

KIEL BOARD OF EDUCATION
Kiel Area School District
Kiel, Wisconsin

Board Meeting
September 7, 2022

President Randy Olm called the Board Meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. on September 7, 2022, in the High School Library and Live Stream. The president noted that the meeting had been posted as prescribed by law and the news media notified. The president announced that the Board would consider convening into executive session under Wis. Stats. 19.85(1)(c)(f) and (g) to receive updates on an employee complaint, a student situation and to discuss and consider a parent request which involves confidential student information under Wis. Stats. s 118.125, and to strategize with legal counsel and take possible action regarding same.

Members Present

Jim Bajczyk	Dan Meyer
Jamie Henschel	Randy Olm
Mike Joas	Diana Schaefer
Stuart Long	

Administrators Present

Dr. Ebert, Chad Ramminger, Alex Ourada, Mackenzi Schwarz, Mike Hendricks

Others Present

Sheila Lefeber, Charles Achter, Ryan Harden, Wayne Muscu, Corrine Schneider, Allan Utecht, Ruth Camomelli, Marcia Kammann, Bill Kammann, Mary Adleman, Sally Skrepenski, Tony Johannes, Amy Binsfeld, Sarah Meyer, Andrea Doute, Chuck Ritger, Shane Konen, Beverly Bonde, Don Mogenson, Patt Grohskopf, Jody Hechel, Dawn Wirtz

Welcome

President Olm welcomed the special guests and visitors to the meeting.

Review of Norms

President Olm reviewed the board norms.

Approval of the Agenda

On Motion of Member Schaefer, seconded by Member Henschel, the Board approved the agenda with the removal of employee reclassification from the consent agenda. Roll call vote.

Bajczyk—Abstain, Meyer—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Joas—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Long—Yes, Olm--Yes

Community Feedback

No feedback was presented at this time.

DA/BOE Report

Dr. Ebert shared the following highlights:

- Start of school year;
- Inservice and staff preparation;
- Boys and Girls Club;
- Comedy Sportz
- Painting of small football field on north side of concessions

Zielanis Dishwasher

On Motion of Member Olm, seconded by Member Meyer, the Board approved the bid from Boelter at a cost of \$43,388 plus electrical (\$2,500) and plumbing (\$3,400) for a total project cost of \$49,288. Roll call vote.

Long—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Meyer—Yes, Bajczyk—Yes, Olm--Yes

First Education Contract

On Motion of Member Long, seconded by Member Schaefer, the Board approved the contract with First Educational Resources at a cost of \$20,500. Roll call vote.

Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Meyer—Yes, Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long--Yes

C.D. Smith Contracts

On Motion of Member Olm, seconded by Member Bajczyk, the Board approved the C.D. Smith contracts as presented. Roll call vote.

Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Meyer—Yes, Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long—Abstain, Schaefer--Yes

Employment of Staff

On Motion of Member Meyer, seconded by Member Schaefer, the Board approved the employment of Melissa Bender as a part-time (36%) Ag teacher for the 2022-23 school year. Roll call vote.

Henschel—Yes, Meyer—Yes, Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes

On Motion of Member Long, seconded by Member Schaefer, the Board approved the hiring of Deswin Robert Gbala as a high school English teacher for the 2022-23 school year. Roll call vote.

Meyer—Yes, Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes

On Motion of Member Henschel, seconded by Member Joas, the Board approved the employment of Nicole Neils as a 1st grade teacher at Zielanis for the 2022-23 school year. Roll call vote.

Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Meyer—Yes

Open Records Request

On Motion of Member Meyer, seconded by Member Long, the Board approved authorizing the District Administrator to negotiate a fee with the attorney to address open records requests at a cost not to exceed \$15,000. Roll call vote.

Bajczyk—Yes, Olm—Yes, Long—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Joas—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Meyer--Yes

Items Removed

Member Olm pulled the employee reclassification recommendation. Charles Achter explained the recommendation. No further action was required.

Future Agenda Items

The Board reviewed the list of future agenda items and committee meeting minutes and bringing student/teacher groups to future board meetings were added.

Review/Reflect

Board members reflected on the norms. Comments included a smoother meeting and appreciate the work and time given at the retreat.

Adjourn

On Motion of Member Bajczyk, seconded by Member Meyer, the Board voted to convene into executive session under Wis. Stats. 19.85(1)(c)(f) and (g) to receive updates on an employee complaint, a student situation and to discuss and consider a parent request which involves confidential student information under Wis. Stats. 118.125, and to strategize with legal counsel and take possible action regarding same at 8:00 p.m. after a short recess. Roll call vote.

Bajczyk—Yes, Meyer—Yes, Henschel—Yes, Joas—Yes, Schaefer—Yes, Long—Yes, Olm--Yes

Stuart Long, Clerk

Date Signed

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Sheila Lefeber, Administrative Operations Manager

Date Signed