St. Anthony – New Brighton
Independent School District 282
Regular Meeting – June 2, 2017
St. Anthony Village City Council Chambers
3301 Silver Lake Road
St. Anthony, MN 55418

MINUTES

<u>Members Present:</u> Barry Kinsey; Leah Slye; Andrea Scamehorn; Laura Oksnevad; Mike Volna; and Cassandra Palmer

<u>Staff Present</u>: Superintendent <u>Robert Laney</u>; St. Anthony Village High School Principal <u>Wayne Terry</u>; Director of Business Services <u>Bill Menozzi</u>; Wilshire Park Elementary Principal <u>Kari Page</u>; St. Anthony Middle School Principal <u>Renee Corneille</u>; and Director of Community Services <u>Wendy Webster</u>

The Regular School Board Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Board Chair, Barry Kinsey, in the St. Anthony Village City Council Chambers.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Leah Slye to approve the Agenda for June 2, 2017 Regular School Board Meeting, as presented. <u>The motion carries 6-0.</u>

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Class of 2017 - Top Ten Students Graduating with High Distinction

A motion was made by **Andrea Scamehorn** and seconded by **Cassandra Palmer** to recognize and congratulate St. Anthony Village High School's Class of 2017 Top Ten Students - **Jordan DeWester**; **Victoria Peluf**; **Jake Smith**; **Kayla Wicklund**; **David Elias**; **Joe Nogosek**; **Anders Dahl**; **James Klaesges**; **Marcus Bradt**; and **Kia Kivi**, as presented. **Motion carries 6 - 0**.

Athena Award Recipient

A motion was made by **Mike Volna** and seconded by **Laura Oksnevad** to recognize and congratulate St. Anthony Village High School's Class of 2017 Athena Award recipient **Bonnie Zeller**, as presented. **Motion carries 6 – 0.**

State Speech Participants

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Andrea Scamehorn to recognize and congratulate Clara Pederson and Lydia White for their participation in the MSHSL State Speech Tournament, as presented. Motion carries 6-0.

RoboHuskie

A motion was made by Andrea Scamehorn and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to recognize and congratulate the RoboHuskie team for participating in National Competition this year, as presented. Motion carries 6 -0.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Cassandra Palmer and seconded by Leah Slye to approve the Minutes from the May 16, 2017 Regular School Board Meeting, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Mike Volna to approve the June 6, 2017 Amended Consent Agenda, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

ACTION

1. 2017 – 2018 Budget

Minnesota Statue 123B.77 Subd. 4 require School Boards to approve and adopt their revenue and expenditure budgets for the next year prior to July 1. District Administration recommended the approval of the 2017 – 2018 preliminary budget.

A motion was made by Andrea Scamehorn and seconded by Leah Slye to approve the 2017 – 2018 preliminary budget, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

2. Q-Comp MOU

This Memorandum of Understanding was entered into between the St. Anthony-New Brighton School District, ISD 282 and the St. Anthony Village Education Association to establish and implement the Alternative Teacher Professional Pay System ("ATPPS" or "Q-Comp") for the teachers of St. Anthony-New Brighton Schools for the 2016 - 2017 school year. All teachers, as defined by MN Stat. 122A.40 (the Continuing Contract law) and the Master Agreement, shall be eligible for and participate in this program.

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to approve the Q-Comp MOU, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

3. Notice of General Election

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING DATES FOR FILING AFFIDAVITS OF CANDIDACY

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 282, State of Minnesota, as follows:

The period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 282 shall begin on August 1, 2017 and shall close on August 15, 2017.

An affidavit of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the \$2 filing fee paid prior to 5:00 o'clock p.m. on August 15, 2017.

- 2. The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said filing dates to be published in the official newspaper of the district, at least two (2) weeks prior to the first day to file affidavits of candidacy. Publication of said notice prior to the date of adoption of this resolution is hereby ratified and approved in all respects.
- 3. The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said filing dates to be posted at the administrative offices of the school district at least ten (10) days prior to the first day to file affidavits of candidacy.
 - 4. The notice of said filing dates shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 282 (ST. ANTHONY-NEW BRIGHTON) STATE OF MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 282 shall begin on August 1, 2017, and shall close at 5:00 o'clock p.m. on August 15, 2017.

The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2017. At that election, three (3) members will be elected to the School Board for terms of four (4) years each.

Affidavits of Candidacy are available from the school district clerk, Independent School District No. 282, 3303 33rd Avenue NE, St. Anthony, MN 55418. The filing fee for this office is \$2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for thirty (30) days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same primary or general election.

The affidavits of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the filing fee paid prior to 5:00 o'clock p.m. on August 15, 2017.

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Mike Volna to approve the Resolution Establishing Dates for Filing Affidavits of Candidacy, as presented. A roll call vote was taken. The motion carries 6-0.

