## Watersmeet Township School District REGULAR BOARD MEETING February 24, 2025

4:00pm

Vice-President L. McGeshick called the meeting to order at 4:00pm and began with the pledge.

Present:

T. Williams, L. McGeshick, P. Smith, L. Rogers, A. Schrader

Absent:

M. Hazen, J. Fiorucci

Motion by P. Smith, second by A. Schrader to approve the agenda with the addition of c. Music Teacher resignation letter under New Business. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

Visitors: Alina Shively, Julia Overmeyer

LVD Representation: None

Student Council Representation: None

Union Representation: None

A bully proofing discussion took place and the Superintendent will meet with teachers at their March 5<sup>th</sup> curriculum meeting to go over proper reporting of incidents.

An Athletic Committee update was given.

Motion by T. Williams, second by A. Schrader to approve the minutes from the January 27, 2025 regular/reorganizational meeting. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

P. Ollila was in attendance to present the financial report, accounts payable, and budget update and answer questions.

An update was given regarding the Collaborative counseling effort between the Lac Vieux Desert Health Center and Watersmeet School.

Motion by T. Williams, second by L. McGeshick to raise the substitute teacher pay rate to \$145 per day effective March 3, 2025. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

Motion by P. Smith, second by T. Williams to accept the Retirement letter from Mrs. Zelinski, Title I teacher, with retirement incentives as in the WEA 2024-2027 Contract. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

Motion by T. Williams, second by P. Smith to accept the Music teachers' resignation letter, effective June 30, 2025. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

Principal's report was presented by Mr. Peterson.

Motion by T. Williams, second by L. Rogers to adjourn at 4:35pm. Roll call vote: T. Williams-Aye, P. Smith-Aye, L. McGeshick-Aye, A. Schrader-Aye, L. Rogers-Aye. All ayes-Motion carried.

Vic<del>e-President, L. McGeshi</del>ck Trustee, Toni S<del>ecretary, P. Smith</del> Trustee, A. Schvader