WILD ROSE SCHOOL DIVISION NO. 66 REGULAR BOARD MEETING TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2013

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Wild Rose School Division No. 66 was held in the Oak Room at the Lakeview Inn and Suites in Drayton Valley, Alberta on Tuesday, December 17, 2013 commencing at 9:13 a.m.

Present: Chair–Nancy McClure Vice Chair–Dixie McLeod Trustees, Daryl Scott, Heather Molchanko, Mae Tryon and Gary Thompson Superintendent of Schools, Brian Celli Associate Superintendents, Greg Wedman, Gord Atkinson, Gordon Majeran Director of Instruction - Tom Sperling Administrative Specialist-Communications-Nathan Klosse Recording Secretary-Julie Andrew

Also in attendance were: ATA Representative Brenton Baum and 6 members from the public.

# AGENDA

175/13Moved by Gary Thompson:<br/>"that the December 17, 2013 agenda be adopted as presented."

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

176/13 Moved by Mae Tryon: "that the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting held on November 26, 2013 be adopted as presented."

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# APPROVAL OF LOCALLY DEVELOPED COURSES FOR SEMESTER 2

There were no locally developed courses brought forward for approval for Semester 2.

#### EMPLOYEE WELLNESS AD HOC COMMITTEE

177/13 Moved by Dixie McLeod: "that Mae Tryon and Heather Molchanko be appointed to represent the Board on the Ad Hoc Wellness Committee."

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

## A.S.B.A. 2013-17 STRATEGIC PLAN PRIORITIZATION

178/13Moved by Heather Molchanko:<br/>"that the A.S.B.A. 2013-17 Strategic Plan Prioritization list be approved, as<br/>presented by Board Chair Nancy McClure, and submitted to the A.S.B.A.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

## ELDORADO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - LEARNING COMMONS - 9:30 a.m.

Deb Goddard and Karen Ellery attended the meeting and provided a presentation on the Eldorado School - Learning Commons.

## FLEXIBLE LEARNING PROGRAM

Gord Atkinson provided a presentation with respect to a proposed project called Flexible Learning. This program would consist of the following five pillars: improving programming for students, supporting teachers with curriculum design, stopping the outsourcing of education, allowing for parents to see inside the system and building capacity across the division. This program will align with the forthcoming changes in education. Much work is yet to be done and further information will be provided at the Board Meeting in February, 2014.

Lunch Break - 12:07 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

179/13 Moved by Heather Molchanko: "that the Board provide approval in principle to the Flexible Learning Project."

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# **INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- Superintendents' Report
- Communications
- Inclement Weather AP key messages for Trustees
- Town of Rocky Mtn. House/Clearwater County Joint Meetings Feb 25, 2014
- School Attendance Patterns
- Town Hall Meetings
- School Tours Presentation Topics
- Director for Policy Committee
- Focus Groups Follow-up
- Quarterly Financial Update

#### BOARD ITEMS

#### CORRESPONDENCE

The Board was provided with letters with regard to inclement weather.

#### TRUSTEE REPORTS

Trustees provided their reports both written and verbal.

# **TRUSTEE EXPENSE CLAIMS**

180/13 Moved by Daryl Scott: "that the trustee expense claims be approved as presented."

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

181/13Moved by Gary Thompson:<br/>"that the Board now (2:35 p.m.) meet in closed session to deal<br/>with the following agenda items:

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- HR Update
- Nordegg Update
- Accountability Reports Transportation and Student Services"

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

182/13 Moved by Gary Thompson: "that the Board now (3:11 p.m.) meet in open session."

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

183/13 Moved by Dixie McLeod: "that the Board receive the Student Services Accountability Report and the Transportation Accountability Report as presented and agrees that the reports meet the Accountability Requirements as stated in the Superintendent's Role Description, Process, Criteria and Timelines for Superintendent Evaluation and that the reports be referred to the Superintendent Evaluation Process."

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# ADJOURNMENT

184/13Moved by Daryl Scott:<br/>"that the meeting be adjourned at 3:12 p.m."

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Nancy McClure Chair Gordon Majeran Associate Superintendent Corporate Services