

NOTE: These are “proposed” minutes and will not be approved until the August 16, 2016 School Board Meeting

4:00 p.m.
Administration Center

Tuesday
August 2, 2016

BOARD MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER – President David Black called the August 2, 2016, meeting of the Board of School Trustees to order at 4:00 p.m. All board members were present with the exception of Mr. Gayler. Others in attendance included Jane Allen, Superintendent, James Bromley, Assistant Superintendent, Jeff Palmer, Director of Buildings and Grounds and Michelle Willey, Director of Transportation.

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT – Mrs. Tracy Wogoman, the NHS IB Coordinator, presented the following information about the International Baccalaureate Program at Northridge High School.

- The curriculum contains six subject groups together with a core made up of three separate parts (for juniors and seniors).
 - 3 HL subjects – 240 hours and 3 SL subjects – 150 hours
 - Group 1 – HL English
 - Group 2 – SL Language B (Spanish, German, Chinese)
 - Group 3 – HL History
 - Group 4 – HL Biology, SL Physics
 - Group 5 – SL Mathematics, SL Math Studies
 - Group 6 – SL/HL Visual Arts, SL Music
- As of May 2016:
 - 9 full IB diploma Candidates
 - 5 received the diploma
 - Destinee Boutwell
 - Abigail Geib
 - John Monarch
 - Aadarsh Patel
 - Michael Serikow
 - 129 exams taken by 41 different students (an increase of 21 exams and 2 students)
 - School exam averages were above the world average in:
 - Spanish HL
 - History HL
 - Math HL
 - Math SL
 - Music Group Performance SL
- Accomplishments for 2015-2016
 - Completed the 5 year self-study
 - Updated Northridge IB website
 - Created timelines/deadlines
 - Created “Where’s Wogoman”
 - Field Trips sponsored by teachers
- May 2017 Full Diploma Students
 - 8 full diploma candidates – seniors
 - 16 full diploma candidates – juniors
 - Individual Student Meetings
- For Parents – in May Pre-IB meeting for all parents and students starting the program in August
 - Meet with the Parents on Teacher Conference nights – Using Remind 101 and email to inform parents/students
- For Teachers – monthly meetings – Summer meeting
 - 9 teachers; IB coordinator and Principal were trained in the 2015-2016 school year.

Mrs. King questioned that we have about 3% of the student population taking the IB program – is that an average for a school system? Mrs. Wogoman didn’t know – she feels like they have a lot of room to grow and is encouraged the numbers are increasing. She also questioned what keeps a student from becoming an IB student? Mrs. Wogoman said students are very honest about the work load and because the extended essay (150 hours) - they just don’t want to do it. It’s not that they can’t do it; they choose not to. Once the

kids are in the program they stay in the program. She has talked to parents who have children that are not in the IB program because they feel it might push their child too hard. All of the students who have graduated and had this program come back and say they were so happy they had this program; they were so prepared for college. Of the five students who received the diplomas – how many were involved in extra-curricular activities? Mrs. Wogoman said the 3 boys were involved in Academic Super Bowl and Science Olympiad; and the girls were involved in 4-H, church, and other things outside of school. Mrs. King thinks it's so important to reach parents and kids at the middle school level. Mrs. Wogoman said she has talked to some of the 8th grade parents and is letting them know there is an option and what it entails. Parents/teachers could possibly encourage students to take summer PE, etc. to free up some room for classes during the school year. Mr. Black asked if we had numbers of IB courses taken by students, not including the IB students that are full diploma. There were 41 kids that took IB tests – 9 were full diploma (seniors) and some of the full diploma (juniors) were in classes so they could test this school year. There are approximately 28 kids that are taking some of the IB classes. One of the ways to get your Academic Honors diploma in Indiana is to take 2 IB and 2 AP, earning college credit. Mr. Black said the community needs to hear that there are a lot more students involved in IB – and they are just not going to be shown because they didn't get the full IB diploma. The number of students who get the IB benefit is higher than 41. The board thanked Mrs. Wogoman for her presentation.

EXPRESSIONS FROM PATRONS - None

CONSENT AGENDA –

Minutes from the July 19, 2016 school board meeting.

