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# FENNVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING \*with Board Member Virtual Access MAY 6, 2020 VIRTUAL MEETING – 6:00 P.M.

## A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by David Johnson at 6:02 p.m. Due to the Board of Education Meeting was via Virtual Access the Pledge of Allegiance was not recited.

# TAKING OF THE ROLL

Present: Mr. David Johnson

Mr. Tobias Hutchins

Mr. Jayson Hicks

Mr. John Raak

Mr. Manuel Sanchez

Mr. Ross Thiele

Absent: Mr. Almanza

## B. ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

Removal of Action Item F-5: Approval of Paving Alternates C-6 and C-7.

# C. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

#### D. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Hutchins supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

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**Motion carried:** 

6-0 Unanimous

# E. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Jim Greydanus

- Mr. Greydanus provided the Board with an overview of the action items on the agenda.
- Matt Heidloff of GMB presented information on turf football field voluntary alternates.

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## F. NEW BUSINESS

#### **Action Items:**

## 1. APPROVAL OF GRADUATION PLANS

Motion by Hutchins, supported Hicks, that the Board of Education approve the graduation plans for the Class of 2020 as presented.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak, Johnson

Nays: None

Motion carried: 6-0 Unanimous

## 2. APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE OF HIGH SCHOOL FURNISHINGS

Motion by Hicks, supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve the purchase of high school furnishings in the amount of \$90,770.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak, Johnson

Nays: None

Motion carried: 6-0 Unanimous

## 3. APPROVAL OF PAVING ALTERNATE C-3

Motion by Hicks, supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve Bond Bid Package 3 Alternate C-3 in the amount of \$75,405 to be completed by Al's Excavating.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak, Johnson

Nays: None

Motion carried: 6-0 Unanimous

## 4. APPROVAL OF PAVING ALTERNATE C-5

Motion by Thiele, supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve Bond Bid Package 3 Alternate C-5 in the amount of \$100,320 to be completed by Al's Excavating.

## **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak, Johnson

Nays: None

Motion carried: 6-0 Unanimous

#### 5. APPROVAL OF SCOREBOARDS FOR BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL

Motion by Hicks, supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve Bond Bid Package 3 Alternate 4 in the amount of \$13,850 to be completed by Parkway Electric.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak, Johnson

Nays: None

Motion carried: 6-0 Unanimous

## 6. APPROVAL OF ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD

Motion by Hicks, supported by Sanchez, that the Board of Education approve Bond Bid Package 3 Alternate 1 with voluntary Alternates 1, 5, and 6 in the amount of \$629,241 to be completed by Al's Excavating.

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#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Johnson

Nays: Raak

Motion carried: 5-1

## 7. ACCEPTANCE OF BID FOR STEEL BUILDING

Motion by Hutchins, supported by Hicks, that the Board of Education accept the bid of \$2,501 from Curtis Clark for the steel transportation building.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Ayes: Sanchez, Hicks, Hutchins, Thiele, Raak

Nays: Johnson

Motion carried:

5-1

## G. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

 Skillman Project Manager Sander Mathijs affirmed Al's Excavating Company is a good reputable company that has the capability to remove the lift out of the steel transportation building if needed.

## H. COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD TABLE

- Mr. Hutchins inquired on what the district's plan was for Teacher Appreciation week.
- Mr. Sanchez recommended the district wait until next school year to celebrate staff.
- Mr. Johnson inquired on the progress of the clean-up of the old bus garage.
- Mr. Greydanus reported the clean-up of the old bus garage is going well. The staff
  has been working diligently on the removal of old items; the exterior received a
  fresh coat of paint.
- Mr. Hutchins recommends before the press box is torn down the District photographs the Blackhawk painting and gives a print to its original artist.

# I. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Hutchins, supported by Hicks, to adjourn. (7:46 p.m.)

**Motion carried:** 

6-0 Unanimous

Recorded by Executive Secretary, Marileen Pitts

Respectfully Submitted by,

Julio Almanza Board Secretary