

**FENNVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
WORK SESSION MINUTES
OCTOBER 30, 2019
BOARD ROOM – 5:30 P.M.**

A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting opened at 5:35 p.m. in the Board Room where the members gathered for a tour of bond construction projects.

Present: Mr. David Johnson
Mr. Julio Almanza
Mr. Ross Thiele
Mr. Jayson Hicks

Absent: Mr. Tobias Hutchins
Mr. Manuel Sanchez
Mr. John Raak

Also Present: Mr. Jim Greydanus, Mr. Jon Carr, Mr. Kelly Godfrey, Mr. Mitchell Duyser (GMB), Mr. Sander Mathijs (Skillman), Mr. Brian Maxey (Skillman)

B. NEW BUSINESS

Informational/Discussion/Presentation Items

1. The Board toured the new transportation building, HS weight room addition, HS art room, and HS office addition.
2. Mitchell Duyser presented the most recent drawings for Bid Package 3 – Athletic Field Improvements.
3. Mr. Greydanus presented a request from the City of Fennville for a utilities easement for water mains and sewer lines that run under school property. The Board asked for an adjustment to the wording to allow for the construction of roads, sidewalks, or fences within the easement areas without the need for City approval. Mr. Greydanus will contact the City Administrator to request this change.

C. COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD TABLE

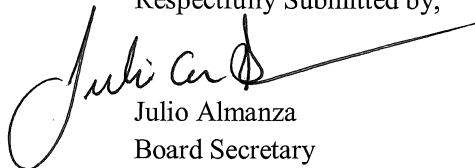
1. A question was raised about placing a fence between the new elementary drive and the private property to the south of the drive. Mr. Greydanus will approach the neighbors for input on what to do in this area.

D. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting ended at 7:45 p.m.

Recorded by Superintendent, Jim Greydanus

Respectfully Submitted by,


Julio Almanza
Board Secretary