Claim Lists

Personnel

EMPLOYMENT:

Middlebury Elementary School

Certified: Jenna Rusmiser, Temporary First Grade Teacher, Start Date: August 5, 2016

Classified: Sarah Zentz, 6 Hour Special Education Assistant, Replacing: Sherida Cross (Rose Marie Stone)
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Northridge Middle School

Classified: Cynthia Ingling, 3.5 Hour Cafeteria Worker, Replacing: Jenny Mortrud
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Kayla Diamond, 3.5 Hour Cafeteria Worker, Replacing Tonya Amaya
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Dolores Schoen 3.5 Hour Cafeteria Worker, Replacing: Kristina Minth
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Alicia Hooley, 6.5 Hour Autism Para, Start date: August 10, 201

Lynette Krugh, 6.75 Hour Life Skills Assistant, Start Date: August 10, 2016

Heritage Intermediate School

Classified: Diana Reed, 3 Hour Cafeteria Worker, Start Date: August 10, 2016

Northridge High School

Certified: Ken Brewster, Head Boys Golf Coach, Replacing: Dennis Sienicki
Start Date: August 15, 2016

Classified: Amy Rekeweg, 3.5 Hour Cafeteria Worker, Replacing: Sherry Miller
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Transportation Department

Classified: Angie McClane, Bus Driver, Start Date: August 1, 2016

Orchard View Elementary School

Certified: Erika Leisure, 6.5 Hour Life Skills Para, Replacing: Erica Lint
Start Date: August 10, 2016

RESIGNATION:

Northridge Middle School

Certified: Tonja Luken, Middle School Track Coach, Effective Date: July 23, 2016

Classified: Andrea Boval, 6.5 Hour Special Needs One-to-One Para, Effective Date: July 27, 2016

Jaime Borkholder, 7 Hour Special Education Assistant, Effective Date: August 1, 2016

Jaime Borkholder, Academic Spell Bowl Coach, Effective Date: August 1, 2016

Jaime Borkholder, Academic Super Bowl Science Coach, Effective Date: August 1, 2016

Diana Bolyard, 7.5 Hour EL Assistant, Effective Date: August 1, 2016

Orchard View Elementary School

Certified: Lisa McDowell, Temporary Kindergarten Teacher, Effective Date: July 22, 2016
Classified: Theresa Deter, 6 Hour Instructional Assistant, Effective Date: July 28, 2016
Victoria Wiler, 5.75 Hour Special Needs One-to-One Para, Effective Date: July 22, 2016

Northridge High School

Classified: Mackenzie Bontrager, 5 Hour Special Education Assistant, Effective Date: July 27, 2016

York Elementary School

Certified: Rick Lengacher, 3rd Grade Teacher, Effective Date: August 2, 2016

TRANSFER:

Jefferson Elementary School

Certified: Kara Nickell, 1st Grade Teacher to: 1st Grade Teacher, Orchard View Elementary School
Replacing: Tina Runge Start Date: August 8, 2016

Middlebury Elementary School

Classified: Angella Frederick, 3 Hour Noontime Assistant to: 5.75 Hour Special Needs One-to-One Para
Replacing: Jenna Rusmisl, Start Date: August 10, 2016

Northridge Middle School

Classified: Carrie van Deventer, 4.5 Hour Special Needs One-to-One Para to:
6.75 Hour Life Skills Para Start Date: August 10, 2016
Autumn Gray, 4 Hour Building Assistant to: 4.5 Hour Special needs One-to-One Para
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Leave 3430:

Orchard View Elementary School

Certified: Tina Runge, 1st Grade Teacher, 2016-17 School Year

FMLA LEAVE:

Northridge Middle School

Certified: Jaime Stacy, Academy Teacher, From August 19, 2016 to September 30, 2016

APPROVAL FOR EMPLOYMENT DEPENDENT UPON SUCCESSFUL BACKGROUND CHECK

Orchard View Elementary School

Certified: Jane DeVoe, Temporary Kindergarten Teacher, Covering Abbie Mast FMLA Leave
Start Date: August 8, 2016
Classified: Carly Lantz, 5.75 Hour Special Needs One-to-One Para, Replacing: Victoria Wiler
Start Date: August 10, 2016
Jessica Schrock, 6 Hour Instructional Assistant, Replacing: Theresa Deter
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Jefferson Elementary School

Classified: Paige Palmer, 3 Hour Noontime Assistant, Replacing: Lindsey Schrock
Start Date: August 10, 2016

Mr. Miller moved and Mr. Souder seconded a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. The motion was approved with a vote of 4-0.

