

PLEASANT VALLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Bettendorf, LeClaire, Riverdale

UNOFFICIAL MINUTES

BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

BELMONT ADMINISTRATION CENTER

Tuesday, May 28, 2019; 6:00 P.M. C.D.T.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Absent – none. Also present: Jim Spelhaug, Brian Strusz, Cindy Lewis, Mike Clingingsmith, Deborah Dayman, Darren Erickson, Steven Cotton, Tony Hiatt, Jennifer Gertson, Laurie Brasche, Chris Welch, Adam Pagett and others.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AGENDA APPROVED: Motion by Dickson, second by Ayers that the agenda be approved as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion by Anderson, second by Ayers that the Board hold a closed session as provided in Section 21.5(1)(i) of the open meetings law to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose performance is being considered to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual’s reputation, as that individual has requested a closed session. Roll call vote. Ayes – Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays – none. Motion carried.

COMMUNICATIONS: President Wagle welcomed everyone to the meeting and read the vision of the District: It is the vision of the Pleasant Valley Community School District that we shall provide the finest academic and extra-curricular programs in the state – not in some things, but in everything; not for some students, but for every student.

Mrs. Brockmann thanked teachers and all others who organized and served Veterans Breakfasts at some of the elementary buildings. The breakfasts were funded in part by the Bettendorf Rotary “Pay it Forward” project.

Dr. Wagle recognized the LeClaire America Legion and Pleasant Valley High School Band and directors for the annual American Legion Memorial Day Observance held at Bridgeview School. He also thanked everyone – administrators and staff, musicians and directors, and the American Legion color guard for another memorable commencement ceremony.

Sonia Meria-Deutmeyer, district parent, addressed the Board regarding her displeasure with how a bullying incident is being addressed.

RECOGNITION: FLAG ESSAY WINNERS Dr. Lewis introduced Bob Brockhouse, LeClaire American Legion. Mr. Brockhouse introduced fellow Legionnaires Shanon Musal and Karl Kreiling. He then introduced 5th grade flag essay winners from each elementary building:

Bridgeview	Hali Ponce
Cody	Sara Johnson
Hopewell	Maddy Ralston
Pleasant View	Oscar Belman
Riverdale Heights	Sherry Tang

5th grade teachers Olivia Day, Amber Duncan, Katie Rokusek, Tara Sitrick and Becky Larson were also introduced.

Sherry Tang, the district winner, read her essay at the Legion's Memorial Day Ceremony at Bridgeview School, and at the board meeting. Her essay was chosen as the best in the state of Iowa.

The Board thanked the American Legion for their sponsorship, for more than twenty-five years, of the 5th grade flag essay contest.

CONSENT AGENDA, May 28, 2019: Motion by Ayers, second by Dickson that the consent agenda be approved as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

The May 28, 2019 consent agenda consists of the following:

- MINUTES: The approval of minutes of the May 13, 2019 regular meeting and executive session.
- PERSONNEL:

CERTIFIED: Alecia Krzyaniak is recommended for employment as a Special Education teacher at Pleasant Valley High School starting the 2019-20 school year. Amanda Ranfeld, Special Education teacher at Pleasant Valley High School, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Evan Terronez is recommended for employment as a Sign Language Instructor at Pleasant Valley High School starting the 2019-20 school year.

CLASSIFIED: Alexis Coronell is recommended for employment as the Main Office Aide/Receptionist at Pleasant Valley Junior High starting August 22, 2019. Amber Hopf, Special Education Aide at Hopewell Elementary, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Michelle Lastine is recommended for employment as the Library/Technology Aide at Riverdale Heights Elementary starting the 2019-20 school year. Perry Mears, Vocal Accompanist at Pleasant Valley Junior High, has submitted his resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Nicole Nikiforova, special education aide at Hopewell Elementary, is nearing the end of her probationary period and is recommended for regular employment effective June 1, 2019. Linda Plunkett, Special Education Aide at Pleasant Valley High School, will retire effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Becky Seward, Vocal Accompanist at Pleasant Valley High School, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Matthew Smith, Building/Grounds Mechanic Assistant, is nearing the end of his probationary period and is recommended for regular employment effective June 1, 2019. Olivia St. Claire, Special Education Aide at Pleasant View Elementary, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year. Sylvia Zuiderveen, Educational Aide at Riverdale Heights Elementary, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2018-19 school year.

