

The Colome Consolidated School Board held a special meeting July 28, 2020 in the 3rd floor study hall of the Colome High School building.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Matthew Bolie at 6:04 p.m. Other members present: Ryan DeSmet, Pam Haukaas, Joel Koskan, and Justin Heath. Brent Gill and Brett Galbraith attending via conference call. Quorum established.

School Administration Present: Supt. Debbie O'Doan, Princ. Dustin Christensen, and Bus. Mgr. Betsy Rohde

The meeting was opened by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Visitors: Desi Luedke, Gene and Korey Bertram, Tammi Tate, Carol Slaymaker, LaGrande Woods, Mende Supik, Jim Poler, Kathy Hrabanek, Terri Lee Cahoy

Added to the agenda were surplus piano and Executive Session per SDCL 1-25-2(1) personnel. Motion by Heath, second by Haukaas to approve the agenda. Roll call vote with Heath, Galbraith, DeSmet, Koskan, Haukaas, Gill, and Bolie all voting aye – carried.

COVID Plan: Supt. Debbie O'Doan presented the plan to reopen school based on Covid recommendations by the Department of Education, Department of Health, CDC, and other area superintendent meetings. We will have three levels of operation: Green, Yellow, and Red. Each level includes different steps of prevention taken by administration and staff based on the level of risk in the school community. Colome Consolidated Schools will open in level Green which requires in-building learning. The school board had discussion and answered questions from the public in attendance. The Covid plan was placed on first reading to be approved at the August 10th regular meeting. The proposed plan will be available online with all the details. Parents are encouraged to email Supt. O'Doan or Princ. Christensen with any concerns or questions.

Galbraith disconnected from the meeting.

Streaming: Princ. Christensen presented information on three vendors for streaming: Pixelot, Hudl, and Sports Ticket Live. Motion by Koskan, second by DeSmet to move forward with Sports Ticket Live and request that Supt. O'Doan or Princ. Christensen be the designated administrative school contact for streaming. It is the school board's understanding that this arrangement the school district will not have any expense or staffing responsibility for streaming, nor receive any revenue. Roll call vote with Heath, Gill, Haukaas, DeSmet, Koskan, and Bolie voting aye - Carried.

Motion by Heath, second by Haukaas to surplus a piano in the music room at no value and allow it to be given away. Heath, Gill, Haukaas, DeSmet, Koskan, and Bolie voting aye – passed.

Motion by Haukaas, second by Koskan to go into Executive Session per SDCL 1-25-2(1) personnel at 8:06 p.m. Roll call vote with Heath, Gill, Haukaas, DeSmet, Koskan, and Bolie voting aye – carried. Chairman Bolie declared out of executive session at 8:23 p.m.

Motion by Koskan, second by Haukaas to advertise for an additional teacher at Wood. Roll call vote with Heath, Haukaas, Gill, DeSmet, Koskan, and Bolie voting aye – carried.

Being nothing further, motion made by Heath, second by DeSmet to dismiss at 8:24 p.m. Roll call vote with Koskan, DeSmet, Haukaas, Heath, Gill, and Bolie all voting aye – meeting adjourned.

Matthew Bolie, Board Chairman

Betsy Rohde, Business Manager

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