

**Webberville Community Schools Board of Education  
Special Board Meeting Minutes  
August 20, 2020**

**Call to Order**

A special meeting of the Webberville Board of Education was called to order by President Amy Coe in the Webberville High School cafeteria on Thursday, August 20, 2020, at 6:02 PM.

**Roll Call**

Present: Amy Coe, Heather Stiffler, Daneille Rhodes, Curt Carpenter and Linda Erwin

Absent: Jennifer Lycos, Amanda Barbour

Administration Present: Brian Friddle

**Approval of Agenda**

Ms. Rhodes moved, Mr. Carpenter seconded a motion to approve the agenda of the special Board of Education meeting being held on today's date, Thursday, August 20, 2020, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Carpenter – Y; Erwin – Y. Motion passed 5-0.

**Communications and Petitions**

None

**Reports**

Mr. Friddle provided an update on activities this week as school-year staff return to the buildings for professional development and training. The health self-screening process was explained and the board received QR codes that enable them to do it themselves when they enter the buildings. The latest developments on the ChromeBook shipments was discussed. There was discussion about the CARES Act and other related funds that could help offset costs for Covid-related expenses.

Mr. Smith provided an update on the current situation for athletics. The MHSAA released additional guidelines for sports and regions in the state. The GAC is reviewing middle school sports; some schools have cancelled games or suspended play until further notice.

**Action Items**

Ms. Rhodes moved, Ms. Erwin seconded a motion to approve hiring of Jeffrey Belding as a secondary teacher for the 2020-21 school year as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Carpenter – Y; Erwin – Y. Motion passed 5-0.

Ms. Rhodes moved, Mr. Carpenter seconded a motion to approve the hiring of Jessica Flowers as a secondary teacher for the 2020-21 school year as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Carpenter – Y; Erwin – Y. Motion passed 5-0..

Ms. Erwin moved, Ms. Rhodes seconded a motion to suspend indoor middle school athletics until further notice as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – N; Rhodes – N; Stiffler - N; Carpenter – N; Erwin – N. Motion failed 5-0.

Mr. Carpenter moved, Ms. Stiffler seconded a motion to approve the resolution granting emergency powers to the superintendent for the 2020-21 school year as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Carpenter – Y; Erwin – Y. Motion passed 5-0.

**Questions or comments from the audience**

None

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Ms. Coe stated communication is important and so is following the guidelines presented under the Governor's Return to Learn Roadmap. She shared her appreciation for the hard work that has been put in by staff over the summer to be ready for the start of the school year.

**Adjournment**

Mr. Carpenter moved, Ms. Rhodes seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Carpenter – Y; Erwin – Y. Motion passed 5-0. The board adjourned the meeting at 6:51 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Heather Stiffler  
Webberville Board of Education Secretary