# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION Royalton-Hartland Central School District Middleport, New York

August 28, 2014

A regular meeting of the Royalton-Hartland Board of Education was held on the above date at the high school.

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m.

## CALL TO ORDER

Present: Keith Bond, Board Member

Daniel Bragg, Board Member Sara Fry, Board Member

Sandra Hoerner, Board Member Kenneth Koch, Vice President Patricia Riegle, President

Absent: Jeffery Waters, Board Member

Also Present: Roger Klatt, Ed.D., Sheila Murphy, Assistant Superintendent for Instructional

Services

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mr. Koch, to go into an executive session to discuss matters leading to the appointment of particular persons.

Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner to end the executive session. Motion carried.

The Board returned to open session at 8:00 p.m.

Mrs. Riegle asked the audience to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

# STANDING RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mr. Bond, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the minutes of the regular meeting of July 24, 2014 and the special meeting of August 7, 2014 be approved.

Motion carried.

Mrs. Hoerner moved, seconded by Mr. Koch, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the recommendations from the CPSE meetings of July15 and August 14, 2014 and the CSE meetings of July 28, August 13, 14 and 20, 2014 be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the June 2014 Student Activity Treasurer's Report be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mr. Koch, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the June 2014 Appropriation Status Report be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

### PERSONNEL ITEMS

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mr. Koch, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the following individuals are appointed, without benefits, as substitutes with services to be utilized on an as-needed basis. Employment shall be effective through June 30, 2015 unless terminated sooner:

Certified Teacher Jessica Annable Curtis Bachek Nicole Buhr Kathryn Burke Eleanor Byrne Shawn Christman Jennifer Cilip Allison Dauphin Lindsay Degan Marilyn Donovan **Emily Drum** Cari Dubois Alisha Duffina Fred Fierch Sarah Gow Chelcie Gramza Daniel Hamm Paul Herrmann Constance Hornquist Keith Jones Catherine Joynt

Matthew Kanaley Nathan Karczewski Amanda Kast Judy Keihl Abbi Keppler Lisa Klumpp Margaret Kreiner Robert Kudla Stephanie Lee Robert Linhart Julie Luce Jessica Martin Leah Matthews Kari McKinney Wendy O'Hearn Robin Padilla Steven Papapanu

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Patricia Turner Jennifer Walter Jennifer Tynan Emily Uderitz Jacob Weiland Kathryn Whalen Matthew Yarger

Non-Certified Teacher Douglas Bowden Nicole Bricourt Barbara Colley Valerie DeVirgilio Jennifer DiNieri Cheryl Ditullio Melissa Hartley Carol Hausrath Aileen Hinton Jonathan Incho Mary Kage Darian Kinney Walter Kujawa Wendy Lamirand Molly McEvoy Terri Nelson Rebekah Ronson

Andrea Santos

Linda Schifferle Tina Sheley Susan Spicer Carol Steblein-Little Jeffrey Swick Stephanie Szklany Debra Van Dusen Elizabeth Wheeler Joyce Wright

Teacher Aides/Monitors
Nicole Bricourt
Barbara Colley
Jennifer DiNieri
Cheryl Ditullio

Dawn Zaidel

Lee Fry
Michelle Hagen
Janet Howell
Kelly Murphy
Terri Nelson
Andrea Santos
Linda Schifferle

Tina Sheley Susan Spicer Jeffrey Strothmann Dawn Zaidel

Clerical
Barbara Colley
Cheryl Ditullio
Robin Dodge
Natalie Heschke
Deanna Kuchey
Rebecca Moore
Terri Nelson

Nurse Lindsay Eaton Molly Maigret Janine Staines Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the resignation from Emma Dewart from her position as girls varsity soccer coach be accepted effective July 10, 2014.

Motion carried.

Mrs. Hoerner moved, seconded by Mr. Bond, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the request for an unpaid child rearing leave from Michelle Jennings from her position as physical education and health education teacher be approved effective September 1, 2014 through January 23, 2015.

Motion carried.

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that Emily Uderitz, who has Professional certification in Physical Education and Health Education, be appointed to the position of long term substitute teacher effective September 2, 2014 through January 23, 2015. Per Article 1, Section B.1, salary will be based on Step 1 of the current Agreement between the Royalton-Hartland Teachers' Association and the District, \$37,430, prorated.

Motion carried.