HIPPA EXEMPTION ELECTION – Mrs. Allen said this is something we do annually. It has to do with our self-funded insurance plan and helps keep our costs down. Mrs. King moved and Mr. Souder seconded a motion to approve the HIPPA Exemption Election for Self-funded Non-Federal Group Health Plan as presented. The motion was approved with a vote of 4-0.

ELKHART AREA CAREER CENTER AGREEMENT – Mrs. King moved and Mr. Miller seconded a motion to approve the Elkhart Area Career Center Agreement as presented. The motion was approved with a vote of 4-0.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF BOARD POLICIES ON FIRST READING – Mr. Souder moved and Mr. Miller seconded a motion to approve on 1st reading the following new or revised school board policies and presented. Mr. Black questioned policies 7300, 7310, 7450 – Disposition of Real Property and Disposition of Surplus Property, is that only things that were bought with Federal Funds or what exactly does that mean? Mrs. Allen said the change is money derived from the sale is no longer needed for school purposes can be placed in any fund (this was the only thing changed in those policies) The reason he asked is because it is a board policy and it is

being regulated because it was bought with Federal Funds he understands, but if was bought with General Fund how is that regulated by the Federal Regulations ? Mr. Hesser indicated this is all state law. The Edgar laws were implemented by the Federal Government. Mr. Black questioned that it doesn't matter how the property was purchased? Mr. Hesser said one of them does, there is a requirement if we consolidated township real estate before you can sell that property you have to offer it back to the township. Mr. Black questioned disposing of portables and Mr. Hesser said portables are surplus property, not real estate. The motion was approved with a vote of 4-0.

Policy 0100 Definitions REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1483 amended the definition of "teacher" in I.C. 20-18-2-22, and as a result, revision is proposed to add school psychologist to the definition of "teacher".

Policy 1130/3113/4113 Conflict of Interest – Private Practice Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policies 1422; 2260; 3122 and 4122 Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity REVISED

Revisions are proposed to the nondiscrimination policies so that these four policies are consistent with the "Dear Colleague" letter from the Office for Civil Rights (OCR) with regard to discrimination on the basis of transgender status, sexual orientation, and gender identity being included under the protected class of "sex". Revisions also are proposed for these policies so that the complaint procedures are included in the policies, in accordance with the compliance requirements imposed by OCR in recent complaint investigations and settlements.

Policy 1543 Non-renewal of Administrative Contracts REVISED

Revision is proposed to this policy because Senate Enrolled Act 500, Section 212 eliminated the subsection in I.C. 20-28-8-3 which formerly provided for the automatic extension of an administrator's contract for only the following school year if notice of nonrenewal is not proved by March 1 of the school year in which the administrator's contract is due to expire.

Policies 1662; 3362; 4362 Anti-Harassment REVISED

Revisions are proposed to the anti-harassment policies so that these four policies are consistent with the "Dear Colleague" letter from the Office for Civil Rights with regard to harassment on the basis of transgender status, sexual orientation, and gender identity being included under the protected class of "sex". Revisions also are proposed throughout these policies so that the policies are aligned with OCR's stated expectations in recent resolution agreements entered into with Indiana school corporations following the completion of complaint investigations by OCR.

Policies 1411; 3211 and 4211 Required Reports and Protection of Whistleblowers NEW POLICIES FOR MCS

IC 5-11-1-9.5 was amended by Senate Enrolled Act 394, which resulted in proposed revision of these policies to include reference to the statutory assurance that employees can report malfeasance, misfeasance or nonfeasance by a public officer to the State Board of Accounts.

Policies 1521; 3121; 4121; 8121 Personal Background Checks and Mandatory Reporting of Convictions & Arrests REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1068 amended the definition of expanded criminal history check in I.C. 20-26-2-1.5 Revisions are proposed to these policies to incorporate the revisions made to I.C. 20-26-2-1.5.

