

BYRON CENTER CHARTER SCHOOL
9930 Burlingame Ave. SW, Byron Center, MI
Minutes of the meeting of the School Board for May 19, 2024

Meeting was called to order by Pam Anderson at 6:07 p.m.

Members Present: Pam Anderson Nathan VanDussen David Bolt Troy Hooker
David VanEe - late arrival 6:22

Members Absent:

Also Present:

Mark Kasmer - School Principal, Erin Gregorski – Office Manager, Rachel Hittepole - HS Spanish Teacher, Kinzie Anderson - student, Alydiah Coffey - student

Motion #3177 was made to approve the agenda by David Bolt. Supported by Nathan VanDussen. 4 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Acknowledgments: Mr. Kasmer acknowledged the Parent Teacher Organization for all they did for our teacher's and staff during staff appreciation week. Also commended them for their hard work with the annual Walkathon.

Public Comment: None

School Leaders Report: Rachel Hittepole along with Kinzie Anderson and Alydiah Coffey presented on the possibility of a Costa Rica trip for the Spanish classes for the summer of 2025. Mr. Kasmer offered a general school update including information about the 2024 Walkathon, Spring Testing, the Onsite Review, and personnel updates. He presented the informational reading of the Spring 2024 Board Policies². He also gave updates on personnel, salary and benefits and the CAO transition.

Financial Report: Updates were given about the current cashflow and current enrollment for the 2024-25 school year.

Facilities Report: An update was given on current projects of removing brush and trees for playground access. New FCC walkie talkies have been delivered and are in use. Mass notification system repaired and fully operational. We are currently procuring prices for parking lot sealcoating and striping for this summer.

Motion #3178 was made by Nathan VanDussen to approve the previous Board Meeting Minutes from March 19, 2024. Supported by David VanEe. 5 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Motion #3179 was made by David Bolt to approve the Axios Contract Renewal. Supported by Nathan VanDussen. 5 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:13 pm.

Next meeting Tuesday, June 25, 2024: Budget Hearing 5:50pm and Organizational Meeting at 6:00pm.