

Hoxie Public School

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT

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Board Meeting Minutes

January 8, 2018

The Hoxie School Board met for their regular school board meeting on Monday, January 8, 2018 with all members present. President Romine called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Mr. Dobbs and seconded by Mr. Worlow, with a unanimous decision, to accept the minutes as read from the December regular meeting and the December special meeting.

At 6:05 the board went into a closed session, at the request of the parent, for the expulsion hearing of her child. At 6:50 the board came out of the closed session.

After the hearing, a motion was made by Mr. Worlow and seconded by Mr. Dobbs to expel a tenth grade student for the semester. The student may return for the first semester of the next school year in August.

A motion was made by Mr. Worlow and seconded by Mr. Coats, with a unanimous decision, to accept Superintendent Baker's recommendation to allow Karen Hobba to continue to sign checks for the district in the absence of the District Treasurer.

The financial report was given by Superintendent Baker. A motion was made by Mr. Dobbs and seconded by Mr. Gates, with a unanimous decision, to accept the financial report as presented.

Superintendent Baker recommended to the board to accept the resignation of Mrs. Kelly Gillham effective June 30, 2018. She will take over the position of school superintendent on July 1, 2018. A motion was made by Mr. Worlow and seconded by Mr. Gates, with a unanimous decision, to accept Mrs. Gillham's resignation.

Mrs. Gillham, high school principal, gave her administrative report. (Copy attached)

Mrs. Gates, elementary principal, gave her administrative report. (Copy attached)

Old Business:

The board authorized Superintendent Baker to take down some buildings and trees around campus, do some ground work on the school grounds to allow for better drainage, get bids for the used air conditioning units that were replaced last summer, and to purchase a new school bus.


New Business:

The board instructed the administration to start the interview process for replacement of Kelly Gillham, high school principal. We will start interviewing in-house persons wanting to apply for the high school principal position.

At 7:20 P.M. a motion was made by Mr. Worlow and seconded by Mr. Coats, with a unanimous decision, to adjourn the meeting.



Board President



Board Secretary

02-14-2018

Date