October Meeting

October 14, 2024

The Wheeler Central Board of Education Regular Board Meeting was held October 14, 2024. Chairperson Kasselder called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. and pointed out the location of the Open Meetings Act poster. The roll was called with the following present: Zach Wright, Drew Kasselder, Dennis Derner, Jessie Swick, and Andrew Smith. Swick made a motion, seconded by Wright, to excuse Adam Freouf. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye. Motion carries. Also present were Dan Kluver, Makayla Reiter, and Andrea Pelster.

Smith made the motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. Seconded by Swick. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye. Motion carries.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Chairperson Kasselder welcomed the visitors and opened the floor for public comment. No public comment was held at this time.

During the staff report, Smith gave the Americanism Committee Report.

Board Member Freouf was welcomed to the meeting at 7:16 p.m.

No Maintenance report was given.

A representative from Nebraska Central Equipment presented during the Transportation report.

Principal Reiter gave the PK-12 Principal report.

Superintendent Kluver gave the Superintendent report.

Swick and Kasselder spoke during the board report.

Discussion was held on the NASB Community Meeting Report and NVC Conference.

Item C. Daycare was moved to the end of the meeting.

The Rule 10 Safety Audit Report was reviewed.

The board was given a notice for the Superintendent Evaluation.

Wright made a motion to recognize the Wheeler Central Education Association as the negotiating party for the 2026-2027 school year. Seconded by Freouf. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye, Freouf - aye. Motion carries.

Chairperson Kasselder read the letter of recognition given to the board by Stefanie McCain. The Board thanked her for and appreciated the years of service given to Wheeler Central and the community.

Derner made a motion, seconded by Swick, to update the School Wellness Board Policy 5052. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye, Freouf - aye. Motion carries.

The following Board Policies were reviewed with no recommendations for change: 3001, 3010, 3018, 3042, and 3043.

Swick made a motion to enter executive session to protect personal and identifiable information regarding the Little Renegades Daycare. Seconded by Derner. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye, Freouf - aye. Motion carries. Executive session was entered at 8:16 p.m.

Smith made the motion, seconded by Wright, to exit executive session. Roll call vote: Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye, Derner - aye, Freouf - aye. Motion carries. Executive session ended at 8:21 p.m.

Brief discussion was held on holding monthly board workshops.

Swick made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Derner. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.