



GENESEO

COMMUNITY UNIT
SCHOOL DISTRICT #228

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REGULAR MEETING

Geneseo CUSD #228 Board of Education

December 12, 2024 at 5:30 PM

District Office · 648 N. Chicago St. · Geneseo, IL 61254

Board Members in Attendance	Central Office Administration in Attendance
K. Urick	Dr. Adam Brumbaugh, Superintendent
D. Olson	Tim Gronski, CSBO
K. Causemaker	
J. Mickley	
Dr. J. Robinson	
B. Snodgrass	
K. Ganson	

1. Meeting Opening

- A. Call to Order. Meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Vice-President Causemaker.
- B. Moment of Silence
- C. Pledge of Allegiance
- D. Roll Call

Urick Snodgrass Olson Robinson Ganson Causemaker Mickley
 p p p p p p p

- E. Student Recognition: Eden Ebert, Archie Casey, Noah Timmerman and Charlotte Jones (Millikin); Madison Reade, Kendyl Wassenhove, Stella Smith, Lily Taylor and Addison Snodgrass (GHS Girls Tennis); Kwin VanKerrebroeck and Bryson VanHoutte (GHS Boys Golf)
- F. Recognition of Visitors and Public Participation. None
- G. Approval of any Amendments to the Agenda. No amendments.

2. Monthly Board Operating Agreements and Code of Conduct Review

- A. Operating Agreement #5: Board Meeting Agenda
 - a. The Board's agenda is an expression of what the board understands its work to be and how it intends to pursue that work. Typically, the agenda is a cooperative effort of the Board President and Superintendent. All Board members are invited to submit suggestions for agenda items. Periodically, the entire Board will consider important topics or agenda items for consideration in the following months.
 - b. During a duly called open meeting, Board members and District residents may suggest items for inclusion on the agenda. Such items may be added to the agenda upon approval of the Board. Since action items must be posted in the meeting notice, such items will typically be scheduled for a subsequent meeting.
- B. Code of Conduct for Board Members #5
 - a. I will abide by majority decisions of the board, while retaining the right to seek changes in such decisions through ethical and constructive channels.

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3. Suspend for Purpose of Holding Public Hearing – Truth in Taxation

Motion to suspend regular Board Meeting and conduct Truth in Taxation

Motion by: Olson

Second by: Ganson

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

There was no public comment on the 2024 Levy.

Motion to end Public Hearing and resume Regular Board of Education Meeting

Motion by: Ganson

Second by: Mickley

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

4. Reconvene Regular Meeting. Regular Meeting reconvened at 5:41 p.m.

5. Special Presentation

- A. Illinois School Report Card Presentation (Part I) - Superintendent Dr. Adam Brumbaugh
- B. GHS Agriculture Annual Report – Jacqueline Wetzell, Agriculture Teacher & FFA Advisor

6. Superintendent/CSBO/Committee Reports

- A. Calendar Committee
- B. Board Policy Committee
- C. Buildings and Grounds Committee
- D. IASB Liaison December Talking Points

7. Closed Session

- A. The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees.
- B. The selection of a person to fill a public office, as defined in the Open Meetings Act, including a vacancy in a public office, when the public body is given power to appoint under law or ordinance.

Motion to suspend regular Board Meeting and enter closed session.

Motion by: Ganson

Second by: Urick

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Board entered closed session at 7:10 p.m.

Motion to reconvene Regular Board of Education Meeting.

Motion by: Urick

Second by: Robinson

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Regular Board Meeting reconvened at 7:46 p.m.



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8. Consent Agenda

- A. Consider/Approve Regular Meeting Minutes of November 14, 2024
- B. Consider/Approve D228 Financial Report
- C. Consider/Approve Solicitation of Bids for 2025-26
- D. Consider/Accept 880-E1 Gifts to the District from Entity Other than GEF (Phillip and Karen Jordan Family)

Motion by: Ganson

Second by: Robinson

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



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9. Personnel Consent Agenda

- A. Employment Matters
- B. Resignations/Leaves/Retirements
- C. Personnel Chart Summary

Motion to approve Personnel Consent Agenda without Dr. Brumbaugh resignation item.

Motion by:	Urick							Second by:	Olson
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

Motion to approve the remainder of the Personnel Consent Agenda.

Motion by:	Urick							Second by:	Olson
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

10. Board Work

- A. Consider/Approve 2024 Property Tax Levy

Motion by:	Ganson							Second by:	Urick
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

- B. Consider/Approve GHS Course Proposals

Motion by:	Olson							Second by:	Robinson
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

- C. Consider/Approve GHS Course Planning Guide

Motion by:	Olson							Second by:	Urick
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

- D. Consider/Approve D228 Cardiac Emergency Response Plan

Motion by:	Mickley							Second by:	Olson
Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley			
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			

- E. PRESS Board Policy Review: Issue 117 (2:105, 2:120, 4:30, 4:60, 4:150, 4:170, 5:10, 5:20, 5:90, 5:120, 5:125, 5:230, 6:60, 6:135, 6:270, 7:10, 7:100, 7:180, 7:200, 8:10) – First Reading
- F. Vision 2030 Call-to-Action: School Board Resolution of Support – First Reading
- G. 2024 Joint Annual Conference Recap by Board of Education Members
- H. 2025-2028 School Calendars - First Reading
- I. Conduct of Public Hearing concerning the intent of the Board of Education to sell \$7,250,000 Working Cash Fund Bonds for the purpose of increasing the District’s Working Cash Fund.



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Motion to suspend regular Board Meeting and conduct Public Hearing for Board intent to sell Working Cash Bonds.

Motion by: Ganson

Second by: Mickley

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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

There was no public comment.

Motion to end Public Hearing and resume Regular Board of Education Meeting

Motion by: Urick

Second by: Robinson

Urick	Snodgrass	Olson	Robinson	Ganson	Causemaker	Mickley
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

J. Other potential action as a direct result of the closed session.

Member Ganson confirmed the directive for the Board to conduct a superintendent search with the consultation of IASB.

11. Comments from the Board of Education

A. Discussion and direction for next steps, if any

Olson: Middle School AG Club successful competition in Cambridge.

Robison: Asked for clarification on school calendar coding requirements.

12. Suggestions for Future Agenda Items

A. Discussion and direction for next steps, if any

Urick: Board Calendar items.

Mickley: Convene a “cost cutting” committee.

13. Adjourn Regular Meeting

Motion by: Ganson Second by: Urick

Voice vote, all in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 pm.



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SIGNATURE

Adam Fluch	<i>Adam Fluch</i>
Scott HARDISON	<i>Scott Hardison</i>
Lisa Hemmer	<i>Lisa Hemmer</i>
Jacqueline Wetzel	<i>Jacqueline Wetzel</i>
Travis Mackin	<i>Travis Mackin</i>
Ayden Kane	<i>Ayden Kane</i>
Austin Pearce	<i>Austin Pearce</i>
Dansyn McDonald	<i>Dansyn McDonald</i>
Philip Mc	<i>Philip Mc</i>
Melanie Henderson	<i>Melanie Henderson</i>

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Kyle Morey
Tyler Robertson

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