

DALLAS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT #327
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 16, 2016

Mr. Sparrow, President called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

Mr. Sparrow asked Mrs. Blaesing, Secretary to call the roll.

Members answering roll were:

Castillo	Present	Webster	Present
Lionberger	Present	Heidbreder	Present
Sparrow	Present	Blaesing	Present
Greenhalge	Absent		

No visitors were in attendance.

The Board observed a moment of silence.

The Board of Education wishes to congratulate Illini West High School softball team for winning Regionals.

The consent agenda was presented to the board for review.

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster to approve the items on the Consent Agenda as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carries. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

The Bills were presented to the Board for payment.

A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Lionberger to approve payment of all bills as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Lionberger to recess the open meeting and call the FY2016 Budget Amendment Hearing to order.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

Dr. Olson presented an overview of the FY2016 budget amendment.

A motion was made by Webster, seconded by Castillo to adjourn the Budget Hearing and return to open meeting.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Lionberger to approve the FY2016 budget as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A summary of bids was provided to the Board of Education for review.

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster to approve the firm fuel bid and the snow removal bid for FY2017 as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

The Prevailing Wage Ordinance was discussed. Illinois law requires adoption of the Prevailing Wage Ordinance by public school districts.

A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Lionberger to adopt the FY2017 Prevailing Wage Ordinance as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A copy of the Student Handbook was presented for review by the Board of Education. A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster to approve the Student Handbook as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

The Faculty/Staff Handbook was presented to the board for review. A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Lionberger to approve the Faculty/Staff Handbook as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A resolution was prepared and presented to the Board of Education. The resolution recognizes those students who qualified for the state track meet.

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster to approve the State Track Team Resolution as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

Dr. Olson submitted a written Superintendent's Report which was presented to the Board. Questions from the Board were answered.

Mrs. Tucker submitted a written Principal's Report which was presented to the Board. Questions from the Board were answered.

A motion was made by Heidbreder, seconded by Castillo, to enter closed session at 7:38 p.m. to discuss items per 5ILCS 120/2(c)(1)(10) as presented. Roll Call

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Lionberger, to come out of closed session at 8:36 p.m. Roll Call

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Voice vote, motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster, to approve the Personnel Report as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Heidbreder, to approve the Principal's contract as presented.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

A motion was made by Castillo, seconded by Webster to adjourn at 8:38 p.m.

Castillo	Aye	Webster	Aye
Lionberger	Aye	Heidbreder	Aye
Sparrow	Aye	Blaesing	Aye
Greenhalge	Absent		

Motion carried. 6 Ayes, 1 Absent

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held Thursday, July 21, 2016 at 7 p.m.

President, Brent Sparrow

Secretary, Betty Blaesing

Superintendent Report

- I will be out of the office on June 23 and June 24 due to my wife being out of town.
- If you haven't already, let Chris know if you're planning on attending the Triple I Conference in November and if so, who is coming with you.
- Tax bills are going out later than usual this year in the county due to the quadrennial reassessment that was conducted. Kerry Asbridge indicated that we wouldn't get our tax money until August sometime, which is later than usual. Illinois state statutes require that assessors in all counties revalue all properties in their jurisdictions once every four years. Over the years, it has been found that not all properties rise in value at the same rate. Therefore, it is necessary to revalue all properties every four years to insure uniform and equitable assessments. In the non-quadrennial assessment years, assessors are required to review assessments and make minor changes where necessary and to assess all new property constructed during that year. But in quadrennial reassessment years, the assessors are required to view each and every assessment in detail and revalue all properties based on the market value conditions for that year.
- I've attached a flyer on the Triple I Conference which will be highlighting school safety.
- Also attached is a report from ISBE regarding the district's provision of special education and related services. According to this report, we received the designation of "Meets Requirements."

Illinois Association of
School Boards

Illinois Association of
School Administrators

Illinois Association of School
Business Officials

June 13, 2016

Dear Colleague in Education,

Nothing is more important to school board members, school administrators, and faculty than the safety and security of all students and staff on school grounds. Safety and security has become a top priority for school districts across the nation.

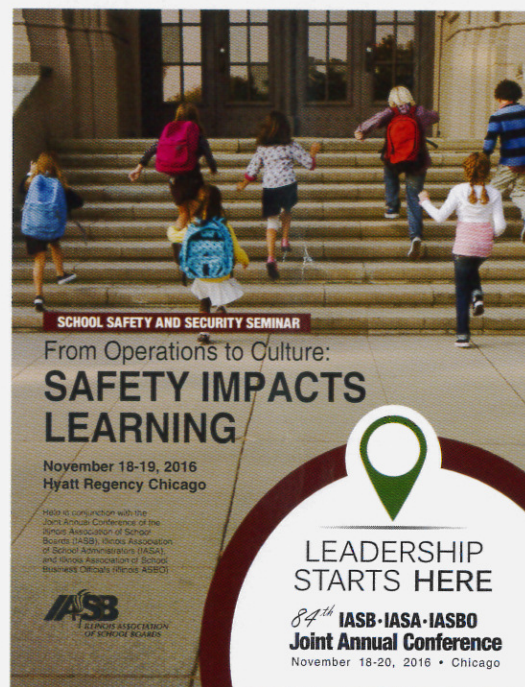
This year, as part of the 2016 Joint Annual Conference, the Illinois Association of School Boards will host a new half-day **School Safety and Security Seminar, “From Operations to Culture: Safety Impacts Learning.”** This seminar will provide participants with current and vital information on emergency plans, training, safety drills, building design, and culture and climate — all necessary to ensure the highest levels of safety and security.

