

Park Rapids Area School Board
MINUTES
Tuesday, September 8th, 2020
6:00 PM
FWEC Community Room & Via Zoom

Chairperson Safratowich Called the Meeting to order. Members present and order to vote were Carlson, Dodge, Hoyt, Pike, Safratowich, & Gauldin. Principals Jeff Johnson, Shawn Andress and Mike LeMier were present, along with Superintendent Lance Bagstad, Business Manager Kent Fritze, as well as staff and community members.

RECITED Pledge of Allegiance

APPROVED AGENDA AND ADDENDUM –

Carlson – Yes, Dodge – Yes, Hoyt – Yes, Pike – Yes, Safratowich – Yes, Gauldin - Yes

APPROVED Consent Items:

Carlson – Yes, Dodge – Yes, Hoyt – Yes, Pike – Yes, Safratowich – Yes, Gauldin - Yes

- a. Approve Minutes of the August 17th, 2020 Regular Board Meeting
- b. Approve Resignation – Mary Harvala, Elementary Paraprofessional
- c. Approve Resignation – Katie Deschene, Community Education Paraprofessional
- d. Approve Resignation – Kathy Symanietz, Preschool Paraprofessional
- e. Approve Resignation – Carla Stover, Food Service
- f. Approve New Hire – Karen Branstrom, ALC Paraprofessional – Effective August 31st, 2020
- g. Approve New Hire – Eric Bervig, Volunteer Cross Country Coach
- h. Approve New Hire – Lacy Johansen, Preschool Paraprofessional
- i. Approve Food Service Contract with Mahube Otwa for 2020-21 School Year - ADDENDUM**

APPROVED New Business:

- a. Approve Digital Curriculum Resources with Apex Learning

Carlson – Yes, Dodge – Yes, Hoyt – Yes, Pike – Yes, Safratowich – Yes, Gauldin - Yes

- b. Approve Interim Curriculum Coordinator Position

Carlson – Yes, Dodge – Yes, Hoyt – Yes, Pike – Yes, Safratowich – Yes, Gauldin - Yes

- c. Approve until USDA funding expires or December 31st, 2020, Free Breakfast and Lunch for Students – ADDENDUM**

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- d. Approve Retirement – Mary Luetgers- With regret and thanks for her 28 Years of Service to the Park Rapids School District- Effective September 1st, 2020- ADDENDUM**

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HEARD Discussion items

Beginning of School 2020-2021 –

DONATIONS Received and Appreciated

TO	FROM	AMOUNT/ITEM
Century Elementary School	Colleen Elkington	Face Masks
Century Schools	Northern Coating Supply, LLC	Paint for Sensory path Approx. \$270
Century Elementary/Ms. Eischens	Donorschoose.org	\$491.00
Century MS	Itasca Mantrap	\$500.00
PRAHS/Mr. Sleen	Ackerman Plumbing	Galvanized sheet metal - \$100 Value
PR Bus Garage	Barb Wilson	Cloth Face Masks

DISCUSSED Monthly Board Committee Reports

DISCUSSED Project309 Update – Ice Cream Socials

ADJOURN at

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