

OFFICIAL MINUTES
GENESEE VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL
BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING & WORK SESSION
TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023 – 5:30 P.M.
MEDIA CENTER, ROOM 1121

The regular meeting was called to order at 5:27 p.m. by Heath Gordon, President presiding.

Roll Call was taken by Deputy District Clerk:

Members Present: Heath Gordon, President, Eric Knapp, Vice-President, Tim Hand, Fred Grusendorf, Max Gilluly, Michelle Kelley, Jamie Willson

District Personnel: Brian Schmitt, Superintendent; Erin Ostrander, Business Official/Deputy District Clerk

Staff Member: Nicole Norasethaporn (left at 5:46 p.m.), Donna Slawson, Kim Marciano

Guests: Cody Schneider, Rick Fontaine, Mary Presutti, Dale Thomas, Katie Thomas, Thai Norasethaporn, Matt Cater, Toma Hutchison, Dawn Scott, Trent Scott, Kennedy Norasethaporn (all left at 5:46 p.m.), Barb Woolston (left at 5:45 p.m.)

Pledge of Allegiance was recited

Persons to address the Board:

- Barb Woolston – discussed the baseball coaching position; support for Kevin Scott; why GV is bringing in new coach when the current one didn't have any bad evaluations; spoke to both Kevin & Denny
- Mary Presutti – asked if sports committees have met since last Board meeting?
- Rick Fontaine – asked if summer league is happening and if it is with Belfast; asked what their record is? (6-0)
- Toma Hutchison – spoke on talent that is coming up; decision shouldn't be based on win/loss record; asked if it was brought up why Denny left Wellsville; not easy getting coaches and this is hurting the coaches we have.

APPOINT VARSITY BASEBALL COACH: Acting on the recommendation of the Superintendent – Motion made by Tim Hand, seconded by Max Gilluly – BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School appoints **Denny Miles** as Varsity Baseball Coach for the 2023-24 school year, pay as per GVEA contract. VOTE: Yes 5, No 2, Abs. 0 Motion carried. (Fred Grusendorf, Heath Gordon)

AJOURNMENT OF REGULAR MEETING: Motion made by Michelle Kelley, seconded by Tim Hand – BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School adjourns the regular meeting at 5:45 p.m. VOTE: Yes 7, No 0, Abs. 0 Motion carried.

ENTER WORK SESSION: Motion made by Max Gilluly, seconded by Eric Knapp – BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School enters into work session at 5:46 p.m.

VOTE: Yes 7, No 0, Abs. 0 Motion carried.

WORK SESSION:

- Committees for 2023-24
- BOE Agenda Meeting Schedule
- Board Goals – will discuss at BOE Retreat
- Mission & Vision – will discuss at BOE Retreat
- Athletics
- For the Good of the Order

ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion made by Tim Hand, seconded by Eric Knapp – BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School suspends the work session at 5:46 p.m. to enter into executive session for personnel discussion.

VOTE: Yes 7, No 0, Abs. 0 Motion carried.

EXIT EXECUTIVE SESSION & RESUME WORK SESSION: Motion made by Tim Hand, seconded by Max Gilluly – BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School exits executive session and resumes work session at 6:43 p.m.

VOTE: Yes 7, No 0, Abs. 0 Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion made by Eric Knapp, seconded by Max Gilluly - BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Genesee Valley Central School adjourns the work session at 7:16 p.m.

VOTE: Yes 7, No 0, Abs. 0 Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted:

Pamela A. Winterhalter
District Clerk