

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF  
GENESEO COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL  
DISTRICT #228 BOARD OF EDUCATION  
209 SOUTH COLLEGE AVENUE  
GENESEO, ILLINOIS  
HELD ON THURSDAY, APRIL 08, 2010, AT 6:00 P.M.  
IN THE GENESEO SCHOOL DISTRICT UNIT OFFICE MEETING ROOM**

PRESENT:

C. Coleman  
D. Ford  
C. Frerichs  
J. Mickley  
J. Puentes  
B. Snodgrass  
A. VanDeWoestyne

ALSO PRESENT:

Scott Kuffel, Superintendent  
Jack Schlindwein, Director of Operations  
Vicki Neuleib  
Jill DePauw, arrived at 7:00 p.m.  
Mike Kiss  
Brian Stahl  
Doug Nelson

Natalie Haugse, Recording Secretary  
Jerilyn VanDeWoestyne, Reporter, *Geneseo Republic*

1. President Ford called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Roll call was taken with seven members present (Ford, Frerichs, Puentes, Snodgrass, Mickley, Coleman, VanDeWoestyne).

2. Brian Stahl, Geneseo High School Agriculture Teacher, and student teacher, Doug Nelson, presented the annual Agriculture Department Report. (Written report provided)
3. Mr. Kuffel asked the agenda be amended to include
  1. Adding a Closed Session following the consent agenda for the purpose of discussing:
    - The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the District or legal counsel for the District, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee or against legal counsel for the District to determine its validity. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1).
    - Student disciplinary cases. 5 ILCS120/2(c)(9).
  2. Remove items 5.f. (Pole Vault Pit) and 5.i. (Dance Policy) from Action Items
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Motion by VanDeWoestyne, seconded by Coleman to approve amending the agenda to include

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Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes (Snodgrass, Ford, Puentes, Coleman, Mickley, Frerichs, VanDeWoestyne).

1. Board Correspondence
  - a. Cafeteria Report for March, 2010
2. Motion by Puentes, seconded by Mickley to accept the consent agenda as presented:
  - a. Approve the minutes of the March 11, 2010, Regular Meeting
  - b. Approve the Closed Session minutes of March 11, 2010, as Closed
  - c. Approve the RRCAS bills in the amount of \$26,096.81, payroll in the amount of \$10,949.13, for total expenditures of \$37,045.94
  - d. Approve Geneseo CUSD bills in the amount of \$1,191,630.32, payroll in the amount of \$767,304.97, for total expenditures of \$1,958,935.29
  - e. Approve final 2009-10 School Calendar
  - f. Approve IHSA Membership Renewal
  - g. Accept Donation to Geneseo Athletic Department from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reese

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Snodgrass, Puentes, Mickley, Coleman, Ford, Frerichs, VanDeWoestyne).

3. President Ford asked for a motion to adjourn to closed session for the purpose of discussing:
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Motion by Puentes, seconded by Snodgrass to adjourn to closed session at 6:20 p.m.

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Puentes, Ford, Snodgrass, Mickley, Frerichs, Coleman, VanDeWoestyne).

4. Motion by Mickley seconded by Snodgrass to accept the personnel agenda as presented

**Employment**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>
Marie Abel	Middle School Vocal Music Teacher
Alyson Anton	High School English Teacher
Sarah Boone	Elementary Teacher
Alyssa Bruns	High School Social Work Intern
Laura Chaney	Elementary Teacher
Scott Christensen	High School Math Teacher
Michelle Craig	Elementary Teacher
Jennifer Croner	High School Foreign Language Teacher
Julie Drish	High School Business Teacher
Brian Duwe	Middle School Science Teacher
Matt Eastlick	High School Science Teacher
Todd Ehlert	Middle School, High School PE/Health Teacher
Abby Everett	Elementary Teacher
Cathy Faulkner	Elementary Teacher
Tom Ferguson	Middle School Social Studies Teacher
Bonnie Greenwood	Middle School Art Teacher
Logan Hamilton	High School Art Teacher
Rachel Hamilton	High School Math Teacher
Michael Harrington	High School Social Studies Teacher
Heidi Hernandez	Elementary Art Teacher
Deanna Humphries	Elementary Teacher
Melissa Jackson	Middle School Special Education Teacher
Jeff McAvoy	Middle School History Teacher
Chad McGough	High School Administrative Volunteer
Patrick Mitchell	Middle School Math Teacher
Brad Monier	Elementary Teacher
M. Nikki Pierce	Elementary Teacher
Daniel Putman	Middle School Math Teacher
Molly Reel	High School Spanish Teacher
Amy Rittenhouse	Elementary Teacher
Amanda Rodriguez	High School Family/Consumer Science Teacher
Jill Schauland	Middle School 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher
Carrie Schlindwein	Special Education Teacher
Traci Schulz	Elementary Teacher
Sara Stroud	Elementary Teacher
Rachel Tharp	High School Math Teacher