RESOLUTION RELATING TO ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AND CALLING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 282, State of Minnesota, as follows:

- 1. (a) It is necessary for the school district to hold its general election for the purpose of electing three (3) school board members for terms of four (4) years each.
- (b) The clerk shall include on the general election ballot the names of the individuals who file or have filed Affidavits of Candidacy during the period established for filing such affidavits, as though

they had been included by name in this resolution. The clerk shall not include on the ballot the names of individuals who file timely affidavits of withdrawal in the manner specified by law.

- 2. The general election is hereby called and directed to be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 2017, between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m. The general election shall be conducted in conjunction with the City of St. Anthony and the City of New Brighton municipal elections.
- 3. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.11, the school district polling places and the precincts served by those polling places, as previously established and designated by school board resolution for school district elections not held on the day of a statewide election, are hereby designated for this general election. However, because the Cities of St. Anthony and New Brighton will be holding their municipal elections on November 7, 2017, the polling places for voters residing in the precincts in those cities shall be the polling places designated by those cities.
- 4. The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause written notice of said general election to be provided to the County Auditor of each county in which the school district is located, in whole or in part, at least seventy-four (74) days before the date of said general election. The notice shall specify the date of said election and the office or offices to be voted on at said general election. Any notice given prior to the adoption of this resolution is ratified and confirmed in all respects.

The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said general election to be posted at the administrative offices of the school district at least ten (10) days before the date of said general election.

The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause a sample ballot to be posted at the administrative offices of the school district at least four (4) days before the date of said general election and to cause two sample ballots to be posted in each polling place on election day. The sample ballot shall not be printed on the same color paper as the official ballot. The sample ballot for a polling place must reflect the offices, candidates and rotation sequence on the ballots used in that polling place.

The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said elections to be published in the official newspaper of the school district, for two (2) consecutive weeks with the last publication being at least one (1) week before the date of the general election.

The notice of election so posted and published shall state the offices to be filled as set forth in the form of ballot below, and shall include information concerning each established precinct and polling place.

The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause the rules and instructions for use of the optical scan voting system to be posted in each polling place on election day.

- 5. The clerk is authorized and directed to acquire and distribute such election materials and to take such other actions as may be necessary for the proper conduct of this general election and generally to cooperate with any election authorities conducting other elections on that date. The clerk and members of the administration are authorized and directed to take such actions as may be necessary to coordinate this election with those other elections, including entering into agreements or understandings with appropriate officials regarding preparation and distribution of ballots, election administration and cost sharing.
- 6. The clerk is further authorized and directed to cause or to cooperate with the proper election officials to cause ballots to be prepared for use at said election in substantially the following form, with such changes in form, color and instructions as may be necessary to accommodate an optical scan voting system:

General Election Ballot 215 216 **Independent School District No. 282** 217 (St. Anthony-New Brighton) 218 219 November 7, 2017 220 331 223 **Instructions to Voters:** 224 To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: 225 226 227 **School Board Member** 228 229 Vote for up to Three 230 231 232 Name Name Name Name Name Name write-in, if any write-in, if any write-in, if any 233

Optical scan ballots must be printed in black ink on white colored material, except that marks to be read by the automatic tabulating equipment may be printed in another color ink. The name of the precinct and machine-readable identification must be printed on each ballot. Voting instructions must be printed at the top of the ballot on each side that includes ballot information. The instructions must include an illustration of the proper mark to be used to indicate a vote. Lines for initials of at least two election judges must be printed on one side of the ballot so that the judges' initials are visible when the ballots are enclosed in a secrecy sleeve.

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- 7. The name of each candidate for office at each election shall be rotated with the names of the other candidates for the same office in the manner specified in Minnesota law.
- 8. If the School District will be contracting to print the ballots for this election, the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to prepare instructions to the printer for layout of the ballot. Before a contract in excess of \$1,000 is awarded for printing ballots, the printer shall, if requested by the election official, furnish, in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 204D.04, a sufficient bond, letter of credit, or certified check acceptable to the clerk in an amount not less than \$1,000 conditioned on printing the ballots in conformity with the Minnesota election law and the instructions delivered. The clerk shall set the amount of the bond, letter of credit, or certified check in an amount equal to the value of the purchase.
- 9. The election judges appointed by the Cities of St. Anthony and New Brighton for the November 7, 2017 municipal elections in those cities are also appointed as election judges of the School District's general election, to act as such at the individual city precincts located in the school district. Their names are incorporated in this resolution as though fully set forth herein. The election judges shall act as clerks of election, count the ballots cast and submit the results to the school board for canvass in the manner provided for other school district elections.
- 10. The School District clerk shall make all Campaign Financial Reports required to be filed with the school district under Minnesota Statutes, Section 211A.02. The clerk must post the report on the school district's website as soon as possible, but no later than thirty (30) days after the date of the receipt of the report. The school district must make a report available on the school district's website for four years from the date the report was posted to the website. The clerk must also provide the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board with a link to the section of the website where reports are made available.

