next Board Meeting(s):

Work Session: September 17, 2018 - 7 p.m.

Regular Meeting: September 26, 2018—6 p.m. Administrative Office Board Room 1419 NW Valley View Drive Roseburg, Oregon

Mr. Freeman also shared a draft document that is a compilation of Board adopted policies for student conduct and discipline that will be presented to the Board for approval in the near future. This will provide helpful direction for administrative staff who deal directly with student behavior issues.

Action Items:

The Consent Agenda, including Minutes from August 22nd, Surplus Items and the following hiring recommendations were approved:

- Jill Kraack, TOSA at Fullerton IV Elementary School, a temporary position for 2018-19;
Elise Sensabaugh, a Kindergarten Teacher at Hucrest Elementary School;
Laurie Way, Math Teacher at Roseburg High School; and
Gail Withers, Third Grade Teacher at Hucrest Elementary School, a temporary position for 2018-19.

Also approved was a Leave of Absence Request from Hucrest Third Grade Teacher, Kristina Ikola beginning March 2019 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year.

Policy IGBAJ: Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE) was approved for Second Reading and Adoption.

Policy JHFF: Reporting Requirements Regarding Sexual Misconduct with Students, failed to be approved for First Reading and will again be brought forth for consideration after Director Freeman has the opportunity to research additional information as requested by the Board.

Teaching and Learning Director, Robert Emerson, was pleased to introduce the District's new Instructional Leadership Coordinator, Michelle Knee. Michelle comes to us from Clark County Schools in Las Vegas, Nevada, having been an educator for 23 years. She brings experience as a Reading Specialist and English Language Learner Specialist. Michelle has been an administrator for nine years, most recently at a PreK-5 school of 900 students. Michelle's energy, enthusiasm and experience will serve her well in this position working with District administrators. Ms. Knee shared that she has been able to reach out to two-four schools per day, is very appreciative of her newest opportunity and is looking forward to serving

Roseburg Public Schools for a long time.

The Board considered several topics to be discussed at future Board Work Sessions. The first Work Session will be scheduled for next Monday, September 17th to provide an opportunity to discuss Interim Superintendent status and available options for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year, including a possible superintendent search. Other suggested potential topics to be discussed at future work sessions may include Board and Cabinet communication; Board sub-committees; the current status of the District, District goals, direction, values and staff engagement; communication protocols, teamwork and learning to appreciate that every person has value.

The Board met in Executive Session pursuant to ORS 192.660(2)(h) to consult with legal counsel regarding current and possible litigation.

- School Board:
Joseph Garcia, Chair
Steve Patterson, Vice Chair
Rod Cotton
Micki Hall
Rev. Howard Johnson
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