### Granting Tenure

Name	Position
Alyson Anton	High School English Teacher
Sarah Boone	Elementary Teacher
Laura Chaney	Elementary Teacher
Scott Christensen	High School Math Teacher
Michael Harrington	High School Social Studies Teacher
Heidi Hernandez	Elementary Art Teacher
Patrick Mitchell	Middle School Math Teacher
M. Nikki Pierce	Elementary Teacher
Amy Rittenhouse	Elementary Teacher

### Resignation

Name	Position
Chad McGough	High School Assistant Principal

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Puentes, Frerichs, Mickley, Snodgrass, VanDeWoestyne, Ford, Coleman).

5. Motion by Puentes, seconded by Coleman to approve Resolution Authorizing Non-Reemployment of Educational Support Personnel

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Mickley, VanDeWoestyne, Coleman, Frerichs, Ford, Snodgrass, Puentes).

6. Motion by Coleman, seconded by Snodgrass to approve Resolution regarding Transportation Agreement with Pinks' Bus Service for 2010-11 School Year as presented

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Frerichs, Mickley, VanDeWoestyne, Coleman, Ford, Snodgrass, Puentes).

7. Motion by Mickley, seconded by Puentes to approve final Elementary, Middle School and High School 2010-11 Student Handbooks

*Motion was amended by Puentes, seconded by Mickley to amend the 2010-11 High School Student Handbook, changing page 39 to reflect "Students will not be required to have lunch fees up-to-date in order to purchase dance tickets" per committee recommendation*

Amended motion carried by roll call vote of six ayes, (Coleman, Mickley, VanDeWoestyne, Puentes, Ford, Snodgrass), one nay, (Frerichs).

Motion carried by roll call vote of six ayes, (Coleman, Mickley, VanDeWoestyne, Puentes, Ford, Snodgrass), one nay (Frerichs).

8. Motion by Coleman, seconded by Frerichs to approve 2010-11 Administrative Salaries as presented, showing a wage freeze for those administrators not in retirement agreements (Haugse, Mackey, DeBaene, Ryerson, Wiese, Kastorff, Kuffel)

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (VanDeWoestyne, Frerichs, Ford, Snodgrass, Puentes, Mickley, Coleman).

9. Motion by Snodgrass, seconded by VanDeWoestyne to approve Educational Support Personnel Salary Parameters for 2010-11 as presented

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Puentes, VanDeWoestyne, Frerichs, Coleman, Ford, Mickley, Snodgrass).

10. Motion by Snodgrass, seconded by Mickley to reject all bids for the High School Press Box as recommended

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Ford, VanDeWoestyne, Snodgrass, Frerichs, Puentes, Mickley, Coleman).

11. Motion by Frerichs, seconded by Coleman to approve awards for Unleaded Fuel to Gold Star FS at the fixed bid price of \$2.45 for a six (6) month time frame; and Diesel Fuel to Gold Star FS at the fixed bid price of \$2.50 for regular blend diesel fuel for a six (6) month time frame as presented

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Frerichs, Ford, Snodgrass, Puentes, Mickley, Coleman, VanDeWoestyne).

## 12. Information Items

- a. Heard first reading of Board Policies 4:110, 4:160 and 5:20
- b. The Geneseo Chamber of Commerce Spring Breakfast is Thursday, April 29, at 7:30 a.m. at the Geneseo Community Center. Please let Natalie know if you would like to attend.
- c. Reviewed FY11 Budget Information and Preparation. Currently State Categoricals are running \$883,000 behind
- d. Heard revision of Administrative Procedures for 2009-10 High School Student Handbook Policies as they relate to the Dance Policy and Activity Code of Conduct (handout)
- e. Blackhawk Division Governing Committee Meeting is scheduled for May 12, 2010, at The Cellar. Please let Natalie know if you would like to attend.
- f. Mr. Kuffel noted the Class Size Meeting of April 7 was a productive meeting.
- g. City MAPPING meeting was held April 7 at High School.
- h. Mr. Snodgrass notified the Board that the Chinese Consulate is speaking at Rotary and speaking at the High School on April 20.

13. Motion by Frerichs, seconded by Puentes to adjourn.

Motion carried by roll call vote of seven ayes, (Coleman, Frerichs, Mickley, Ford, VanDeWoestyne, Snodgrass, Puentes).

14. The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

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PRESIDENT

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SECRETARY