

UNOFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION
GROTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 06-6

REGULAR MEETING

March 29, 2016

President Smith called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm in the High School Conference Room. Members present: Hanson, Harder, Kjelden, Nelson, Rix, Smith and Weismantel. Others present: Superintendent J. Schwan, Principals A. Schwan and B. Schwan and Business Manager Weber.

Moved by Weismantel, second Kjelden to approve the agenda with one amendment under New Business #1a – approve resignation from Dana Dargatz. Motion carried.

Representatives from Fosters, Jacobs and Johnson, Inc presented their report on education adequacy, demographics and values definition. No action was taken.

Members of the public were allowed five minutes to address the board on any topic of their choice. With no public members present to speak, the board proceeded with their remaining agenda items.

The board heard presentations from 4th and 5th grade teachers Joel Guthmiller, Susan Fjeldheim, Janel Lone and Shelby Hendrickson.

No committee reports were given.

Items discussed in Administrative Reports were: health insurance rate increase meeting, coaching openings, kitchen plumbing update, Doney Field sign, Junior High Track for 6th grade, SBAC testing, Dakota Step Science, DIBELS, Track and Field Day, Kindergarten visitation, OST update, Math Curriculum Training, Driver's Education, Prom, NEAP meeting, State Student Council Convention, State Principal's Convention and FY '15 audit report,

Moved by Nelson, second Rix to approve resignation from Greg Kjellsen as Head Boys Basketball Coach for the 2016-17 school year, pending a suitable replacement. Motion carried.

Moved by Harder, second Weismantel to approve resignation from Dana Dargatz as Head Wrestling Coach for the 2016-17 school year, pending a suitable replacement. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Nelson to approve resignation from Robin Meyer as part-time Custodian. Motion carried.

Superintendent Schwan reviewed the SD Department of Health Food Service inspection of the Elementary facility on March 21. The facility scored 100 out of 100 possible points.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to go into executive session at 7:35 pm pursuant to SDCL 1-25-2(1) for personnel issues. Motion carried.

Smith declared the board out of executive session at 7:45 pm.

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Moved by Harder, second Larson to issue a 2016-17 teaching contract to Sarah Honerman with return date of April 8, 2016. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, second Weismantel to adjourn. Motion carried.

M. J. Weber, Business Manager

Steven R. Smith, President

The addition of signatures to this page verifies these minutes as official.

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