

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, June 14, 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 (Gettes)

“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.”

IV. Presentations

- 1. **“We Are Proud”** - each month the board highlights outstanding achievement by groups or individuals in the Clinton School District.

(Green) We are Proud of Eagle Heights 2nd graders who hosted a Celebration of Poetry for their parents. Students read their poetry to the audience of family members.

(Bengtson) We are Proud of the students and teachers across the district who recently completed state testing – 3rd – 5th graders with ISASP and K-2 with FAST reading and IReady math assessments. The student and teachers dedication to learning during the 20-21 school year was a tough one and their ongoing work and focus on student learning has been admirable.

(Reed) We are Proud of Whittier’s students, staff and families for raising \$3747 towards our playground as part of our annual STEMathon! Students asked for pledges from families, friends, and neighbors, and in exchange for the pledges, students will participate in STEM building activities on June 3rd. Whittier’s PTA offered great prizes. Congratulations to our top three students: 1st place, Hudson Carter in Ms. Dodd’s Class with \$605, 2nd place, Annabelle Geronzin in Mrs. Dehner’s class with \$242 and 3rd place, Trey Gojon in Mrs. Dickey’s Class with \$225.

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

- A. Superintendent Report
 - B. Committee Minutes
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VI. 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 May 10, 2021 and the Committee of the Whole minutes on May 24, 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 _____

***3. Partnership School**

Appendix D

Explanation: This is a partnership between the AEA and Central DeWitt Community School District, fiscal agent, acting on behalf of the Partnership School Consortium for provision of the instructional program offered to students enrolled from Consortium member school districts in the Mississippi Bend Area Education Agency Partnership School Program.

Recommendation: Move to approve the Partnership School Consortium Agreement with Central DeWitt Community School District for the 2021-2022 school year.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

***4. Joint Agreement for the Iowa Illinois School Food Cooperative**

Appendix E

Explanation: The Clinton School District wishes to continue the joint agreement with the Iowa Illinois School Food Cooperative which provides the larger purchasing power for our main food items. The district has been part of the co-op for 25+ years.

Recommendation: Move to approve the joint agreement for the Iowa Illinois school food cooperative beginning July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2024.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

VII. Financials

Monthly Financial Reports

Appendix F

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

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

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

VIII. 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.

IX. New Business

1. Food Service Proposal Request

Appendix G

Explanation: Jeff Weaver, Director of Food Services, has outlined in Appendix G the need for increased costs for meal prices for the 2021-2022 school year based on mandates by the federal government subsidy program.

Recommendation: Move to approve increasing breakfast prices five cents and lunch prices ten cents for students at the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

2. Adoption of Board Policies

Separate Document

Explanation: This is the second reading for board policies 100-300, 800 and 900 series and various primer updates from the state. There has been no conversation or reservations regarding these policies.

Recommendation: Move to approve the second reading of board policies 100-300, 800 and 900 series and various primer updates from the state.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

3. Banking Institution Selection

Explanation: It has been three years since the district has sought new banking services. Letters detailing the types of services needed for the district were sent out to all of the local financial banking institutions. RFP's were received from three of the financial institutions in town. After review of the RFP's, First Central is being recommended as the district's financial institution for the next three years.

Recommendation: Move to approve First Central State Bank as the Clinton Community School District's Banking Institution for the three year period starting July 1, 2021.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

4. 2021-2022 School Board Meeting Dates

Appendix H

Explanation: Meeting dates for the school board are held according to board policy on the second and last Monday of each month unless there is a district or community conflict, which would allow for a change in the date of the meeting. Listed in Appendix F are the proposed dates for the 2021-2022 school year. The location for all board meetings will be at the Clinton Administration Center and will be held at 5:30 P.M.

Recommendation: Move to approve the proposed dates for school board meetings for the 2021-2022 school year to be held at the Clinton Administration Center at 5:30 P.M.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

5. Change Order #1

Appendix I

Explanation: As part of the Value engineering process, bid adjustments were made to align with the budget estimate. The first change order is a reduction for the Yourd Gym HVAC and Window Replacement to be funded by ESSER funds.

Recommendation: Move to approve Change Order #1 with Tricon General Construction, Inc. with a deduct in the amount of \$384,093.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

6. Life Connections Contract

Appendix J

Explanation: The district wishes to enter in to a contract with Life Connections for Mental Health services for the 2021-2022 school year to serve all of our schools.

Recommendation: Move to approve the contract with Life Connections for the 2021-2022 school year at an annual cost of \$90,000.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

7. Donations

Explanation: A \$2,250 donation was received from Hibbett Sporting Goods to the CHS Athletic Department.

Recommendation: Move to approve the donation of \$2,250 from Hibbett Sporting Goods to CHS Athletic Department.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

X. Other Pertinent Items to come before the Board

XI. Calendar of Events

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
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Next Scheduled Meeting:
No Committee of the Whole in June or July
Board Meeting, July 12, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center

XII. Adjourn to Closed Session Time: _____

Announcement: The Board will hold a Closed Session as provided in Section 21.5(1)(j) of the open meetings law to discuss the purchase or sale of real estate.

Recommendation: Move that the Board hold a Closed Session as provided in Section 21.5(1)(j) of the open meetings law to discuss the purchase or sale of real estate.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

XIII. Move to Open Session Time: _____

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

XIV. Adjourn to Closed Session Time: _____

Announcement: The Board will hold a Closed Session for the purpose of evaluating the Superintendent's job performance as provided under Iowa Code, Chapter 21(1).

Recommendation: Move that we hold a Closed Session for the purpose of evaluating the Superintendent's job performance as provided under Iowa Code, Chapter 21(1).

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

XV. Return to Open Session: Time_____

Recommendation: Move to return to Open Session.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

XVI. Adjourn: _____

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____