



Committee of the Whole Meeting April 10, 2023 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, April 10, 2023 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, Dina Maio, Kevin McCarroll, and Thomas Wentzel

Board Members not in attendance were: Bryan Naranjo

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, a member from LNP Newspaper 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. Gary Buck led in a silent mediation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Garden Spot HS Career Coaching

Dr. Snopkowski introduced Jill Hackman and John Robbins who talked to the Board about the Career Coaching program at Garden Spot. Valerie Martin and Syanna Duval spoke about their experiences that they have had with this program.

4. 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 the 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.

Justin Nolt, New Holland, PA – spoke to the Board about the budget for the Athletic department.

Dwight Hurst, New Holland, PA – spoke to the Board about the budget for the Athletic department.

Carla O’Neill, East Earl, PA – spoke to the Board about the Athletic budget.

Eloise Taylor, New Holland, PA – spoke to the Board about field trips for the learners at the school.

Kathy Ashcroft, New Holland, PA – spoke to the board about the safety of the students in the school.

5. Approve Personnel Report

5.a. Staff Personnel Report

Heather Schrantz introduced Sara Wendell, the new District psychologist.

5.b. Extra-Curricular Personnel Report

Mr. Irvin made a motion to approve. It was seconded by Mr. Wentzel.

The motion was approved. (8-0; 1 absent)

6. Property and Services

6.a. 2023-24 Budget

Mr. Ramsey presented the school’s budget for 2023-24 to the board.

7. Program - NONE

8. Management

8.a. First Read Policies

8.b. Second Read Policies

8.c. Safety and Security Update

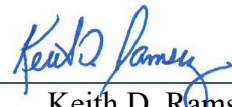
Dr. Snopkowski spoke about the safety and security of the learners and staff of the district.

9. Announcements

10. Adjournment

Mr. Conroy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:54 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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