Policy 2221 Mandatory Curriculum REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1483 amended I.C. 20-30-5-21 by adding a prohibition against offering, supporting, or promoting any student program, class, or activity that provided to students under State law. The policy and guideline have been revised to incorporate that amendment.

Policy 2411 Guidance and Counseling REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1269 added I.C. 20-34-3-21 to the Indiana Code. I.C. 20-34-3-21 authorizes a school corporation to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with a mental health care provider or a community mental health center to refer students for services and establishes the conditions under which such referrals are to be made. An optional provision is offered for this policy for school corporations who wish to exercise this discretionary authority granted by State law.

Policy 2510 Adoption of Curricular Materials REVISED

Policy 2700 Annual Performance Report REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1635, Section 2 amended I.C. 20-20-8-8 by revising the information that must be included on the annual performance report and adding a section that requires school corporations located in a consolidated city to include the information disaggregated by race, grade, gender, free or reduced lunch status, and eligibility for special education. Senate Enrolled Act 500, Section 40 amended I.C. 20-20-8-3 by requiring that the school corporation's annual report be posted on a prominent page of the corporation's website. Furthermore, revisions proposed for this policy include a correction to the deadlines. They should be changed from January 15 and January 31 to March 15 and March 31 to reflect current law.

Policy 3120.6 Selecting Student Teachers/Administrative Interns REVISED

Revisions are proposed to this policy to incorporate the amendment of I.C. 20-26-5-24 by House Enrolled Act 1188, Section 1 to add the requirement that student teachers be supervised by highly effective teachers.

Policy 3124 Employment Contracts with Professional Employees REVISED

Revisions are proposed to this policy to incorporate the changes made by the amendments of I.C. 20-28-10-1 by Senate Enrolled Act 500, Sections 206 and 219 to eliminate the need for the execution of a contract with a teacher taking a leave of absence and with a teacher employed to serve in the absence of a teacher taking a leave.

Policy 3140 Resignation REVISED

This previously addressed both termination and resignation, has been revised to address only resignation.

Policy 3141 Suspension of Teachers NEW

Policy 3141 is a new policy that addresses the suspension of teacher contracts. Administration Guideline 3141 sets forth the procedure for suspensions, with a detailed chart for the procedure that should be followed if the suspension is without pay, pursuant to I.C. 20-28-9-22.

Policy 3142 Cancellation of a Teacher Contract REVISED

Revisions are proposed to this policy and administrative guideline to reflect the changes made to I.C. 20-28-7.5-1 and -2 by Sections 208 and 209 of Senate Enrolled Act 500. Policy 3152 also incorporates the portion of former Policy 3140 that referenced teacher termination.

Policy 3220 Staff Evaluation REVISED

Revisions are proposed to this policy to incorporate the changes made to I.C. 20-28-11.5-4 and -9 by Sections 7 and 8 of Senate Enrolled Act 566.

Policy 5111 Determination of Legal Settlement and Eligibility for Enrollment of Students Without Legal Settlement in the Corporation REVISED

House Enrolled Act 1056, Sections 1 and 2 added new sections to the I.C. 20-26-11-6.5 and I.C. 20-26-11-6.7. The former requires school corporations to accept as transfer students the children of their employees, even if they do not permit transfer students, if the corporation has the capacity to accept students, and the latter requires school corporations with only one high school who do not accept transfer students to permit private school students to transfer into their high school if they attended the private school for at least two years immediately preceding the transfer, the nonpublic school does not offer grades 9-12, the majority of students at the nonpublic school in the same grade as the transferring student have legal settlement and will attend the corporation's high school, and the corporation has the capacity to accept students. House Enrolled Act 1483 amended I.C. 20-26-22-2.5 by eliminating the requirement that the election by a custodial parent, in the case of divorce, must be made no later than fourteen (14) days before the first student day of the school year and adding a provision that the election must be made on a yearly basis and applies throughout the school year unless the parent no longer lives within the school corporation's attendance area.

Policy 5112 – Entrance Requirements REVISED

The statute is now permissive so that school corporations may but are not required to have an early entrance appeal procedure. This policy has been revised to make the appeal procedure optional and to consolidate the last few paragraphs.

