

SAUQUOIT VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL  
Sauquoit, NY 13456

Date of Meeting: Tuesday, October 13, 2015

Kind of Meeting: Regular

Presiding Officer: Anthony Nicotera

Members Present: Anthony Nicotera, Kim Overrocker, Jim Dever, Mark Evans, Dawn Miller, Steven Shrey and Christine Weber Mangini

Members Absent: None

Administrators Present: Ronald Wheelock, Superintendent of Schools  
Charles Cowen, Business Administrator

Others Present: None

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Mr. Nicotera.

**Pledge of Allegiance** - The pledge of allegiance was recited.

**Presentation(s) - Capital Project** - Mr. Wheelock provided the Board with an update on the pending Capital Project. He shared that certain items in the proposed project are of the highest priority: items such as roofing, paving and sidewalk reconstruction, heating, ventilation, electrical and plumbing infrastructure. The big concern involves the renovation to the auditorium. This is expensive and as currently proposed, it minimizes our capacity to maximize building aid in the high school. The district had the architects draw plans to renovate the auditorium without expanding the building. In doing so, this will maximize our ability to receive building aid while still meeting our goal of updating the auditorium and increasing seating capacity. The district hopes to finalize a project scope and put the project up for vote in January.

**Public to Be Heard** - Mr. Nicotera asked if anyone wished to address the Board and no one did so.

**Students to Be Heard** - Mr. Nicotera asked if any students wished to address the Board and none did so. No students were present.

**Board of Education Sub-Committee Reports - Technology** - Mr. Wheelock shared what was discussed at the Board Technology Committee meeting at 6:00 p.m. Keith Kempney, Technology Director, reviewed the district's technology plan to be updated annually, explained the contents of the Smart Schools Investment Plan and unveiled the district's four-year Technology Investment Plan. The three main components of the four-year plan are: connectivity infrastructure, classroom technology and building security. The district has \$1,057,495 of Smart Schools' money from the state.

**Superintendent's Report** - Mr. Wheelock shared the unfortunate death of an area 19-year old whom was home schooled and that the district provided counseling for students who had questions or needed support as a result of this incident.

**Resolution No. 23** made by Dr. Overrocker, seconded by Mrs. Miller,

- to appoint Stacey Smith as a per diem substitute teacher effective October 14, 2015.
- to appoint Elizabeth Naculich as a per diem substitute teacher effective October 14, 2015.
- to appoint Michelle Raymer as a per diem substitute teacher effective October 14, 2015.
- to appoint Bre' Giambone as a per diem substitute teacher effective October 14, 2015.
- to appoint Paul Baker as a per diem substitute teacher effective October 14, 2015.
- that the minutes of the September 22, 2015 meeting be approved.
- that the Board of Education upon completion of its review of the IEP in accordance with Section 200.4(d)(2) of the Regulations of the Commissioner agrees to arrange for appropriate special education programs and services for students numbered 1400695, 1400619, 102533, 400941, 1400410, 1400669, 400895, 1400551, 1400742, 1400165, 1400695, 150040 and 1400720 as recommended by the Committee on Special Education.

Carried: Ayes 7.

**Public to Be Heard** - Mr. Nicotera asked if anyone wished to address the Board and no one did so.

**Resolution No. 24** made by Mrs. Miller, seconded by Mr. Evans, that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m. Carried: Ayes 7.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald Wheelock  
Superintendent of Schools