

**CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CASS CITY, MICHIGAN
MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
March 18, 2024**

The regular meeting of the Cass City Public Schools Board of Education was called to order on March 18, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cass City Jr/Sr High School Board Room by President Emily Lasceski.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Emily Lasceski, Stacey Bliss, Mandy Ross, Scott Richards and George Batty

MEMBERS ABSENT: Janie Meeker and Bryce VanVliet

OTHERS PRESENT: Superintendent Allison Zimba, Jr./Sr. H.S. Principal Bill Hartzell, Student Achievement Coordinator Julie Bitzer and Business Officer Beth Kittle.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Lasceski.

President Lasceski adopted the consent agenda as presented in the board packet. (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

It was moved by George Batty, supported by Scott Richards to accept the consent agenda items. **All Ayes, MOTION CARRIED,**

Recognition and Presentations:

The Board recognized the class of 2024 Valedictorian Hailey Dubs and Salutatorian Diana Cortes.

Received a Letter of Recognition from State Superintendent, Michael Rice, Ph.D.

Public Participation: None

Reports and Communications:

Student Achievement Data Reports were presented by Julie Bitzer and Bill Hartzell. (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

Early Literacy Framework was presented by Julie Bitzer. (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

A motion was made by Scott Richards, supported by Stacey Bliss, to accept the Return to Learn and Continuity of Services Plan. **All Ayes. MOTION CARRIED.** (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

It was moved by Scott Richards, supported by Mandy Ross to accept the bus lot fencing bid from Halfway Fence Company in the amount of \$67,821.14. **All Ayes. MOTION CARRIED.** (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

The Strategic Plan put together a Title survey for parents and students. The survey provided great responses.

The Spring School Board Dinner is schedule for April 10, 2024, hosted by Akron-Fairgrove Schools.

HRA Grant Posting is a grant funded position which will work with schools and staff to address health needs in the district. Includes physical health, mental and behavioral health. (Copy in the Secretary's book)


Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

Secretary Stacey Bliss read the resignation letter of Deidra Zdrojewski. A motion was made by Stacey Bliss, supported by George Batty, to accept the resignation, with regrets. **All Ayes. MOTION CARRIED.** (A copy is in the Secretary's book)

Other:

At 7:55 p.m., it was moved by Stacey Bliss, supported by Scott Richards, that the regular meeting be adjourned. **All Ayes. MOTION CARRIED.**



Stacey Bliss, Secretary
Cass City Public Schools Board of Education