

Minutes for Board of Education Meeting for Vassar Public Schools
Special Meeting of the Board of Education

Date: August 22, 2017
Time: 6:30pm
Place: High School, Room 201

A. Call to order: The special meeting of the Board of Education was called to order at 6:30 pm by President Middlin.

B. Roll Call:

Members Present: Ward, Guile, Middlin, Hubbard, LaPratt, Atwood, Koch (7:21 PM)
Members Absent: None
Others Present: Kiss, Riccobono, Strauss, Peplinski, Fabbro, Blackwell, Wilkinson, Tausch

C. Pledge of Allegiance

D. Approval of Agenda:

1. **MOTION** by LaPratt, supported by Hubbard to approve the agenda with the addition of E2. MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)

E. Spotlight of the Month:

1. Ms. Blackwell recognized True Value for providing paint through a grant.
2. Kim Ward presented the awards and recognitions received by the Relay for Life team.

F. Public Participation:

1. Robert McKay shared concern with parade safety and sentiment on the bond.
2. Kimberlee Ward: no comment
3. Dr. E. Surmont thought the start time of the meeting was 7:00 PM.
4. Ona Clinesmith proposed to not have our regular meetings the same as township meetings.
5. Michael Clinesmith shared his feeling on the bond vote and results.
6. Daniel Atkins requested a letter from the Board of Education to be welcomed back into the schools after being ban and shared his thoughts on the bond vote and results.
7. Jonathan Wilson shared his input on the bond.
8. Ed & April Newsome stated they were interested in what the next steps were for the bond.
9. Judy Neblock: no comment

G. Personnel Issue:

1. **MOTION** by Ward, supported by Hubbard to accept the resignation of Kyle Boros as the Counselor. MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)
2. **MOTION** by Hubbard, supported by LaPratt to accept the resignation of Michelle Bouck as HS Math Teacher. MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)

H. Operational Issue:

1. Kyle Walker tabled the retirement of the flag because of date conflicts. Once he has a date, he will come back to the Board Members.
2. Discussion on what the next steps will be for the bond.

I. Closed Session:

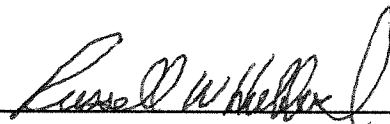
1. **MOTION** by Hubbard, supported by Guile to go into closed session at 7:56 pm to discuss Negotiation Updates.
2. **MOTION** by Hubbard, support by Ward to return to open session at 8:30 pm. MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)
3. No Action Taken

J. Adjournment:

1. **MOTION** by Hubbard, supported by LaPratt to adjourn at 8:31 pm. MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)

Date: 9/20/17

Signature: _____



Board of Education Secretary