CLASSIFIED (*Information only*): Veronica Cox is recommended for probationary employment as an Educational Aide at Pleasant Valley Junior High starting August 23, 2019.

TLS:

ADDS: Gina Weaver

TLS Collaborative Lead 9-12 Special Education

EXTRA-CURRICULAR:

ADDS: Jasmine Lara Interim Assistant Varsity Softball Coach

DROPS: Avery Nelson Assistant Varsity Softball Coach

- Open Enrollment:
2018-19: One IN from Davenport (grade 2)
2019-20: Three IN from Bettendorf (kindergarten)
- Cooperative Teaching Agreements: St. Ambrose University

EXPENSES APPROVED:

Motion by Anderson, second by Hoskins that General Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$342,389.98 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hoskins, second by Ayers that Nutrition Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$50,711.66 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Brockmann that Elementary/Junior High Activity Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$24,176.91 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Ayers, second by Anderson that High School Activity Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$38,084.27 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Brockmann, second by Dickson that Management Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$548.00 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Nels, second by Hoskins that Capital Projects Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$123,775.98 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Ayers that PPEL Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$21,662.94 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hoskins, second by Nels that Debt Service Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$352,800.00 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Brockmann, second by Ayers that Internal Service Fund warrants 5948 through 5953 be issued in the total amount of \$368,023.65 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Brockmann that Trust Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of \$503.87 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

TIMBER'S EDGE II ASSIGNED TO CODY ATTENDANCE AREA: To ease enrollment pressure at Bridgeview Elementary, the assignment of the proposed Timber's Edge II subdivision to Cody Elementary is being reviewed. The subdivision will be located north of the fire station, and 40 new homes are anticipated. This boundary realignment was first discussed at the May 13 board meeting, and a motion will be introduced at the June 10th board meeting. To date, no public input has been received.

No required motion.

2019 IOWA PERFORMANCE PROFILE REPORT: Mr. Strusz and Dr. Lewis presented the results and methodology of the Iowa Performance Profile version 2.0 report that was released by the state on Tuesday, May 21st. The Iowa School Performance Profiles is an online tool showing how public schools performed on required measures. The website was developed to meet both federal and state requirements for publishing online school report. New data measures were reviewed, the functionality of the new site was showcased, and the merger between the previous Iowa School Report Card and Version 1.0 of the Iowa Performance Profile Report was explained. The results will guide the work of the district to advance student learning. Reports can be viewed at the Iowa Department of Education Website <https://www.iaschoolperformance.gov/ECP/Home/Index>

No required motion.

MONTHLY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS: Mr. Clingensmith presented the monthly financial reports for April 2019. Through April, General Fund revenue totaled \$44,038,274 and expenses totaled \$36,256,290. The fund balance in the General Fund at April 30, 2019 was \$14,370,228. Also presented were Management, PPEL, Capital Projects, Debt Service, Nutrition, Internal Service, and Activity Funds reports. No significant variances from projections were noted.

Motion by Anderson, second by Ayers that the board accept the monthly financial reports for April as presented. Roll call vote. Ayes – Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays – none. Motion carried.

Dr. Spelhaug exited the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – PERSONNEL – CODE OF IOWA, SECTION 21.5(1) (I): The Board entered closed session at 7:08 p.m. Mr. Strusz described the search process for a candidate to fill the position of Pleasant Valley High School Associate Principal. The Board met with Mr. Strusz, and High School Principal elect Darren Erickson and the candidate were later invited to join the meeting. Closed session concluded at 8:02 p.m.

APPROVAL OF PLEASANT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL: Adam Pagett is recommended for the position of Pleasant Valley High Associate School Principal for the 2019-20 school year. Mr. Pagett most recently served as Associate Principal at Davenport Central and West High Schools, and taught social studies at Tremont High School in Tremont, Illinois. He earned his Masters of Science in Educational Leadership from Western Illinois University.

Motion by Anderson, second by Ayers that the Board appoint Adam Pagett Pleasant Valley High School Associate Principal for the 2019-20 school year. Roll call vote. Ayes – Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays – none. Motion carried.

