

Regular Meeting
Tuesday, November 14, 2023 6:30 PM Central

Amboy Junior High School Cafeteria
240 N Metcalf Avenue
Amboy, IL 61310

Nick Brokaw: Present
Drew Montavon: Present
Elsa Payne: Present
Mandy Powers: Present
Katie Pratt: Present
Nichole Stenzel: Present
Rory White: Present
Present: 7.

1. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

1.A. Roll Call

1.B. Open Forum

1.C. Board Committee Reports

2. Action: Consent Agenda Items

To approve the consent agenda, as presented: minutes of the October 19, 2023 open & closed regular board meetings and delete audio recordings dated May 24, 2022. This motion, made by Drew Montavon and seconded by Mandy Powers, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

2.A. Minutes

2.B. Delete Audio Recordings

3. Action: Financial Reports

3.A. Review of Financial Reports

3.B. 2023 Tentative Tax Levy and Set Public Hearing Date

To approve the tentative tax levy for the year 2023, as presented, and to set a public hearing date for Thursday, December 14, 2023, 6:30 p.m. at the Junior High School. This motion, made by Nichole Stenzel and seconded by Rory White, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

3.C. Current Expenditures & Payroll

To approve the current expenditures and payroll, as presented. This motion, made by Nick Brokaw and seconded by Rory White, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt:

Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

4. Discussion: Reports

4.A. Principal Reports

4.B. Superintendent Reports

4.C. FOIA Requests

4.D. Board Policy Review

5. Discussion: First Reading of the Illinois Association of School Boards Policy Revisions

6. Action: 2023-2024 Revised High School Student Handbook

To approve the revised 2023-2024 High School Student Handbook, as presented. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

7. Action: Bus Purchase

To approve to purchase one 2019 53-passenger school bus, as presented. This motion, made by Nichole Stenzel and seconded by Rory White, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

8. Action: Amboy CUSD #272 Strategic Plan

To adopt the Amboy CUSD #272 Strategic Plan, as presented. This motion, made by Drew Montavon and seconded by Elsa Payne, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

9. Action: Executive Session

To move to executive session for the purpose of discussion of appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, specific individuals who serve as independent contractors in an educational setting and student discipline. This motion, made by Rory White and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

10. Action: Return to Open Session

To return to open session. This motion, made by Rory White and seconded by Elsa Payne, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

11. Action: Student Discipline

To approve the suspensions of students 11-14-23-1 through 11-14-23-22, as presented. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Nichole Stenzel, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

12. Action: Personnel - Resignation

To accept the retirement resignation of Peter Ayling as Bus Driver, effective January 19, 2024. This motion, made by Elsa Payne and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

13. Action: Personnel - Hirings

To approve the following personnel pending successful criminal background checks, proper licensure, and submission of pre-employment requirements: Jennifer Yocum as Bus Aide, effective October 16, 2023; Noah Hansen as 5th/6th Grade Scholastic Bowl Coach; and Kyle Schoenholz as Freshman Boys Basketball Coach. This motion, made by Nichole Stenzel and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

14. Upcoming Dates, Miscellaneous Items, Board Remarks and Adjournment

To adjourn the meeting. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Rory White, Passed.

Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea, Rory White: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0