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Follow Up Report
Parkston School Board Meeting
Elementary Conference Room
Regular Meeting **Monday, March 11, 2013** 6:30 pm

1. Call to Order
2. Establish a quorum
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Approve agenda
5. Approve consent agenda
 - a. Approve minutes
 - b. Accept financial reports
 - c. Approve claims
 - d. Final Reading of 800 series – A copy is attached
6. Visitors and Correspondence - The board recognized three students who had perfect scores on a portion of the Dakota STEP. Along with the student, their parents and teachers were recognized. The students are Sean Sloan in Science (Mrs. Moke), Braden Bruening in Math (Mrs. Lorenz) and Jayden Bormann in Reading (Mrs. Bigge).
7. Superintendent report - I reported on the outcome of the legislative session. An update is attached. I notified the board that I am currently in a grant writing process to secure dollars to provide professional development for the implementation of the common core. I have delayed the development of the 2013-14 school calendar for I had hoped we would be able to identify early release dates, but that plan fell thru. Thus, we will proceed with developing a calendar and should the grant writing be successful, we will amend the calendar. Thus, any staff member wishing to sit on the calendar committee should contact me. I also reported on the affordable care act and what impact sequestration will have upon the school district. Lastly, I reported that I have completed all of my evaluations for the year.
8. Principal Report/AD Report - Mr. Kollmann reported on our process for the accreditation review. Mrs. DeLange reported on Art Week, and Begindergarten contact time for next year and also the need for technology time for the elementary. Mr. Van Laecken reported on the winter sports and the problem we will have next year with Junior

High Boys Basketball. Preliminary numbers show that there will only be 5 boys in 7th and 8th grade that will be playing next year. The question was asked, “do we want to consider allowing 6th graders to play?” Mr. VanLaecken was instructed to bring language to the next board meeting that would allow such to occur on a “need” basis and NOT for all sports, but again, on a need basis.

9. Old Business

- a. Second Reading of policies (900 series) – No changes were made. Next month will be the final reading and the policy review will be complete.
- b. School Security Discussion – Further discuss was held on school security. This coming Thursday, we will receive our assessment report from the evaluation that was completed. Pending those results, I asked for permission to go out and get quotes to install video intercoms at 5 different locations in the school. We will also investigate the cost to add a set of double doors by the high school office and also a button to push for doors to open for handicap access.
- c. Bleacher Discussion – The board further discussed the bleacher seating. We then called Paul Belanger, who works for Hussey. He informed the board that they recognize the problem and are making modifications to their “mold”. They are working on potential solutions and will get back to us.

10. New Business

- a. Consider Resignations –The board accepted the following resignations.
 - i. Kevin Kleindl – Instrumental music
 - ii. Jodi Kleindl – Elementary
 - iii. Megan McManus – Elementary Special Education
 - iv. Diana Holden –Cheer Coach
 - v. Christy Mogck – SPED Para
- b. Approve Safe Routes Amendment – The board approved the amended version of the safe schools grant, which provides additional funding for the professional services needed to design the side walk project.
- c. Budget Discussion – Attached, you can find a copy of the presentation I provided the board. I identified budget problems in Title, SPED, Capital Outlay and the General fund. I then provided the board with the corrective action plan that we will take. We believe we have solutions for Title, SPED and capital outlay. The General fund however continues to be problematic and will take further work. While enrollment

numbers have some promise, it will not help us for next year. Our funding will be based on a two year average, which reflects a decrease of 15 students. As a result, the 3% increase we were provided by the legislature will result in a net funding increase of \$17,000, which does not go very far in addressing a 350-400k structural deficit. Further cuts or an opt out will need to be explored.

d. Use of facility rental waiver- This item was removed from the agenda.

e. Executive Session

- a. Student Matter
- b. Negotiations
- c. Personnel

11. Adjourn