

Regular Board Meeting
February 17, 2020

The regular meeting of the Maquoketa Valley Board of Education was called to order by President Donna Kunde at 5:30 p.m. in the High School Conference Room in Delhi, Iowa. All motions carried unanimously unless otherwise noted. Four board members were present. There were six staff and one visitor present. The agenda and consent items were approved.

Two open enrollment requests in and three open enrollment requests out were approved.

The Board tabled reviewing and approving board policies

The following personnel recommendations were approved:

Eric Conner – employed as High School Assistant Football Coach

Margo Friedlein – resignation as Junior Kindergarten Teacher

Board Policy Series 200 were rescinded. The board then approved the updated Board Policy Series 200 on the first official reading.

The Board approved the call for garbage and trash collection bids.

A budget preparation workshop is scheduled for February 27th. Budget estimates will be discussed at the March meeting.

The 2021-2021 school calendar was discussed. Extra professional development time for the elementary staff was also discussed.

Supt. Tuetken shared projected elementary class sizes for the 2020-2021 school year. It appears that all classes will remain at three sections with the exception of fourth grade, which will have two sections.

The upcoming schedule for the Superintendent search meetings was discussed.

The district will not be seeking a food service RFP for the upcoming school year.

Supt. Tuetken discussed compensating the National Honor Society sponsor \$500 per year. Currently the sponsor for the program is a no paid position.

The regular March board meeting will be held on March 25th at 5:30. The April board meeting may be moved to April 13th in order for the SBO to certify the budget to the county by the deadline of April 15th. The April meeting date will be determined at the March meeting.

At 6:30 p.m. the Board entered into a closed session pursuant to Chapter 20.17(3) of the Code of Iowa for a collective bargaining strategy session.

At 6:52 p.m. the Board entered into open session.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:53 p.m. in a motion by Feldmann, seconded by Zietlow. All ayes. Carried.

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