



School District of Onalaska Board of Education Regular Meeting Minutes Monday, July 24, 2023

President Ann Garrity called the Onalaska Board of Education regular meeting to order on Monday, July 24, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at 237 2nd Ave S, Onalaska, WI.

- 1. Roll Call:**
Members Present - Shawn McAlister, Aaron McDonald, Tesia Marshik, Mark Cassellius, and Ann Garrity.
Members Absent - Brian Haefs, Erik Archer
Administrators/Directors Present - Todd Antony, Janet Rosseter, Laurie Enos, Charlie Ihle, Todd Saner, Jana Yashinsky, Sonya Ganther, and Amanda Gamroth.
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag:** Ann Garrity led the group in the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 3. Reading of the Mission Statement:** Aaron McDonald read the School Board Mission Statement.
- 4. Public Notice:** Public notice was given to the requesting news media. The agenda was posted in district buildings, and on the district website.
- 5. Approval of Agenda:** *Motion by M. Cassellius, second by T. Marshik, to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried unanimously.*
- 6. Public Input:** There were no public speakers.
- 7. Action Research Project:** *Motion by A. McDonald, second by T. Marshik, to approve Michelle Syverson's action research project as part of her master's program. Motion carried unanimously.*
- 8. School Health Services Annual Report:** Amanda DeNault, Director of Nursing Services, presented the 2022-23 school health services annual report for Board information.
- 9. Building Project Update:** Administration gave an update on the middle school building project.
- 10. Boys & Girls Club Signage Agreement:** *Motion by T. Marshik, second by A. McDonald, to approve the signage agreement with the Boys and Girls Club. Motion carried unanimously.*
- 11. Board Policy:** *Motion by M. Cassellius, second by S. McAlister, to approve revisions to Board Policy 2105. Motion carried unanimously.*

12. **2023-24 Handbooks:**
- A. *Motion by T. Marshik, second by S. McAlister, to approve the induction handbook. Motion carried unanimously.*
 - B. Charlie Ihle presented the co-curricular staff handbook for a first reading and Board consideration.
 - C. Charlie Ihle presented the high school activities handbook for a first reading and Board consideration.
 - D. Jana Yashinsky presented the middle school activities handbook for a first reading and Board consideration.
 - E. Jana Yashinsky presented the middle school student handbook for a first reading and Board consideration.
 - F. Todd Saner presented the elementary student handbook for a first reading and Board consideration.
13. **Transportation Fee:** *Motion by A. McDonald, second by M. Cassellius, to approve the 2023-24 Parent Contract Transportation Fee. Motion carried unanimously.*
14. **Physical Therapist Services:** *Motion by T. Marshik, second by A. McDonald, to enter into a 66.03 agreement with the School District of Holmen for physical therapy services for the 2023-24 school year. Motion carried unanimously.*
15. **Personnel Report:** Sonya Ganther presented the personnel report for Board approval:
- A. New Employees - Certified Staff -
 - 1. **Hannah McDonah-Anderson** to fill the 1.0 FTE 6th grade social studies teacher position at the middle school effective August 14, 2023 at BA 0 credits, \$51,279 and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This position was vacated by Derek Oppelt.
 - 2. **Kathleen Carson** to fill the 1.0 FTE school psychologist position at the middle school effective August 14, 2023 at MA 30 credits, \$81,824 and contingent on release from the School District of Arcadia. This position was vacated by Jennifer Gimmer.
 - 3. **Sergei Rospel** to fill the 1.0 FTE 7th grade science teacher position at the middle school effective August 14, 2023 at MA 0 credits, \$58,576 and contingent on release from the Chippewa Falls Area Unified School District. This position was vacated by Morgan Beckman.
 - B. New Employee - Limited Term Certified Staff - **Alyssa Davis** to fill the 1.0 FTE limited term kindergarten teacher position at Eagle Bluff Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at BA 0 credits, \$47,375, for the 2023-24 school year only, and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This is a newly created position.
 - C. New Employees - Hourly Staff -
 - 1. **Kimberly Weber** to fill the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at the middle school effective August 14, 2023 at \$19.93 per hour and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This is a newly created position.