MEETING ADJOURNED: The meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

FUTURE DATES:

Monday, June 10, 2019
Monday, June 24, 2019

Regular School Board Meeting, 6:00 p.m.
Regular School Board Meeting, 6:00 p.m.

Belmont Administration Center
PLEASANT VALLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
PLEASANT VALLEY, IOWA

UNOFFICIAL MINUTES

BOARD OF EDUCATION, EXECUTIVE SESSION, BELMONT ADMINISTRATION CENTER
Tuesday, May 28, 2019 7:08 P.M. C.D.T.

Exempt session was called to order at 7:08 p.m. by President Wagle.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Absent – none.
Also present: Brian Strusz, Cindy Lewis, Mike Clingsmith, and Deborah Dayman.

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion by Anderson, second by Ayers that the Board hold a closed session as provided in Section 21.5(1)(i) of the open meetings law to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose performance is being considered to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual’s reputation, as that individual has requested a closed session. Roll call vote. Ayes – Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays – none. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: The board met in closed session from 7:08 p.m. – 8:02 p.m. for the purpose of discussing personnel matters. No motions were made during closed session.

The meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

OPEN ENROLLMENT

Open Enrollment is the process by which a parent or guardian residing in an Iowa school district may enroll their child into a public school district other than the one in which they reside. The deadline for filing an Open Enrollment Application for students in grades 1-12 is **March 1st** prior to the school year of requested attendance. The deadline for filing an open enrollment request for an incoming kindergarten child is September 1st of the year open enrollment is first requested. For Open Enrollment information and application, visit the district website at [www.pleasval.org / schools / enrollment](http://www.pleasval.org/schools/enrollment) or contact Deborah Dayman daymandeborah@pleasval.k12.ia.us (563)332-5550.

The Pleasant Valley Community School District wishes to highlight the following
Employment opportunities:

Pleasant Valley High School

- High School Head Custodian Full Time/1st shift/year round
“As assigned”, dictated by the needs of the district to deal with snow, emergencies and work load,
and can occur 24/7

EDUCATIONAL AIDES NEEDED:

Pleasant Valley High School

- Special Education/Educational Aide (***4 positions available***) (5.75 paid hours per day)

Pleasant Valley Junior High

- Special Education/Educational Aide (5.75 paid hours per day)

Bridgeview Elementary

- Special Education Pre-School Aide - Monday-Thursday (24 paid hours per week)

Hopewell

- Special Education Aide (***2 positions available***) – 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (5.5 paid hours per day)
- Special Education Pre-School Aide (***2 positions available***) - Monday-Thursday (26 paid hours per week)

Riverdale Heights

- Special Education Aide (5.75 paid hours per day) - (***5 positions available***)

Please apply via Employment link at www.pleasval.org
PVCSD is EOE/AA



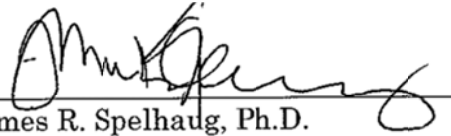
JULY 2018
NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

It is the policy of the Pleasant Valley Community School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, creed, age (for employment), marital status (for programs), sexual orientation, gender identity, and socioeconomic status (for programs) in its educational programs and its employment practices. Further, the board affirms the right of all students and staff to be treated with respect and to be protected from intimidation, discrimination, physical harm and harassment.

The district requires all persons, agencies, vendors, contractors and other persons and organizations doing business with or performing services for the school district to subscribe to all applicable federal and state laws, executive orders, rules and regulations pertaining to contract compliance and equal opportunity.

The district is committed to the policy that no otherwise qualified person will be excluded on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, religion, disability, or age. Further, the board affirms the right of all students and staff to be treated with respect and to be protected from intimidation, discrimination, physical harm and harassment.

Inquiries concerning the application of federal and state nondiscrimination statutes and the implementing regulations to the district may be referred to Brian Strusz, who has been designated by the district as Educational Equity Coordinator, or to the Director of the Office for Civil Rights, Department of HEW, Washington, D.C. Mr. Strusz' office is at Pleasant Valley Administration Center, 525 Belmont Rd., Bettendorf, Iowa 52722; telephone (563) 332-5550.



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