

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES OF
CASTON SCHOOL CORPORATION
October 13, 2021
6:00 P.M.
Bruce E. Cress Board Room**

Board President Chad Boldry called the October 13, 2021, meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. Present at the meeting were the following board members: Mrs. Cristie Rans, Mrs. Beth Howard, and Mr. Roger Byrum. Also present were Dr. Paul Voigt, Superintendent; Ms. Jennifer Lukens, and Mrs. Anita Doan. Members of the public present were Mr. Justin Cravens, and Ms. Erica Zimmer.

2. Public Comment Regarding Advertised Items: None

3. Tentative Contract Agreement:

Per IC 20-29-6-19 - Presentation of Tentative Agreement between Caston School Corporation and Caston Classroom Teachers Association for purposes of discussion was brought to the board, and no action will be taken until the next scheduled board meeting.

Consensus

4. Other Business: None

5. Public Comment:

Mr. Cravens asked questions of the board regarding the use of masks on the buses and in school, and about vaccines and testing.

Ms. Zimmer is from another school district and had questions for the board about loss of funding due to Covid-19.

6. Board Comment:

Beth Howard expressed her excitement about the Caston Comets' first ever Soccer Sectional Championship on their home field, the 6 Cross Country Regional Qualifiers, the 2 athletes who qualified for Cross Country and Soccer Regionals, and Caston's win at the Rochester Optimist's Pumpkin Chucking Contest.

Chad Boldry commented on the increase in the student population at Caston, and attributes it to Dr. Voigt and the Caston staff.

7. Adjournment: Beth Howard moved, seconded by Cristie Rans that the special meeting be adjourned at 6:20 P.M.

Unanimous 4-0

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