2. **Savanna Jensen** to fill the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$19.93 per hour and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This position was vacated by Anna White.
 3. **Tylar Holtan** to fill the .667 FTE regular education paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$18.81 per hour. This position was vacated by Jennifer Haffner.
 4. **Jill Thesing** to fill the .667 FTE PreK paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$18.81 per hour. This position was vacated by Kathy Bray.
 5. **Ruth Gosse** to fill the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at Eagle Bluff Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$19.93 per hour and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This position was vacated by Bailey Schultz.
 6. **Jason Kay** to fill the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$19.93 per hour and contingent on certification from the WI DPI. This position was vacated by Meghan Kehoe.
 7. **Rachel Walden** to fill the .533 FTE regular education paraprofessional position at Northern Hills Elementary effective August 14, 2023 at \$18.81 per hour. This position was vacated by Peyton Rothering.
- D. Summer School Contracts - Administration presented 2023 elementary and middle school summer school contracts for Board approval.
- E. Co-Curricular Resignation - **Chris Meunier**, Express and Hilltopper show band director, effective July 18, 2023.
- F. Co-Curricular Contracts -
1. **Devin Pettys**, National Honor Society advisor, \$649.04.
 2. **Jonathan Jansky**, girls' golf asst. coach, as needed, \$1,935.
 3. **Jordenne Butler**, dance team asst. coach, \$3,225.
 4. **Thomas Fortier**, cross country asst. coach, \$2,365.
 5. **Hana Schauf**, cross country asst. coach, \$2,365.
 6. **Clifford (Andy) Amundson**, varsity football asst. coach, as needed, ½ contract, \$1,397.50.
 7. **John Bushman**, varsity football asst. coach, as needed, ½ contract, \$1,397.50.
 8. **Carter Melby**, freshman football asst. coach, ½ contract, \$1,397.50.
 9. **Sean Clarke**, freshman football asst. coach, ½ contract, \$1,397.50.
 10. **Nick Haring**, freshman football asst. coach, \$2,795.
 11. **Josh Lichty**, freshman football head coach, \$2,795.
 12. **Anthony (Tony) DeGaetano**, varsity football asst. coach, \$2,795.
 13. **Mitchell Smidl**, JV boys soccer head coach, \$2,900.
 14. **Pha Vang**, varsity volleyball asst. coach, ½ contract, \$1,075.
 15. **Erin Markworth**, varsity volleyball asst. coach, ½ contract, \$1,075.
 16. **Theresa Schramm**, VR volleyball head coach, \$2,150.
 17. **Allison Yingst**, freshman volleyball coach, as needed, \$2,150.

18. **Claire Kortens**, JV volleyball head coach, \$2,150.
19. **Brandon King**, MS football asst. coach, as needed, \$1,575.
20. **Tom Lawrynk**, 7th grade football asst. coach, \$1,575.
21. **Mayson Taylor**, 8th grade football asst. coach, \$1,575.
22. **Jodie Visker**, garden coordinator, \$3,742.63.
23. **Jodie Visker**, green council advisor, \$1,146.48.
24. **David Schumann**, drumline director, \$1,444.94.
25. **Leo Chavolla Barrera**, Express show band director, \$1,444.94.
26. **Leo Chavolla Barrera**, Hilltopper show band director, \$2,193.46.
27. **Scott Levengood**, MS cross country head coach, \$1,975.
28. **Maranda Hilby**, MS cross country asst. coach, \$1,575.
29. **Chris Sullivan**, MS golf asst. coach, as needed, \$1,400.
30. **Zoe Simon**, 8th grade volleyball head coach, \$1,975.

G. Transfer Notifications - Hourly Staff -

1. **Bailey Schultz** from the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at Eagle Bluff Elementary to the 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional position at Northern Hills Elementary, effective August 14, 2023. This position was vacated by Anne Peyton.
2. **Jennifer Haffner** from the .667 FTE regular education paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary to the 1.0 FTE health paraprofessional position at Irving Pertzsch Elementary, effective August 14, 2023

H. Resignation Notifications - Hourly Staff -

1. **Caycee Bean**, 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional at Irving Pertzsch Elementary, effective July 10, 2023.
2. **Meghan Kehoe**, 1.0 FTE special education paraprofessional at Irving Pertzsch Elementary, effective July 12, 2023.
3. **Heather Wolff**, 5.5 hour per day cook at Eagle Bluff Elementary, effective July 12, 2023.
4. **Peyton Rothering**, .533 FTE regular education paraprofessional at Northern Hills Elementary, effective July 20, 2023.
5. **Kelly Berg**, .70 FTE PreK paraprofessional at Northern Hills Elementary, effective July 21, 2023.

Motion by A. McDonald, second by T. Marshik, to approve the personnel report. Motion carried unanimously.

16. **Consent Agenda:** *Motion by A. McDonald, second by M. Cassellius, to approve the following under the consent agenda:*

- A. *Budgetary Disbursements - July 12, 2023 Funds 10, 21, and 27. Wire transfer checks. July 13, 2023 Funds 10, 21, 27 and 50. ACH checks. Computer checks 154804 - 154816. July 20, 2023 Funds 10, 21, 49 and 50. ACH checks. July 25, 2023 Funds 10, 21, 27, 49 and 50. ACH checks. Computer checks 154823 - 154832.*
- B. *Payroll - July 21, 2023.*
- C. *Financials - June 2023.*

D. Minutes - July 10, 2023 regular meeting minutes.
Motion carried unanimously.

17. **Adjourn:** Motion by A. McDonald, second by T. Marshik, to adjourn at 6:55 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Amanda Gamroth

Ann Garrity, Board President

Brian Haefs, Board Clerk