

Minutes of the NORTH ROYALTON BOARD OF EDUCATION Regular Meeting/Work Session

Held _____

SEPTEMBER 4

2014

SUMMARY

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. ROLL CALL
- IV. RESOLUTION 2014-213: FINALIZATION OF AGENDA
- V. RECOGNITION OF GUESTS AND PRESENTATIONS
- VI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- VII. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
- VIII. ADDITIONAL BUSINESS OF BOARD MEMBERS
- IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS
- X. ADJOURN

- I. **CALL TO ORDER.** President Dr. John Kelly called the Regular Meeting of the North Royalton Board of Education to order at 6:30 p.m., September 4, 2014, at the North Royalton High School Community Room.
- II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.** President John Kelly requested all present to join in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
- III. **ROLL CALL.** Present: President John Kelly, Vice-President Barbara Ann Zindroski, Anne Reinkober, and Jacquelyn Arendt. Dr. Susan Clark was absent due to personal family matters. Also present were Superintendent Gregory Gurka and Treasurer Biagio Sidoti.
- IV. **RESOLUTION 2014-213: FINALIZATION OF AGENDA.** Resolve the Board of Education approve agenda as presented.

Due to Dr. Clark's absence, Dr. Kelly moved that the Executive Session be removed from the September 4 agenda and placed on the September 8 regular meeting.

RESOLUTION 2014-213a

Moved by Dr. Kelly

Seconded by Arendt

Voting Aye: Kelly, Arendt, Reinkober, Zindroski

Motion Carried

RESOLUTION 2014-213b: The Board proceeded with finalization of the amended agenda.

Moved by Reinkober

Seconded by Kelly

Voting Aye: Reinkober, Kelly, Zindroski, Arendt

Motion Carried

- V. **RECOGNITION OF GUESTS AND PRESENTATIONS**
There were no presentations for the evening.
- VI. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.** The public is invited to speak to any of the agenda items and other school topics at this time. Comments should be limited to five minutes. No speakers addressed the Board.
- VII. **REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT**
 - a. **Superintendent's Update:**
Mr. Gurka discussed:
 - Great start to school year
 - First Early Release Day (Teachers completed some training programs)
 - First Late Arrival – No major issues but will try to better communicate the event with the public
 - HB 597 – Common Core
 - Rivalry Week (Compete for Principal's cup)- All teams rival Brecksville-BHTS.
 - Land Sale (Abbey Road appraisal process) Will need Wet Lands Study. Ms. Arendt and Ms. Zindroski suggested not moving forward.
 - Teacher Evaluations
 - Door Replacement systems (Grant)
 - Pasta Dinner Volunteers
 - Community Meeting – 7pm - Sept. 24 in Community Room (Focus will be on facility issues)
 - If November Issue fails – What next?
 - b. **Upcoming Meeting Agenda Review:**
The Board reviewed the September 8, 2014 regular meeting agenda draft.
Mr. Sidoti reviewed the financial agenda items with the Board. Supt. Gurka noted that presentations would be given by Ms. Melissa Vojta and Albion School.

