

Board of Education  
Starpoint Central School District  
Board of Education Conference Room  
Regular Meeting  
October 17, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Board President, Jeffrey Duncan, at 6:00 pm with the following members attending in-person: Gregory Brehm, Jeffrey Duncan, Michelle Leuer, Jason Madden, Beth Pyskaty, Shawn Riester, Chad Shepherd, Kelley Swann and Michael Zimmerman.

Absent: None.

Also in attendance were: Dr. Sean Croft, Superintendent of Schools; Maureen Braunscheidel, Assistant Superintendent, Jonathan Andrews, Director of Administrative Services; Gretchen Cercone, Director of Human Resources; Dorothy Szpaicher, District Clerk; 8 in-person and 14 virtual attendees.

Motion J. MADDEN, second S. RIESTER, unanimously carried that the board enter into executive session to discuss the employment of a particular individual at 6:01 pm.

Motion S. RIESTER, second C. SHEPHERD, unanimously carried that the board exit executive session at 7:18 pm.

The Board took a brief recess. President, Jeffrey Duncan, led the Board and visitors in the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:28 pm.

The following additions and amendments were made to the agenda:

- Add – Item K3 – Appointments – Extra-Curricular - Peter Eberz – RIS Newspaper Club - effective 7/1/22 to 6/30/23
- Amend – Item K4 – Approval of Student Teacher – Add the following student teachers – Erin Dunn, Lee Gugino, Kendall Brooks

The Superintendent of Schools presented his Superintendent's Report.

A public forum was held.

Motion G. BREHM, second M. LEUER, unanimously carried, that the board approves the following consensus agenda items:

- Minutes for the regular meeting on September 26, 2022
- Treasurers Reports for the month of July 2022
- Budget and Revenue Status Reports from July 2022
- Transfers for the month of July 2022
 

From:	To:	Amount:
A.5540.400.83.0000	A.5540.400.83.2855	\$25,000.00
A.5540.400.83.0000	A.5540.400.83.0450	\$ 1,500.00
A.9060.860.89.0001	A.5540.400.83.0450	\$44,674.00
A.2070.490.87.0000	A.1680.490.89.0000	\$10,656.83
A.2630.220.87.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 2,399.00
A.2250.200.84.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 537.00
A.2110.200.20.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 1,714.00
A.2855.200.20.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 979.00
A.2110.200.11.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 275.00
A.2110.200.19.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 361.00
A.1310.200.89.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 100.00
A.2110.450.11.0000	A.1620.200.81.0000	\$ 1,045.00
- Bills for the month of July 2022
- Recommendations for 2022-2023 of the Committee on Special Education & Committee on Preschool Special Education:  
 CPSE 22-23: 900464584, 900464720  
 CSE 22-23: 900463953, 900461663, 900464347, 900464593, 900462865, 900464026, 900463917, 900463612, 900464565, 900464649, 900464605, 900464622, 900464031, 900463000, 900464682, 900462869, 900464623, 900464599, 900464610, 900464657, 900464655, 900464656, 900464662, 900464660, 900462761, 900462721, 900463993, 900462722, 900458960, 900464270, 900463303

There was no correspondence received by the Board.

Motion M. ZIMMERMAN, second S. RIESTER, unanimously carried that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the board accepts the following resignations:

- Debra Barrett - Resignation For the Purpose of Retirement - Teacher Aide - effective 01/02/23
- Shar DePriest - Resignation For the Purpose of Retirement - Transportation Coordinator – effective 01/27/23
- Jeanne Kappel - Resignation For the Purpose of Retirement - Teacher Aide - effective 06/30/23

Motion J. MADDEN, second K. SWANN, unanimously carried, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the board approves the following appointments:

**Other**

- Stephen George - Long Term Substitute - School Counselor - effective 10/18/22 to 6/30/23  
- \$47,050 (prorated)
- Instructional Substitutes - Christina Boyd, Sarah Heim, AnnMarie Hoak, Shannon Ottaviano, Collin Searles, Angelina Vona

**Non-Instructional**

- Justine Kramer - Permanent Appointment - Justine Kramer - School Nurse - effective 8/30/21

**Extra-Curricular**

- Peter Eberz – RIS Newspaper Club - effective 7/1/22 to 6/30/23 - \$1,193

Motion K. SWANN, second J. MADDEN, unanimously carried, that the board approves the following student teacher: Lindsay Block, Erin Dunn, Lee Gugino, Kendall Brooks.

Motion C. SHEPHERD, second J. MADDEN, unanimously carried, that the board approves an articulation agreement with Niagara County Community College.

Motion M. LEUER, second J. MADDEN, unanimously carried, that the board approves a request by High School Foreign Language Club Co-Advisor Louise Petrie and Suzanne Staskiewicz to chaperone club members on a trip from January 12, 2023 to January 15, 2023 to Quebec City, Canada.

Motion J. MADDEN, second M. LEUER, unanimously carried, that the board approves the receipt of this very generous donation: \$500.00 from the Prince and Clark families to be used for the HS Post Prom Party 2023.

Motion C. SHEPHERD, second K. SWANN, unanimously carried, that the board approves Request from Regan Intermediate School Faculty Member, Krista Strovers, to use 18.5 sick days from the STA Sick Bank.

Public remarks and comments were held.

The Board Members held an open discussion.

Motion M. ZIMMERMAN, second G. BREHM, unanimously carried, that the board adjourn the meeting at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy Szpaicher  
District Clerk