

# GAYLORD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Regular Meeting

Monday, September 12, 2022

7:00 PM

## MINUTES

Brad Bensinger: Present  
Katie Drzewiecki: Absent  
Mike Fessler: Absent  
Sara Gapinski: Present  
Jeff Gorno: Present  
James Vanderveer: Absent  
Jeff Wieber: Present

**APPROVED**

### I. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Roll Call
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Moment of Silence for our Armed Service Personnel
- D. Items to be added/changed to the agenda
- E. Correspondence/Commendations

- 1. Catt's Realty Company

Thank you letter from SME to Catt's Realty Company for their donation toward the Health Minds-Healthy Body Grant.

### II. CONSENT AGENDA

It is recommended that the Board approve the Consent Agenda, as presented.

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda, as presented. This motion, made by Sara Gapinski and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea  
Katie Drzewiecki: Absent  
Mike Fessler: Absent  
Sara Gapinski: Yea  
Jeff Gorno: Yea  
James Vanderveer: Absent  
Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

- A. Board Minutes  
September 8, 2022 Board Workshop Meeting Minutes
- B. Treasurers Report

1.

General Fund & Athletic Fund bills in the amount of \$2,032,575.00

Cafeteria Fund bills in the amount of \$13,310.67

Sinking Fund bills in the amount of \$59,258.82

Prior Period Adjustments in the amount of \$0.00

C. Personnel

1. New Hires:

It is recommended that the Board approve the hiring of the following individuals, contingent upon a successful criminal history check and unprofessional conduct check, as presented.

GIS Assistant Principal - Alan Dawe

GHS Special Education Teacher - Elizabeth Hunter

SME Kindergarten Teacher - Pamela LaGattuta

Elementary Literacy Specialist - Wendy Cole

Educational Assistants - Emily Atkins, Ashley Clarke, Tami Fults, Olivia Smith, Daniel

Dorrance, Rebecca House, Anne Marie Bristol, Jennifer Jones, Breanna Myers, Kelli Huber

Food Service Helper - Janis Collins

GMS Football Coaches - Austin Vanderveer and Spencer Oppermann

Bus Driver - Carrie Dann

2. Resignations:

It is recommended that the Board approve the resignations of the following individuals, as presented.

SME Teacher - Sarah Wallace

Educational Assistants - Kim Hattis, Kyrie Caswell, Katherine Denoyer

Preschool Supervisor - Stephanie Noss

Food Service - Katherine Pipper

GMS Football Coach - Peter Thompson

III. **STAFF REPORTS**

A. BGT Committee - Katie Drzewiecki

- Jim Cracraft presented minutes from the August 31, 2022, BGT Committee meeting.

B. State Testing Results - Dennis Keck

- Dennis Keck presented GCS State Assessment scores. (PowerPoint)

IV. **NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

A. 2022-2023 Lunch Prices

It is recommended that the Board approve the 2022-2023 lunch prices, as presented.

Motion to approve the 2022-2023 lunch prices, as presented. This motion, made by Jeff Gorno and seconded by Sara Gapinski, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

#### B. 2022-2023 Emergency Operations Plan

It is recommended that the Board authorizes the Superintendent to amend the Gaylord Community Schools EOP as necessary.

Motion to authorizes the Superintendent to amend the Gaylord Community Schools EOP as necessary. This motion, made by Jeff Gorno and seconded by Brad Bensinger, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

#### C. Used Bus Purchase Bids

It is recommended by the BGT Committee that the Board approve the used school bus purchase bids, as presented.

Motion to approve the used school bus purchase bids, as presented. This motion, made by Brad Bensinger and seconded by Sara Gapinski, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

#### D. GCS 2023 Summer Projects

It is recommended by the BGT Committee that the Board approve the 2023 summer projects for Gaylord Community Schools, as presented.

Motion to approve the 2023 summer projects for Gaylord Community Schools, as presented. This motion, made by Jeff Gorno and seconded by Sara Gapinski, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

**E. 2023-2024 Bus Purchase**

It is recommended by the BGT Committee that the Board approve the purchase of two school buses for the 2023--2024 school year.

Motion to approve the purchase of two school buses for the 2023-2024 school year. This motion, made by Sara Gapinski and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3

**V. PUBLIC INPUT**

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn the September 12, 2022 Board meeting at 7:26 p.m. This motion, made by Jeff Gorno and seconded by Brad Bensinger, Passed.

Brad Bensinger: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Absent

Mike Fessler: Absent

Sara Gapinski: Yea

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 3