



Committee of the Whole Meeting October 10, 2022 Minutes

A Committee Meeting of the Eastern Lancaster County School Board of Directors, which was properly advertised in the LNP *Lancaster Newspaper*, was held on Monday, October 10, 2022 at 7:00 p.m., in Community Hall located at the Garden Spot High School and Middle Complex, 669 E. Main Street, New Holland, PA 17557. The meeting was broadcasted via live video feed as well.

To hear the details under each agenda item, please refer to the recording of the meeting which is posted on the District's website (www.elanco.org) under Our District // School Board of Directors // Meeting Audio Minutes

Roll Call

Board Members in attendance were: Gary Buck, Brian Conroy, Jonathan Dahl, Jacqueline Geyer, Paul Irvin, Kevin McCarroll, Bryan Naranjo and Thomas Wentzel

Board Members not in attendance were: Dina Maio

Also in attendance were: Dr. Michael Snopkowski, Dr. Nadine Larkin, Keith Ramsey and Rebekah Ray

Staff/Public in attendance were: Several citizens of the community and staff members of the District.

1. Welcome and Call to Order

President Dahl opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

2. Moment of Silence/Reflection - Pledge of Allegiance

Mr. McCarroll led in a silent meditation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Citizens of the District Comments

The Board encourages citizens of the district to come before the Board to present their petitions, inquiries, or other communications of interest. The Board invites public (Citizens of the District) to comment on any topic that is within the Board's jurisdiction. As outlined in Board Policy 903, the Board requires that public participants be residents or taxpayers of this district.

Thank you.

Ralph Hess – New Holland, PA – said a prayer

Henry Smeltz – New Holland, PA – spoke to the Board about decisions that have been made regarding books that are and not allowed in the schools.

Dave Horst – East Earl, PA – spoke about some of his family history and how he believes it’s connected to the Eastern Lancaster County School District.

4. Approve Personnel Report

4.a. Staff

Kara Martin introduced Sara Swisher who is the new Behavior Specialist for the Secondary Campus.

4.b. Extra-Curricular Staff

Mr. Wentzel made a motion to approve the agenda. It was seconded by Mr. Irvin.
The motion was approved. (8-0; 1 absent)

5. Property and Services

5.a. Athletic Ticket Prices/Passes

Mr. Ramsey spoke about the current fees and the research Ms. Wilson had done regarding passes for prices. Administration had come up with prices that they thought were acceptable for Sr. Citizens, students, and families.

5.b. Agreement with PA Principals Association

Mr. Ramsey spoke about this agreement that had to be signed regarding the Interim Principal.

5.c. Communications and Public Relations Support Proposal

Mr. Ramsey spoke about this agreement and their services regarding the upcoming Communications Audit for the District.

5.d. PSBA Election of Officers

Mr. Ramsey spoke about the Officers and needing to have voting done by the end of October.

5.e. 2023-24 Act 1 Index and Budget Calendar

Mr. Ramsey spoke about the Act 1 Index and that increase.

6. Program

6.a. Approve Eastern Lancaster County School District Comprehensive Plan 2022-2025

Dr. Larkin spoke about the approval of this Plan for next week.

7. Management

7.a. First Read Board Policies

Dr. Snopkowski stated that this round is for the 200 policies.

7.b. Approve Agricultural Advisory Board

Dr. Snopkowski spoke about this being an annual requirement.

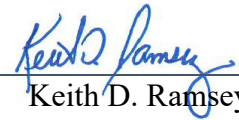
7.c. Communications Audit Update

Dr. Snopkowski gave the Board members an update on what is going on with the Audit. This evaluation is for communication throughout the district including, parents, students, and staff members.

8. Announcements - NONE

9. Adjournment

Mr. Conroy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:32 p.m. with a second by Mr. Irvin.
The motion was approved. (8-0; 1 absent)



Keith D. Ramsey
School Board Secretary
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