St. Anthony – New Brighton
Independent School District 282
Regular Meeting – February 7, 2017
St. Anthony Community Center

3301 Silver Lake Road St. Anthony, MN 55418

MINUTES

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

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

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

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to approve the Agenda for February 7, 2017 Regular School Board Meeting, as presented. The motion carries 6 - 0.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Andrea Scamehorn and seconded by Leah Slye to approve the Minutes from the January 17, 2017 Regular School Board Meeting and the January 31, 2017 Special School Board Meeting, as presented. The motion carries 6 - 0.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Cassandra Palmer to approve the February 7, 2017 Consent Agenda, as presented. The motion carries 6 - 0.

ACTION

1. Achievement and Integration Plan

Principal Renee Corneille presented the 2017 – 2020 Achievement and Integration Plan.

A motion was made by Leah Slye and seconded by Mike Volna to approve the Achievement and Integration Plan, as presented. The motion carries 6 - 0.

2. Policy 524.1 - Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy

This was the second reading of Policy 524.1 – Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy.

 A motion was made by Laura Oksnevad and seconded by Andrea Scamehorn to approve Policy 524.1 – Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy, as presented. The motion carries 6 - 0.

DISCUSSION

1. Hennepin County Grant

In cooperation with a number of community partners, the St. Anthony – New Brighton School District submitted two grant requests to the Minnesota Twins Hennepin County Youth Baseball and Softball Grant and the Hennepin Youth Sports Program (HYSP) in the fall of 2016. St. Anthony Village High School Principal Wayne Terry explained the grant submissions requested will assist in two areas. The first request was to the Hennepin Youth Sports Program as part of its equipment grant category for funding to add and update auditorium lighting used for our many school and community performances and functions in O.D. Tingum Auditorium. The second request was to the Minnesota Twins Community Fund for monies directed toward improving the safety fencing in Central Park, reducing the number of errant baseballs and softballs within the park and varsity softball field. Principal Terry was pleased to report the HYSP awarded the school district \$4,348 to be used toward auditorium lighting projects and the Twins Community Fund granted the District \$10,000 toward the addition of field safety fencing. Planning for auditorium lighting improvements is now in process and the field safety fencing project will have an anticipated start date of late April or early May, 2017.

2. Special Education Review

Director of Special Education Michelle Dunaski provided an overview of the District's Special Education programming including updated information regarding the District's membership to NE Metro 916.

3. Wilshire Park Update

With increasing resident student enrollment, the District has been engaged in an expedited process to construct additional classrooms at Wilshire Park. In preparation for construction on the east side of the building, the results of a soil assessment indicated the soil would not accommodate a traditional foundation. The soil would need to be corrected or a different foundation would need to be constructed to support the addition; therefore, increasing the projected cost. In January, the Board asked administration to review the construction budget to see if this projected cost could be accommodated within the current funding structure.

Superintendent Laney presented two potential options for additional classrooms at Wilshire Park. The presentation included Option A, a revised plan which modified the scope of the proposed addition to reduce the costs and accommodate a modified foundation. Option B is a more comprehensive plan which includes classroom and learning spaces to accommodate an increase of 150 resident students based on our enrollment projections.

Option A includes five additional classrooms, renovated media center, modified office, and a new secured entrance at a proposed cost of \$5,065,000. Option B includes eleven additional classrooms, a new gymnasium, renovated media center, renovated cafeteria, modified office, and a new secured entrance at a proposed cost of \$12,715,000.

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The District hired a geotechnical engineer who is conducting a Phase I environmental assessment to determine the condition of the soil east of the existing building. We expect to receive the results of the assessment at the end of February.

4. 2017 - 2018 Budget Update

Director of Business Services Bill Menozzi provided more financial details to the initial budget assumptions for the 2017 -2018 school year.

5. Policy 412 - Expense Reimbursement

This was the first reading of Policy 412 – Expense Reimbursement. With one noted change, this policy will be presented for approval at the February 21st board meeting.

Superintendent Report:

Superintendent Laney mentioned section play for winter sports; SAMS play will take place this weekend; and Director of Community Services Wendy Webster and Director of Athletics, Activities and Facilities Troy Urdahl both have testified in the current legislative session.

Board Member Reports:

School Board members attended numerous events and meetings including: WMEP; WPPA; Community Services Advisory Committee; Joint Meeting with the City of St. Anthony; NE Metro 916; TIES; and SAV for the Future gala.

Agenda Question

"What have we done for learners?" "....approved the Achievement and Integration plan benefiting all students...Special Education discussion ..."

Adjourn

The Regular Meeting of February 7, 2017 was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, ATTEST:

Kim Lannier Andrea Seameharn Clark

Andrea Scamehorn, Clerk