Policy 5320 Immunization REVISED

Senate Enrolled Act(SEA) 461, Section 12 amended this policy to add varicella, hepatitis A, hepatitis b, and meningitis to the list of required immunizations. Also to eliminate the option for parents to provide a written signed statement that the student has indicated a history of chicken pox in lieu of documentation of immunity, to require that information prescribed by the State Board of Health concerning the link between cancer and the human papillomavirus (HPV) infection and that an immunization against the HPV infection is available be provided by schools to the parents of each student entering 6th grade, not just the female students, and to require schools to distribute to parents material concerning immunizations and immunization preventable diseases (which may be satisfied by posting the materials on the corporation's website). SEA 461, Section 14 amended I.C. 20-34-4-4 to authorize health care providers to administer immunizations and to enter the immunization information into the state immunization data registry rather than providing a certificate or other documentation of the immunizations to the individual who presented the student for immunization. SEA 461, Section 15, amended I.C. 20-34-4-5 to require parents who enroll a student furnish by the student's first day of attendance proof of the student's immunization status, either as a written document from the health care provider who administered the immunization or documentation provided from the state immunization registry and clarifies that the student may grant a waiver of this requirement for up to 20 school days. SEA 461, Section 16 repealed I.C. 20-34-4-5.5, which previously had required parents of each female student entering the 6th grade to submit a written statement within twenty (20) days after the first day of school that the parent has received the information regarding the HPV infection, its link to cervical cancer, and the availability of an immunization against the HPV virus and that (1) the student has received or is receiving the immunization; (2) the parent has decided not to have the student immunized; or (3) the parent chooses not to provide the information to the school concerning whether the student was immunized against the human HPV infection. SRA 461, Section 17 amended I.C. 20-34-4-6 to require school corporations to ensure that all applicable immunization information is complete in the state immunization data registry by the first Friday in February each year rather than submitting a written report to the State Department of Health within sixty (60) days of the enrollment of students for the first time and when additional immunizations are required by statute or rule.

Policy 5460 Graduation Requirements REVISED

Requires the case conference committee of a student with a disability to discuss with the parent and the student, if appropriate, at the annual case review (ACR) held when the student is in the 8th grade: (1) the type of diplomas available for students to receive in

Indiana; (2) the course requirements for each type of diploma; (3) employment and career options for the student and the type of academic, technical, and vocational preparation necessary to achieve the employment or career. It also requires that the student's individualized education program (IEP) include the type of diploma the student will seek and courses that allow the student to progress toward the diploma in a timely manner. Also requires that beginning in grade 9 and in addition to ACR, the student's teacher of record (TOR) must communicate with the student's parent at least one time each grading period concerning the student's progress toward the selected diploma and provides that if the parent receives a meeting with the TOR to discuss the student's progress, the TOR must meet with the parent in a timely manner. This policy has been revised to reflect the current types of diplomas available to students in the State of Indiana and the additional requirements provided for students with disabilities. Also revised to add language clarifying the attendance requirement, omit the reference to an outdated regulation, and update the citations at the end.

Policy 5530 Drug Prevention REVISED

Propose a revision to this policy that the requirement that Corporations have drug-free schools committees at each school be deleted pursuant to State Law.

Policy 5840 REPLACEMENT POLICY – SPECIAL UPDATE ON CRIMINAL GANG TOOLKIT – FEBRUARY 2016

Policies 6110 – 6116 Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

- Policy 6110 – Grant Funds (Uniform Grant Guidance) REVISED
- Policy 6111 – Internal Control Standards and Procedures NEW
- Policy 6112 – Cash Management of Grants NEW
- Policy 6114 – Cost Principals – Spending Federal Funds NEW
- Policy 6116 – Time & Effort Reporting NEW

Policy 6152 Student Fees and Charges REVISED

Revised to add some options that the Board may choose to adopt concerning refunds and write-offs of fees. The State Board of Accounts has indicated that there must be a Board Policy in place in order to issue refunds or write-off fees.