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mrs. Fry, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that Erin Snyder is appointed as an unpaid assistant coach for volleyball for the 2014 fall sports season. Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that Bridgette Johnson, who has initial certification in the Students with Disabilities Birth-2, 1-6 and 7-12 certification areas, is appointed to a three-year probationary position in the tenure area of Special Education effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017. Mrs. Johnson's base salary will be Step 1 of the current Agreement between the Royalton-Hartland Teachers' Association and the District, \$37,430.

Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Fry, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the resignation from Shawn Christman from his position of .5 FTE technology teacher and musical stage crew advisor be regretfully accepted effective August 25, 2014.

Motion carried.

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that BriAnna Licht is appointed to the twelve month probationary position of Clerk Typist 1/Clerical 1 effective September 22, 2014 at a starting salary of \$27,000, pro-rated. Motion carried.

#### BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL ITEMS

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Corrective Action Plans, per the 2012-13 and 2013-2014 Management Letter, as required by, and to be submitted to, the New York State Education Department be approved as presented. Motion carried.

Mr. Koch moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the Royalton-Hartland Central School District to participate in the Orleans/Niagara BOCES Cooperative Bid for fuel on July 9, 2014, which has been awarded by Orleans/Niagara BOCES, in accordance with specifications for use during the 2014-15 and 2015-16 school years,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, award the bid for CO-OP FUELS to the following low responsible bidders based upon the monthly OPIS report (bid price is the amount on the chart (in cents) added to the OPIS price to get the total cost per gallon):

Mansfield
Noco Energy Corp.

Delivered Qty.	Unleaded	Ultra Low	Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel	
		Sulfur Diesel	Winter Blend	
<1000 gal	<mark>.2498</mark>	<mark>.2498</mark>	.2800	
1000-1999 gal	<mark>.1448</mark>	<mark>.1498</mark>	.2000	
2000-2999 gal	.1098	<mark>.1198</mark>	.1700	
3000-3999 gal	<mark>.0794</mark>	<mark>.0500</mark>	.1000	
4000-4999 gal	.0500	<mark>.0500</mark>	.1000	
5000-5999 gal	.0083	0030	.0066	
6000-6999 gal	0015	0126	0030	
7000+ gal	0087	0163	0068	

## Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the list of items presented be declared as surplus per Board policy #5250. Motion carried.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to award the bid for the wireless project electrical bid as follows:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education has duly advertised for bids in the Union-Sun and Journal and Buffalo News under dates of August 7-11, 2014 for electrical work (Ref: Contract 100) in accordance with specifications, and

WHEREAS, in response to said advertisement the following bids were received:

CIR Electrical Construction Corp. \$798,900 Concord Electric Corp. \$524,900 Frey Electric Construction Co. \$660,000 Hoot Mechanical & Electrical No bid Suburban Electric of Albion, Inc. \$532,000

and

WHEREAS, these bids have been reviewed and it is recommended that the contract for electrical work (including base bid and Alternates E-1 and E-2) be awarded to Concord Electric Corp. on the basis of their low bid in accordance with specifications, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, award the bid for electrical work to Concord Electric Corp.

Discussion: The Board will hold a workshop on September 11 at 7:30 pm to get more information on why the project is over budget.

Motion carried.

# **BOARD ITEMS**

Mrs. Fry – will there be a committee list soon?

Mr. Bragg – the audit committee met with the external auditor and the District is in good financial shape. He is in favor of maintaining a healthy fund balance.

Mrs. Riegle – if there is anything the Wilmot Fund can purchase for the district please send a request.

The Board discussed the meetings starting at 8:00 p.m. and felt that was too late of a start time. After further discussion, the meetings were changed to the first Wednesday of the month and will start at 7:00 p.m.

# SUPERINTENDENT INFORMATION/REPORTS

Handouts – June 2014 Warrant, Revenue and Treasurer's Reports

The Superintendent invited the Board to Opening Day for staff on September 2; all school offices will be closed on that day and a global message will be sent to families letting them know; there was an administrative retreat on August 26; two students (Ben Bacon and Sara Meal) made the NYS All-State ensembles; Sheila and Gary attended a credit recovery program

# PUBLIC FORUM

Anne Bacon – asked questions regarding high school course scheduling.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

October 1 – Eligibility policy; information regarding Global and American History regents and the status of students in grades 10-12 who need an exam to graduate.

Mr. Bond moved, seconded by Mrs. Hoerner that the meeting adjourns. Motion carried.

Marjorie Masters		
District Clerk		

The meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.