

Sargent Public Schools

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SCHOOL DISTRICT #84

Legal and public notice being duly given that the July meeting of the Sargent Public School Board of Education was called to order on Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 8:00 pm in the Sargent School Library. President Riddle announced that the Sargent Board of Education abides by the Nebraska Open Meetings Act and then the members stood for the Pledge of Allegiance. Members present were: Rolland Stefka, Martin Riddle, Laura Kipp, Loyd Pointer, Chandra Horky, and Tammera Moody were present.

Rod Richardson-Superintendent

Martin Riddle -President

Motion by Horky and seconded by Kipp to approve the minutes from the regular June Board of Education meeting held on Monday, June 12, 2023. Roll Call all present-AYE

Visitors and guests:

Roughly 35 community patrons were in attendance for the meeting. Jan Osborn was present to talk about National FBLA and the experiences the kids had & represented Sargent very well in Atlanta, Georgia. Holli Smith was also in attendance to assist with the meeting.

Superintendent's Report

Discussion Items:

District Wellness Policy update was that the committee met.

Discussion on district administration for 2024-25 school year.

Mr. Richardson gave an update on the 23-24 budget goals.

Discussion was had on the pros and cons of creating a position for communication specialist.

An update was given on the wrestling and weight room.

A short discussion was had on what to do with junior high girls sports.

Discussed and decided that the next board meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 8th, 2023 at 8:00 p.m in the school library.

Action Items:

Motion by Kipp and seconded by Moody to approve the financial report as presented. Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Stefka and seconded by Pointer to approve paying the bills in the amount of \$266,682.10. Roll Call all present-AYE

A motion to table the review of the 2023 School Census till August was made by Horky and seconded by Moody. Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Stefka and seconded by Horky to approve the renewal of membership with the Nebraska Rural Community School Association. Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Kipp and seconded by Horky to approve the breakfast, lunch, and milk prices for the 2023-24 school year as recommended: Student breakfast-\$1.65, Student lunch-PreK-6th-\$2.75, 7th-12th-\$2.85 and Milk-\$.60 (second milk and first without a meal). Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Kipp and seconded by Pointer to approve the Classified compensation for the 2023-24 school year. Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Pointer and seconded by Moody to approve the substitute compensation for the 2023-24 school year as recommended. Roll Call all present-AYE, Kipp abstained

Motion by Pointer and seconded by Horky to approve the Bobcat lease from Central Nebraska Bobcat as presented. Roll Call all present-AYE

Motion by Kipp and seconded by Moody to adjourn at 9:12 p.m. Roll Call all present-AYE.

Martin Riddle, President

Chandra Horky, Secretary