Policy 6320 – Purchasing Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 6325 – Procurement – Federal Grants/Funds NEW policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 6460 – Conflicts of Interest and Vendor Relations Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 6520 Payroll Deductions REVISED

Changes to expand the list of deductions that can be made from an employee's pay . Also added MTA dues deduction.

Policy 6550 – Travel Payment Reimbursement Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 7300 Disposition of Real Property REVISED

Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 7310 – Disposition of Surplus Property REVISED

Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 7450 – Property Inventory REVISED

Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 8330 Student Records REVISED

SEA 500, Section 267 repealed I.C. 20-33-10, which prescribed access to student information by military organizations. HEA 1637, Section 15 amended I.C. 20-33-2-13, which sets forth the information that must be included in a student's transcript. The policy has been revised to omit reference to the repealed requirements of I.C. 20-33-10 and to indicate that the regulations of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) will apply to requests for student information by military organizations. The policy also has been updated to incorporate the current definition of directory information provided by FERPA. It has also been revised to reflect the information currently required to be included in student transcripts.

Policy 8400 School Safety REVISED

This policy has omitted the requirement that each school building establish a safe school committee and to require only one safe school committee for the entire school corporation. The policy has revised to provide two options, one to eliminate all but the single safe school committee for the entire school corporation and the other to maintain the current requirement of having a safe school committee at each school within the school corporation.

Policy 8420 Emergency Preparedness Plans and Drills REVISED

Amended this policy to permit a tornado preparedness drill or a manmade occurrence disaster drill to be conducted in lieu of a monthly fire evacuation drill so long as they are not done in consecutive months and are substituted for fire evacuation drills only once per semester. It has been revised to incorporate the changes in the law and incorporate the requirements concerning safe schools and emergency preparedness planning.

Policy 8470 Registered Sex or Violent Offenders NEW

Provides a definition of serious sex offender and makes it a Level 6 Felony for unlawful entry by a serious sex offender and makes it a Level 6 felony for unlawful entry by a serious sex offender on school property, i.e., when s/he knowingly or intentionally enters school property.

Policy 8500 Food Services REVISED

The changes eliminated the requirements of establishing a Corporation School Health Advisory Council, repealed the Indiana Standards for nutritional value of food sold to students during school in vending machines and for schools lunches, and instead now require that all food and beverages sold to students during the school day must meet or exceed the federal nutritional requirements. Revisions to the current policies and the new policies included in a Special Release reflect the current state of federal regulations (EDGAR) and should be adopted to maintain accurate policies.

Policy 8600 Transportation REVISED

Changes to require rural school corporations who currently are required to provide bus transportation to private school students similarly must provide transportation to charter school students who reside along the route when the charter school is located within the school corporation boundaries.

FIELD TRIPS – Board members reviewed the list of field trips.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE –

- AP Report has good news about well our students are doing on the exams which she will share with the Board
- We have not received our ISTEP scores.
- The first day of school will be Wednesday – August 10, 2016. Registration for all buildings is tomorrow – August 3rd.

REQUESTS FOR TRAVEL – Board members reviewed the list of requests for travel.

EXPRESSIONS FROM BOARD MEMBERS –

- Mrs. King wished everyone a great start to the new school year. Students she has seen during the summer are excited to be coming back to school. Educators have had a little bit of a break and she hopes they are feeling refreshed and ready to work hard again (like they always do) to focus on our children's needs in our community. She appreciates everything they do to educate this next generation.
- Mr. Souder is looking forward to another great year. Some of the students he has talked to are not excited about starting next week but others are positive (it's typical). In most cases students love being a part of Middlebury Community Schools.
- Mr. Black said he was talking to someone in a neighboring school corporation and he asked if we had any openings and Mr. Black said he needed to check the Corporation website. He also said he was thinking about moving over here because he hears really good things about the school community we have, It's a great thing to hear from people outside our school corporation.

OTHER BUSINESS – None

ADJOURNMENT – Mr. Souder moved and Mr. Miller seconded a motion to adjourn the August 2, 2016 meeting of the School Board of Trustees at 5:05 p.m. The motion was unanimously approved with a vote of 4-0. The next scheduled school board meeting will be on August 16, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. at the Administration Center.

David Black, President

Joanna King, Vice President

Robert Souder, Secretary

Scott Miller, Member

Paul Gayler, Member