

Clinton Community School District
Clinton, Iowa
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Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Clinton Community School Board will be held in person at **5:30 P.M.** on **Monday, August 9, 2021.**

Cindy McAleer, Board Secretary

Mission Statement

The mission of the Clinton Community School District is to educate all students to their highest level of achievement through an engaging curriculum in a caring community.

As The Clinton Board of Education We Believe

All children, when meaningfully engaged and motivated, are capable of learning. The resources of the school district should be used to provide all children with equal opportunities to achieve to their fullest potential.

The classroom teachers have the greatest potential to impact student learning when they have a deep understanding of their content, are provided a well-designed curriculum, utilize the most effective instructional strategies, and are presented with high-quality and ongoing professional development with collegial opportunities to reflect on their work as well as supportive and meaningful input and coaching from district administration that allows for continual growth and improvement.

All children should be provided a rigorous and engaging curriculum designed to develop their full potential as lifelong learners and prepare them to continue their education, pursue a vocation, and become contributing members of society.

Learning will be enhanced by adherence to an integrated curriculum that promotes continuity and cumulative acquisition of skills and knowledge from grade to grade and from school to school.

A broad-based co-curricular activities program that encourages students to explore their individual talents and abilities enhances a rigorous and engaging curriculum.

All students should be allowed to develop, learn, and grow in a safe and nurturing school environment.

The school facility is an integral part of the educational experience for all children. Schools that are well designed and properly maintained provide children with a safe, comfortable learning environment and have a positive impact on overall student achievement and behavior.

The family is the primary influence in a child's life. All children learn better when their parents or primary caregivers are involved in their children's education.

Educating our youth is a responsibility of the entire community, carried out through a collaborative effort. The primary goal of public education is to prepare all children to become contributing members of an ever-changing multicultural and global society.

The Board of Education is the primary representative of the school district and acts as a bridge between the community and the district.

Attendance:

Scott Bengtson _____
Mike House _____
Eric Gettes _____
Jenny Green _____

Mike Pelham _____
Ann Reed _____
Missey Sullivan-Pope _____

I. Call to Order: _____

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Mission Statement (Bengtson)

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IV. Superintendent Report to the Board – Gary DeLacy, Superintendent Appendix A

- A. Superintendent Report
 - B. Committee Minutes
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V. Consent Agenda Items

Explanation: All items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered routine by the School Board and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Board member so requests, in which event the item will be considered in the normal sequence on the agenda.

Recommendation: Move to approve the items on the consent agenda.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

Consent Agenda Items

***1. Approval of the Minutes Appendix B**

Recommendation: Move to approve the minutes of the Regular Board meeting held on July 12, 2021.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

***2. Classified and Certified - New Hires, Resignations, Retirements Appendix C**

Explanation: In Appendix C is a listing of personnel to whom contracts have been offered, a listing of personnel who have submitted letters of resignation, and/or letters of retirement effective immediately.

Recommendation: Move to approve personnel recommendations as presented in Appendix C.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

VI. Financials

Monthly Financial Reports

Appendix D

Explanation: The financial reports will be reviewed by Chief Financial Officer Cindy McAleer.

Recommendation: Move to approve the Financial Reports for July 2021 as presented.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

VII. Opportunity for community/staff to speak on items that are not part of the regular agenda as well as items that are part of the agenda. Issues about a specific person will not be addressed as such matters violate their legal right of privacy. Action will not be taken on items that are not part of the regular agenda.

VIII. New Business

1. Open Enrollment Appeal

Appendix E

Explanation: An open enrollment request for Aiden Barten was turned in after the deadline of March 1, 2021 and does not meet the state qualifications to release the student after the deadline. The parents have asked for an appeal to the school board since the superintendent denied the request based on cause.

Recommendation: Move to approve the request for Aiden Barten for open enrollment.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

2. Sale of Property Hearing

Appendix F

Explanation: Steven Gerdes has approached the district about buying an approximate 7 foot strip of property next to the tennis courts. Mr. Gerdes has maintained the property strip for many years. Attorney Bruhn has drawn up a purchase agreement for a quit claim deed as attached. As part of the sale a public hearing for the transaction has to be set.

Recommendation: Move to approve the Resolution for Sale and Scheduling Public Hearing for the district to enter into a Purchase Agreement with Steven Gerdes to sell a parcel as show in Exhibit A and described in Exhibit B and to set the public hearing for August 23, 2021 at 5:30 P.M.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

3. Purchase of Food Service Equipment

Appendix G

Explanation: The Food Service Department is in need of replacing and purchasing 3 steamers and a kettle. Quotes were received from 3 different vendors for the group purchase as seen in the attachment.

Recommendation: Move to approve the total package purchase from Wilson Restaurant Supply in the amount of \$62,205 for 3 steamers to be used at Bluff, Whittier and CHS and a kettle to be used at Whittier.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

4. Bluff Change Order #2

Appendix H

Explanation: As a result of the Bluff Elementary Security Entrance project, a request was submitted for an add of \$17,479 for cost adjustments associated with saw cutting the floor of the corridor to tie in the new plumbing.

Recommendation: Move to approve change order #2 with Sheets Design Build with an addition of \$17,479 as see on the attached.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

5. Food Service Pizza Bids

Appendix I

Explanation: Every year the district is required to seek bids for pizza for the Nutrition Department for the upcoming school year.

Recommendation: Move to approve awarding the pizza bid to Pizza Hut for the 2021-2022 school year.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

6. Renewal of Cooperative Athletic Sharing Agreements

Explanation: The following school districts are requesting renewal agreements of their cooperative athletic sharing agreements with our district for the 2021-2020 school year.

Prince of Peace

- Boys & Girls Bowling
- Boys & Girls Tennis
- Boys & Girls Swimming
- Football

DeWitt

- Boys & Girls Swimming

Camanche

- Boys Soccer
- Boys & Girls Swimming

Recommendation: Move to approve renewal of a cooperative athletic sharing agreement for the 2021 - 2022 seasons with the following schools for activities not provided by their resident school:

Prince of Peace

- Boys & Girls Bowling
- Boys & Girls Tennis
- Boys & Girls Swimming
- Football

DeWitt

- Boys & Girls Swimming

Camanche

- Boys Soccer
- Boys & Girls Swimming

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

7. Legislative Priorities 2021-2022

Explanation: Each year school districts provide input to the Iowa School Board Association priorities in the coming legislative session.

Recommendation: Move to approve the legislative action priorities.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

8. Appointment of Delegate to 2021 IASB Legislative Session

Explanation: Each year the school board has the opportunity to select a member to represent them at the IASB Delegate Assembly in Des Moines on November 17, 2021. Delegates vote on the Iowa School Board platform and priorities for the up-coming legislative session.

Recommendation: Move to appoint _____ as the Clinton Community School District representative to the IASB Delegate Assembly that will be held on November 17, 2021.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

9. Donations

Explanation: A \$150 donation was received from Dr. Bart Leavens at Chiropractic Solutions for the girls' soccer fundraiser.

Recommendation: Move to approve the donation of \$150 from Dr. Bart Leavens at Chiropractic Solutions to the girls' soccer fundraiser.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

IX. Other Pertinent Items to come before the Board

X. Calendar of Events

Event _____ **Date** _____ **Time** _____ **Place** _____

First Day of School, August 23, 2021

Next Scheduled Meeting:

Committee of the Whole meeting, August 23, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center
Board Meeting, September 13, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center

XI. Adjourn: _____

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____