MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL BUDGET HEARING AND REGULAR MEETING OF THE NEW LONDON BOARD OF EDUCATION at the District Administration Building Monday, September 13, 2021

PRESENT: K. Batten, P. Bosquez, M. Grossman, J. Heideman, C. Martinson, T. Ruckdashel, and T. Wegner.

T. Wegner opened the budget hearing at 6:00 p.m. S. Bleck welcomed everyone to the annual budget hearing. J. Marquardt reviewed the budget hearing booklet and answered questions of the public and Board members. The budget hearing closed at 6:55 p.m.

I. VISITORS AND COMMUNICATION (PUBLIC FORUM)

Bill Krostue, N3529 Sunset Lane, New London, was present and explained that he is circulating a petition to the community and businesses to add a hands-on automotive program at the High School; he outlined several funding possibilities and asked that the Board consider adding this program. He requested that the COVID-19 dashboard be added back to the website. He expressed appreciation for the time and effort of Board members and administrators.

II. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m. by T. Wegner, President. A quorum was established. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by T. Wegner, President.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Monday, August 9, 2021

It was moved by M. Grossman and seconded by J. Heideman to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Monday, August 9, 2021. Motion carried.

B. Minutes of the Special Meeting of Monday, August 23, 2021

It was moved by P. Bosquez and seconded by T. Ruckdashel to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting of Monday, August 23, 2021. Motion carried.

IV. REPORTS

The calendar and director reports were reviewed.

V. VOUCHERS/RECEIPTS

- J. Marquardt reviewed the vouchers and receipts. A motion was made by J. Heideman and seconded by P. Bosquez to approve the expenditures in the amount of \$1,140,787.03 as per list of September 9, 2021. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.
- T. Wegner noted receipts from the receipt register of September 9, 2021, in the amount of \$2,587,423.97.

VI. MONITORING REPORTS

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Guiding Principles/Pals Report

S. Bleck reviewed the guiding principles report schedule.

В. Review and Approve Local Education Agent (LEA) at Individual Education Plan (IEP) Teams K. Martin reviewed the LEA IEP team representatives. It was moved by M. Grossman and seconded by P. Bosquez to approve the Local Education Agents as presented. Motion carried.

C. **Review of Bus Driver Staff Members**

J. Marguardt reviewed the bus driver roster.

Approval of 2021-22 Budget for all funds in the amount of \$33,309,878 D.

A motion was made by P. Bosquez and seconded by J. Heideman to approve the 2021-22 budget for all funds in the amount of \$33,309,878. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.

E. Approval of 2021-22 Fund 10 Tax Levy in the amount of \$7,837,963

A motion was made by C. Martinson and seconded by M. Grossman to approve the 2021-22 Fund 10 tax levy in the amount of \$7,837,963. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.

F. Approval of 2021-22 Fund 38 Tax Levy in the amount of \$1,100,000

A motion was made by J. Heideman and seconded by P. Bosquez to approve the 2021-22 Fund 38 tax levy in the amount of \$1,100,000. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.

G. Approval of 2021-22 Fund 80 Levy in the amount of \$108,000

A motion was made by M. Grossman and seconded by K. Batten to approve 2021-22 Fund 80 levy in the amount of \$108,000. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.

H. High School Student Parking Lot Accountability Follow-Up

S. Bleck reviewed the High School parking lot permit and accountability process.

I. **COVID-19 Case Monitoring**

S. Bleck reviewed the number of district COVID-19 cases. The Board agreed to include the COVID dashboard on the website, as well as reviewing the number of COVID-19 cases at the Board meetina.

CLOSED SESSION IX.

It was moved by C. Martinson and seconded by J. Heideman to enter into closed session pursuant to Wisconsin State Statutes as listed on the agenda at 7:53 p.m. Motion carried on a roll call vote of 7-0.

It was moved by P. Bosquez and seconded by K. Batten to enter open session at 7:57 p.m. Motion carried.

X. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION TO TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS Resignation of Personnel

It was moved by P. Bosquez and seconded by T. Ruckdashel to accept the resignation of: Patrick Lawton Girls' Varsity Soccer Coach

Motion carried.

В. **Employment of Personnel**

It was moved by T. Ruckdashel and seconded by M. Grossman to approve the following: Bailey Mares **Educational Assistant**

BoLynda Masseth **Educational Assistant**

Motion carried.

It was moved by P. Bosquez and seconded by K. Batten to approve the following:

Kenneth Kammer

Bus Driver

Alan Novander Bus Driver

Paul Olk Bus Driver

Motion carried.

It was moved by T. Ruckdashel and seconded by P. Bosquez to approve the following the cocurricular advisors/coaches:

Margaret Nelson

Art Team-High School Advisor

Sara Wait

Battle of the Books Readers Club-High

School Advisor

Mary Jensema B.E.S.T. Club

Kurt Schommer B.E.S.T. Club

Melissa Porath

DECA-High School Advisor

Samantha Kable

Esports-High School Advisor

Amy Jens

Forensics-High School Head Coach

Brian Hallman

Forensics-Middle School Coach

Jennifer Doran

HOSA-High School Advisor

David Ruda

Jazz Combo Director

Samantha Kable

Mu Alpha Theta Math League-High

School Advisor

Kevin Spindler Musical-Producer

Tiffany Schulz

Musical-Drama Director

Alex Rambo

Musical-Instrumental Director

Kevin Spindler

Musical-Vocal Director

Margie Brown/Linda McFaul Musical-Costume Coordinator

Chris Berberich

Musical-Construction Coordinator

Molly Brown Musical-Ticketing

Kevin Spindler

Musical-Choreographer

Linda Gregory/Heather Kamba National Honor Society-High School

Advisor

Lindsey Uvaas/Meadow Dorsey Prom Committee-High School Advisor

Tiffany Schulz

Rock Climbing-High School Advisor

Theresa Smith Running Club-Advisor

Kelly Parker/Lisa Daly Running Club-Advisor

Ryan Braatz

Show Choir Director-Middle School

Director

James Johnston

Ski and Snowboard Club-High School

Advisor

Greg Shepard

Ski and Snowboard Club-Elem/Middle

School Advisor

Brent Dusek

Ski and Snowboard Club-Elem/Middle

School Advisor

Michelle Huebner/Ellen Celske Spanish Club-High School Advisor

Lindsey Uvaas

Student Council-High School Advisor

Brian Boushele

Student Council-Middle School Advisor

Julie Sturgill/Lilly Rios-Olea

Student Council-Parkview Elementary

School Advisor

Jennifer Tate

Student Council-Lincoln Elementary

School Advisor

Megan Hinde/Alex Minster

Student Council-Sugar Bush Elementary

School Advisor

Amy Hoppenjohn

Student Council-Readfield Elementary

School Advisor

Joseph Gruentzel Trap League Advisor

Tami Thorne/Kyle Lubinski

Technology Student Association (TSA)

Club Advisor

Lisa Daly

Yearbook-Middle School Advisor

Motion carried.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by J. Heideman and seconded by M. Grossman to adjourn the meeting at 7:59 p.m. Motion carried.

Tina Ruckdashel, Clerk