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to approve the Resolution Relating to the Election of School Board Members and Calling the School District General Election, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

4. Amendment to Special Election

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A NEW POLLING PLACE FOR A CERTAIN PRECINCT AND DESIGNATING HOURS DURING WHICH THE POLLING PLACE WILL REMAIN OPEN FOR VOTING FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS NOT HELD ON THE DAY OF A STATEWIDE ELECTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Independent School District No. 282, State of Minnesota, as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.11, the precincts and polling places for school district elections are those precincts or parts of precincts located within the boundaries of the school district which have been established by the cities or towns located in whole or in part within the school district. The board hereby confirms those precincts and polling places so established by those municipalities.
- 2. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.11, the board may establish polling places for school elections not held on the day of a statewide election. The board hereby confirms those precincts and polling places previously established within the City of St. Anthony. The following polling place is hereby established to serve Precinct 2 in the City of New Brighton and is specified for all school district special and general elections not held on the same day as a statewide election:

POLLING PLACE:

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints 100 Silver Lake Road New Brighton, MN

This polling place serves all territory in Independent School District No. 282 located in the City of New Brighton, Precinct 2; Ramsey County, Minnesota.

- 4. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 205A.09, the polling place will remain open for voting for school district elections not held on the same day as a statewide election between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m.
- 5. The clerk is directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Ramsey County Auditor within 30 days after its adoption.
- 6. As required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 204B.16, Subdivision 1a, the clerk is hereby authorized and directed to give written notice of the new polling place location to each affected household with at least one registered voter in the school district whose school district polling place location has been changed. The notice must be a nonforwardable notice mailed at least twenty-five (25) days before the date of the first election to which it will apply. A notice that is returned as undeliverable must be forwarded immediately to the Ramsey County Auditor, who shall change the registrant's status to "challenged" in the statewide registration system.

A motion was made by Andrea Scamehorn and seconded by Laura Oksnevad to approve the Resolution Establishing a New Polling Place for a Certain Precinct and Designating Hours during which the Polling Place will remain open for voting for School District Elections not held on the day of a Statewide Election, as presented. A roll call vote was taken. The motion carries 6-0.

5. Committed Fund Balance

Whereas the School Board of St. Anthony – New Brighton began the 2016 – 2017 fiscal year with \$33,969 in a committed fund balance for capital and \$805,689 in a committed fund balance for technology and curriculum and;

Whereas the School Board intends to use a portion of the committed fund balance targeted for technology and curriculum to cover a portion of the capital costs for the design work for the Wilshire Park addition and renovation project and;

Whereas GASB statement No. 54 requires School Board action to transfer fund balance within the committed fund;

Therefore be it resolved that the School Board of St. Anthony – New Brighton transfers \$632,107 from the committed fund balance for technology and curriculum to the committed fund balance for capital for the 2016 - 2017 fiscal year.

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to transfer \$632,107 from the committed fund balance for technology and curriculum to the committed fund balance for capital for the 2016 - 2017 fiscal year, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

6. Payroll/Benefits Contract

District Administration recommended approval of the 2016 – 2018 Payroll/Benefits Technician Contract.

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Leah Slye to approve the 2016 – 2018 Payroll/Benefits Technician Contract, as presented. <u>The motion carries 6-0</u>.

7. Policy 202 - School Board Officers

This was the second reading of Policy 202 – School Board Officers.

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Mike Volna to approve Policy 202 – School Board Officers, as presented. The motion carries 6-0.

8. Policy 714 - General Fund Balance

This was the final reading of Policy 714 – General Fund Balance.

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Andrea Scamehorn to approve Policy 714 – General Fund Balance, as presented. <u>The motion carries 6-0</u>.

DISCUSSION

1. Civil Rights Research Experience

Dare to Be Real advisor Andrew Kastenberg introduced St. Anthony Village High School students who participated in the Civil Rights Research Tour over Spring Break. Students shared their personal reflections from their travels.

2. Patriots Report

Directors Chris Ravndal and Andy Erickson updated the Board on the Patriots Marching Band summer performance schedule.

Superintendent Report:

Superintendent Robert Laney noted the last day of school as being June 8th and the St. Anthony Village High School Commencement Ceremony is being held on Friday, June 9, 2017

Board Member Reports:

School Board members attending the following meetings and events: WPPA Walk-a-Thon; MS/Hs Choir Concerts; Wilshire Park Track and Field Day; WMEP meeting; SAMSA Parent meeting; SAVHS Parent meeting; Parks Commission; and the joint meeting with the City of St. Anthony.

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