

MINUTES
BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING
LASALLE-PERU TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 120
AUGUST 5, 2021, 5:30 P.M.

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Tony Sparks, President, called to order the Special Meeting at 5:30 p.m. in the Matthiessen Auditorium at LaSalle-Peru Township High School, 541 Chartres Street, LaSalle, IL 61301.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mr. Tony Sparks, President, Mr. Greg Sarver, Vice President, Mr. Gary Ferrari, Mrs. Sally Taliani, Mr. Matt Merboth, Mrs. Carol Alcorn and Dr. Rose Marie Lynch

ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Dr. Steven Wroblewski, Superintendent, Mrs. Ingrid Cushing, Principal, Mr. Dwayne Mentgen, Director of the Area Career Center, Mr. Dan Le, Athletic Director, Mr. Adam Kueltzo, Associate Principal for School Safety, Mrs. April Eutis, Associate Principal for Student Support Services, Mr. Matt Baker, Director of Communications, Mrs. Lori Whalen, Business Manager, Attorney Walt Zukowski, Ms. Ali Braboy, WLPO Reporter, Mr. Jayce Eustice, News Tribune Reporter and Mrs. Julie Bleck, Board Secretary

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

DISTRICT PRESENTATION – LPHS Reopening Plan for the 2021-2022 school year

Dr. Wroblewski presented the administration's reopening plan for 2021-2022 school year.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mr. Sparks asked the attending public if there were any community members that would like to speak and ask questions and share their thoughts on the reopening school plan presentation. There were 3-community members that addressed the Board following the presentation, questions were asked by the community and answered by Dr. Wroblewski, Attorney Zukowski and the Board.

Mr. Matt Becker

Ms. Jennifer Ebner

Ms. Sheryl Churney

NEW BUSINESS

Approval of the LPHS Reopening Plan for the 2021-2022 School Year

MOTION by Mr. Ferrari, seconded by Dr. Lynch to approve of the LPHS Reopening Plan for the 2021-2022 School Year as presented. Voting Aye: Mr. Ferrari, Dr. Lynch, Mr. Sarver, Mrs. Alcorn, Mr. Merboth, Mrs. Taliani and Mr. Sparks. Voting Nay: None. **The motion carried 7-0.**

Approval of the Shield Testing Program Agreement

MOTION by Mr. Sarver, seconded by Mrs. Taliani to approve of the Shield Testing Program Agreement as presented. Voting Aye: Mr. Sarver, Mrs. Taliani, Mrs. Alcorn, Dr. Lynch, Mr. Merboth, Mr. Ferrari and Mr. Sparks. Voting Nay: None. **The motion carried 7-0.**

Approval of the following appointments:

MOTION by Mr. Merboth, seconded by Mr. Sarver to approve of the following appointments as presented.

- a. Mr. Matthew Rebholz, Assistant Football Coach, effective the 2021-2022 school year (replaces Mr. Andrew Nelson)
- b. Mr. Wesley Kostellic, Assistant Football Coach, effective the 2021-2022 school year (replaces Mr. Nick McLaughlin)
- c. Ms. Kelly O'Donnell, Head Cheerleading Coach, effective the 2021-2022 school year (replaces Mrs. Holly Ziegler and Mrs. Emmy Carney)

Voting Aye: Mr. Merboth, Mr. Sarver, Mrs. Alcorn, Dr. Lynch, Mrs. Taliani, Mr. Ferrari and Mr. Sparks.
Voting Nay: None. **The motion carried 7-0.**

Approval to recall the following employees:

MOTION by Mrs. Taliani, seconded by Mr. Merboth to approve of the following employees as presented.

- a. Mrs. Jacki Fitzgerald
- b. Mrs. Beth Hamilton
- c. Mrs. Brenda Mini
- d. Mrs. Janel Haeffner
- e. Mrs. Jennifer Andrews
- f. Mrs. Nancy Galletti

Voting Aye: Mrs. Taliani, Mr. Merboth, Mr. Sarver, Mrs. Alcorn, Dr. Lynch, Mr. Ferrari and Mr. Sparks.
Voting Nay: None. **The motion carried 7-0.**

Approval for authority to repost the library clerk position


MOTION by Mr. Ferrari, seconded by Dr. Lynch to approve the authority to repost the library clerk position as presented. Voting Aye: Mr. Ferrari, Dr. Lynch, Mr. Sarver, Mrs. Alcorn, Mr. Merboth, Mrs. Taliani and Mr. Sparks. Voting Nay: None. **The motion carried 7-0.**

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Mr. Sarver, seconded by Mrs. Alcorn to adjourn. All in favor, Aye:
The motion carried. Time: 6:37 p.m.



Mr. Tony Sparks
President



Julie Bleck
Secretary