The School Safety and Security Seminar will take place on Friday, November 18, in conjunction with the Joint Annual Conference’s regular Pre-Conference Workshops.

In addition to Friday’s Seminar, IASB will **offer a strand of eight safety and security panel sessions** — presented by experts and covering a wide range of safety topics — during the Conference on Friday and Saturday, November 18 and 19.

Because it is essential that school district personnel develop emergency plans and procedures in cooperation with their local emergency personnel, invitation to the School Safety and Security Seminar and Panel Sessions will extend outside the school board and administration. **School districts are encouraged to invite emergency responders, local Emergency Management Agencies, school security directors/coordinators, school resource officers, and others who work with the district in preparing and carrying out security procedures on their campuses.**

An IASB School Safety and Security Seminar brochure will be coming your way soon with details on dates, times, and registration. We hope your district, and your local safety and security entities, will take advantage of this new addition to the Joint Annual Conference in November.





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James T. Meeks
Chairman

Tony Smith, Ph.D.
State Superintendent of Education

June 8, 2016

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Dallas ESD 327

Dear Superintendent:

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Section 616, requires all states to make determinations on the performance of their local districts with regard to the provision of special education and related services. The Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) has reviewed the following data from the 2014-2015 school year. Based upon these data, ISBE has determined that your district has received the designation of **Meets Requirements** in implementing one or more of the following requirements of IDEA.

Please refer to the online document, *How the Illinois State Board of Education Made Local Determinations under Section 616 of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) for the 2014-2015 School Year*, for further information. This document and other technical assistance resources are available on the LEA Determinations webpage: http://www.isbe.net/spec-ed/html/lea_determinations/htm.

A determination of Meets Requirements requires no further action by your district.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David Andel".

David Andel
Division Administrator
Special Education Services

CC: State-Approved Director of Special Education

State Performance Plan Indicator	Score	Determination
<i>Indicator 4b:</i> Significant discrepancy, by race/ethnicity in the rates of suspensions and expulsions greater than 10 days in a school year for children with IEPs; and policies, procedures and practices that contribute to the significant discrepancy.	4.00	Meets Requirements
<i>Indicator 9:</i> Disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in special education and related services that is a result of inappropriate identification.	4.00	Meets Requirements
<i>Indicator 10:</i> Disproportionate representation of racial and ethnic groups in specific disability categories that is a result of inappropriate identification.	4.00	Meets Requirements
<i>Indicator 11:</i> The percent of children with parental consent to evaluate, who were evaluated within the 60 school day timeline as defined by the Illinois School Code (105 ILCS 5/14-8.02).	4.00	Meets Requirements
<i>Indicator 12:</i> Percent of children referred by Part C prior to age 3, who were found eligible for Part B, and who have an IEP developed and implemented by their third birthdays.	4.00	Meets Requirements
<i>Indicator 13:</i> Number of youth aged 16 and above with an IEP that includes coordinated, measurable, annual IEP goals and transition services that will enable the student to meet the post-secondary goals.	NA	
Correction of Identified Noncompliance	4.00	Meets Requirements
IDEA Part B Audit Findings (A133 audit)	4.00	Meets Requirements
OVERALL DETERMINATION	4.00	Meets Requirements

Principal's Board Report
June 2016

Summer School is in full swing! Students and teachers are enjoying some FUN learning activities. Summer school ends next week. Three junior high students are finishing up requirements for credit recovery this summer as well. They will be working with me until they finish all requirements for promotion to the next grade level.

I am working to wrap up this school year by entering data, submitting reports to the state and making amendments to the NCLB (Title I and Title II) grants. We held interviews for the open classroom positions. We had strong candidates during this round of interviews. We still have two open special education positions with, unfortunately, no applicants. I am also working on placing orders for books, supplies and materials for next school year. There is a lot to do!

May Data

Discipline:

13 Student Attendance Days
20 Office Referrals

Hands on	1
Disrespect	2
Disobey	5
Destruction (birds nest)	1
Inappropriate Language	2
Disruption	3
Bus	1
Bullying	2
Threat	2
Name Calling	1
Total	20

Student Enrollment: 184 Student Attendance %: 95%

<u>Staff Absences</u>	<u>Certified</u>	<u>Non-Certified</u>
Sick:	33*	8
Personal:	3.5	6.5
Bereavement:	3	13
Vacation:	N/A	3
Unpaid Leave(Election Judge)	N/A	3.5 hours

*includes 15 sick days for Carrie Scheetz and 15 sick days for Deanna Hartrick