

**Regular Meeting of the Board of Education  
Clinton Community School District  
Clinton Administration Center  
March 8, 2021  
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**Members Present:** Scott Bengtson, Eric Gettes, Jenny Green, Mike House, Missey Sullivan-Pope, Ann Reed and Superintendent Gary DeLacy. Mike Pelham was absent.

**Call to Order:** Board President House called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M.

**Public Hearing:**

**District Roof Projects:** Notice was published on February 23, 2021 in the Clinton Herald for the public to appear and present objections to, or arguments in favor of, any part of the Clinton District Roof Projects. Hearing opened at 5:31 PM. There were no objections or comments. Hearing closed at 5:32 PM.

**Presentations:**

**“Gold Key Recognition”** – Ruth Nelson was recognized as the Gold Key recipient for March.

**“We are Prouds”** – CHS girls bowling team placed second in districts and just missed out on qualifying for State. CHS River King Bowlers won the State Championship; District staff have been very flexible and accommodating through the year to make the best academic experience possible for students.

**Superintendent Report to the Board:**

-Committee Updates – Superintendent DeLacy updated the board on the different committee meetings that happened this past month.

-Legislative update – Superintendent DeLacy updated the board on bills in the state legislature.

-Return to Learn update – second round of vaccinations will be starting this week.

-CHS Hall of Honor will be held on April 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Consent Agenda:** Motion #1056-3-8-21, Reed moved, seconded by Bengtson, to approve the consent agenda as presented. The motion was adopted 6-0.

**Items found in the consent agenda:**

Minutes of the Regular Board meeting held on February 8, 2021, and the Committee of the Whole meeting held on February 22, 2021.

Classified and Certified Employee Changes: Hired Robin Ceurvorst as CHS paraeducator with a salary of \$11.36/hr; Samantha Barten as bus monitor with a salary of \$11.31/hr; McKanna Matthew as Jefferson after school program site facilitator with a salary of \$10.30/hr. Resignations from Brooke Seeser as EH ID teacher effective March 24, 2021; Sarah Long as CMS Language Arts Teacher effective June 4, 2021; Della Sivright as Bluff Paraeducator. Retirement from Deborah Burmeister Jefferson custodian effective February 26, 2021. Termination for Morganne Stansbarger as CHS paraeducator.

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- Coop Agreement with the University of Northern Iowa for field experiences in education, student teaching and other education experiences for the 2021-2022 school year.

-Agreement with Clinton Community College to provide a program in Construction Trades for the 2021-2022 school year.

**Financial Report:** Motion #1057-3-8-21, moved by Gettes, seconded by Reed. Motion carried 6-0 to approve the financial reports for March 2021 as presented.

**Communications from the Public:** None

**New Business:**

**1. CHS Project:** Motion #1058-3-8-21, Gettes moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the Notice to Bidders, setting the public hearing for April 12, 2021 at 5:30 P.M. and releasing the construction documents for bidding for the Clinton High School Phased Replacement and Renovation Project.

**2. General Obligation School Bonds Resolution:** Motion #1059-3-8-21, Bengtson moved, seconded by Reed. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the Resolution Authorizing the Redemption of General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2020 dated October 1, 2020 approving an Escrow Agent Agreement, and Levying a Tax for fiscal year 2021-2022 for the Redemption of General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2020.

**3. Set Public Hearing for Amendment to 2020-2021 Fiscal Year Budget:** Motion #1060-3-8-21, Gettes moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve setting the public hearing for April 12, 2021 starting at 5:30 PM for the purpose of amending the 2020-2021 fiscal year budget.

**4. Publication Set Public Hearing for FY22 Budget:** Motion #1061-3-8-21, Green moved, seconded by Gettes. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve publishing the Clinton Community Schools FY 22 budget on March 30, 2021 and to set the public hearing date for April 12, 2021 at 5:31 P.M. The proposal includes setting the following: a \$.33/PPEL; \$.75/Voted PPEL, \$1,000,000 for Management Fund; \$2.70 for Debt Service, an overall Tax Levy of \$15.84569 and 3% for Instructional Support Surtax.

**5. District Roof Projects for 2021:** Motion #1062-3-8-21, Reed moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the low bid to Giese Roofing Company in the amount of \$256,315 for the base bid and alternate #2 for the masonry work.

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**6. Capital Improvement Listing for 2021-2022:** Motion #1063-3-8-21, Reed moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the five-year projection for capital projects.

**7. Ratification of Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Clinton Education Association for 2021-2024:** Motion #1064-3-8-21, Bengtson moved, seconded by Gettes. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the collective bargaining agreement with the Clinton Education Association for a 2.25% increase to the base wage and extra compensation schedule for the 2021-2022 school year and a \$1,400 increase for returning teachers.

**8. Approval of E-Rate Contracts:** Motion #1065-3-8-21, Gettes moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve to have contracts awarded and signed by board president for Category 1 internet services, which will be awarded to Mediacom. Also, move to approve to have contracts awarded and signed by board president for Category 2 internal connections for additional building equipment/drops to upgrade access points in all school building to Tri-City Electric and to Heartland Business Systems for renewal of the maintenance agreement for the district Fortinet Firewall.

**9. 28E Agreement with Camanche for the Alternative School:** Motion #1066-3-8-21, Reed moved, seconded by Sullivan-Pope. Motion carried 6-0. The board moved to approve the 28E Agreement with Camanche Community Schools for the Gateway Learning Center for the 2021-2022 school year.

**Other Pertinent Items to come before the Board:** None

**Calendar of Events:**

**Next Scheduled Meetings:**

Committee of the Whole meeting, March 22, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center  
Regular Board meeting, April 12, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center

**Adjourn:** The board adjourned at 6:51 P.M. moved by Bengtson seconded by Reed.

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Mike House, Board President

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Cindy McAleer, Board Secretary