Webberville Community Schools Board of Education Regular Board Meeting Minutes September 14, 2021

Call to Order

A regular meeting of the Webberville Board of Education was called to order by President Amy Coe in the Spartan Center Community Room on Tuesday, September 14, 2021, at 6:00 PM.

Roll Call

Present: Amy Coe, Daneille Rhodes, Heather Stiffler, Linda Erwin, Jennifer

Lycos, William Moran

Absent: Amanda Barbour

Administration Present: Andrew Smith

Approval of Agenda

Ms. Rhodes moved, Ms. Erwin seconded a motion to approve the agenda of the regular Board of Education meeting being held on today's date, Tuesday, September 14, 2021, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Erwin – Y; Lycos – Y; Moran - Y. Motion passed 6-0.

Routine Items - Consent Agenda

Ms. Lycos moved, Ms. Rhodes seconded a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe - Y; Rhodes - Y; Stiffler - Y; Erwin - Y; Lycos - Y; Moran - Y. Motion passed 6-0.

Reports

Mrs. Kiernan and Mr. Vowles shared updates on quarantine situations in the buildings, school photos and the mask mandates. Mr. Smith shared that Katie Petty has moved to the Spartan Center office to work and stated ESSER III funds may not have the spending flexibility of ESSER II.

Communications and Petitions

None

Action Items

Ms. Lycos moved, Ms. Erwin seconded a motion to approve the contract for Katherine Gorkowski for 2021-22 as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Erwin – Y; Lycos – Y; Moran - Y. Motion passed 6-0.

Ms. Rhodes moved, Ms. Lycos seconded a motion to approve the 2021 tax rate requests for Ingham and Livingston counties as levied on December 1, 2021, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Coe – Y; Rhodes – Y; Stiffler - Y; Erwin – Y; Lycos – Y; Moran - Y. Motion passed 6-0.

Questions or comments from the audience

Mrs. Catherine Huffman shared her concern about students violating the mask mandate and not receiving consequences is creating a culture of disrespect toward teachers.

Questions or comments from the board

Board members showed support for requiring masks as ordered by the mandate. By utilizing the student handbook to address the extreme situations, students will not be allowed to be insubordinate and disrespectful to teachers and staff.

Bus routes, dress code and homecoming dance were discussed briefly.

<u>Adjournment</u>

Ms. Rhodes moved, Ms. Lycos seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. Roll Call Vote: Coe - Y; Rhodes - Y; Stiffler - Y; Erwin - Y; Lycos - Y; Moran - Y. Motion passed 6-0. The board adjourned the meeting at 7:02 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Heather Stiffler
Webberville Board of Education Secretary