

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
GLADSTONE AREA SCHOOLS
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GLADSTONE, MICHIGAN 49837**

MINUTES

Gladstone High School
2100 State Highway M35
Gladstone, MI 49837

The regular meeting of the Gladstone Area Schools Board of Education was held on Monday, December 19, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the High School Library.

The meeting was called to order by President Steve Tackman at 6:01 p.m.

Members Present: Linda Howlett, Henry Knoch, Nathan Neumeier, Jesse Seger, Andrew Sturdy, Steve Tackman, Joanna Wilbee-Amis

Members Absent: None

Administrative: Jay Kulbertis, Andy Jacques, Dave Ballard, Holly Howes, Katee Inghram, Lori Wells, Lisa Boudreau, Karen Fisher

The list of guests is recorded in the Administrative Office as part of the minute book.

Pledge of Allegiance was said by all.

Joanna Wilbee-Amis commented that the Jones Christmas concerts were fantastic. Provided recommendation from parents on student release after concerts. Jesse Seger commented on the awesomeness of the high school publication class.

Motion to approve the agenda as presented was made by Nathan Neumeier and supported by Linda Howlett. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Motion to approve the minutes of the November 14, 2022 regular meeting minutes as presented was made by Linda Howlett and supported by Henry Knoch. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Motion to approve payment of general fund bills numbered 63283-63392 in the amount of \$263,515.27 was made by Andrew Sturdy and supported by Joanna Wilbee-Amis. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Dr. Kulbertis noted the busy time of year with fall going in to winter, principals are doing a great job, new hires, Congress spending and the Governors support on education.

Motion to approve the hire of Timothy Becks (custodian) and Serena Maki (building aide) as Teamster employees was made by Nathan Neumeier and supported by Linda Howlett. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Motion to approve a 5-year Early Middle College program of study that requires successful completion of a math or math related course in the fifth year for Early Middle College students was made by Nathan Neumeier and supported by Jesse Seger. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Motion to go in to closed session to discuss superintendent evaluation was made by Nathan Neumeier and supported by Linda Howlett. Roll call vote: Ayes –Jesse Seger, Andrew Sturdy, Joanna Wilbee-Amis, Linda Howlett, Henry Knoch, Nathan Neumeier, Steve Tackman; Nays –none. Motion carried 7-0.

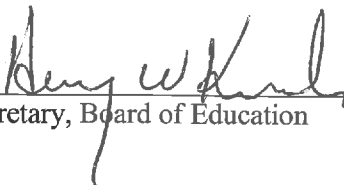
Meeting moved to closed session at 6:23 p.m.

Meeting moved out of closed session at 7:08 p.m. and to open session at 7:09 p.m.

Motion to approve superintendent evaluation was made by Nathan Neumeier and supported by Henry Knoch. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn was made by Linda Howlett and support by Joanna Wilbee-Amis. Ayes -7, Nays -0. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:11 p.m.


Secretary, Board of Education

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