

Regular Meeting of the St. Paul Board of Education

4:30 PM

January 20, 2017

Grand Island Riverside Golf Club.

The St. Paul School Board met in regular session on January 20, 2017 at 4:30 PM. The following board members were in attendance: Daryl Anderson: Absent, Shelly Hueftle: Present, Jason Meinecke: Present, Janelle Morgan: Present, Marty Mrkvicka: Present, Dan Scheer: Present, Kelvin Smith: Absent, Ken Swinarski: Present.

This Special Meeting, held at Riverside Country Club, was called to order at 4:44pm. The purpose of the retreat was to review progress toward past goals and develop future plans and goals.

Pres. Mrkvicka recognized that notice of the meeting was appropriately published in the Phonograph-Herald.

Pres. Mrkvicka noted that the Open Meetings Law is posted in the meeting room.

The Board reviewed the 2016 goals. The following goals were achieved:

1. Support School Improvement Plan;
2. Explore and implement new technology as appropriate;
3. Take actions to build on the music program at school;
4. Add an administrative position and provided necessary support;
5. Move away from CNNSP and develop our own programs;
6. Finish the transportation center;
7. Finish Heritage remodeling;
8. Improve parking/safety in front of the cafeteria area;
9. Hold at least 2 Board worksessions.

The board discussed ideas for future Board and Administrative goals for 2017. These will be refined and approved at a future Board meeting.

Mr. Bobby Truhe, attorney, was present to review board policies and to discuss suggestions for adopting the new policy manual.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10pm.

The meeting was adjourned at _____.

Shelly Harrahill

Secretary

2016 Board/Administration Goals

Academics

Support next cycle of S.I.P. goal.

Continue to explore technology options, including chromebooks vs laptops vs ipads; and monitor keyboarding skills of upper elementary students to assure they become competent.

Build and support Music Program and continue to expand offerings to students.

Staffing

Add Administration position and support position through training.

Continue to move away from C.N.N.S.P. and into our own program.

Building

Finish transportation center.

Finish Heritage building remodeling by June 1

Improve parking in front of the cafeteria area

Hold at least 2 Work Sessions - Possible topics include:

Review Policies

Data workshop

Budget workshop