

March 13, 2023

The regular meeting of the Thedford Public School Board of Education was called to order by President Licking at 7:00 p.m. at Thedford High School. Members present: Bridget Licking, Spencer Burk, Dixie Hoffman, Jay Jones and Alison Werner. Board member Matt Blackford arrived at 7:01 p.m. Also present: Superintendent Dahlberg, recording secretary Angie Pettit, and student visitors.

Hoffman moved, Burk seconded to excuse absent board member Blackford. Motion carried 5-0. Absent: Blackford.

Hoffman moved, Burk seconded to approve the agenda. Motion passed 6-0.

Burk moved, Blackford seconded to approve the minutes of the February 13th board meeting. Motion carried with a 6-0 vote.

Werner moved, Hoffman seconded to approve general expenditures totaling \$252,496.95 and motion passed 6-0.

Hoffman moved, Werner seconded to pay hot lunch expenditures of \$14,383.58 and to transfer \$2,327.45 from hot lunch checking to student finance checking. Motion passed with a 6-0 vote.

There were no community presentations or staff reports.

Superintendent Dahlberg gave an administrative report. He reported on legislative updates, the upcoming Title I Review meeting, surveys he will be sending out for the school improvement visit, snow days, testing schedules, the Athletic Co-op banquet on Tuesday, May 9th in Halsey and the lunch program review.

Superintendent Dahlberg reported on the winter co-op sports board meeting.

Three students in College Sociology stated they were observing the meeting for their class.

There were no board reports.

There was discussion on setting up a building and grounds committee meeting. They are planning on meeting April 17th after the board meeting.

The policy committee will start the process of reviewing policies from KSB. They are planning on meeting March 29th and 30th.

Superintendent Dahlberg presented the 2023-2025 Negotiated Agreement for board approval and went over the changes. Werner moved, Blackford seconded to approve the 2023-2025 Negotiated Agreement as presented and motion carried with a 6-0 vote.

Superintendent Dahlberg presented a letter of resignation for board approval from Andrew Christen, 7-12 math teacher, effective at the end of this school year. Hoffman moved, Werner seconded to approve the resignation of Andrew Christen as presented. Motion passed 5-0-1. Nay: Jones.

Superintendent Dahlberg reported that the following contracts have been offered: Staci Holthus – K-12 SPED, Gretchen Anderson – Elementary, Callie Zutavern – 7-12 Math. Burk moved, Jones seconded approve all contracts presented pending their acceptance. Motion carried 6-0.

President Licking adjourned the meeting at 8:17 p.m.

The next board meeting will be held on Monday, April 17, 2023 at Thedford High School at 7:00 p.m.