

Easton School District No. 28
Meeting of the Board of Directors
June 13, 2017
5th-6th Grade Classroom

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Lynn Lopez at 6:32 PM. The location was changed to the 5th/6th grade classroom instead of the library because there was a water district meeting scheduled in the library and the board had a short agenda. Signs of the location change were posted on the front door.

Attendance: Lynn Lopez, Chris Helgeson, Amy Grove, John Jensen

Staff Members Present: Patrick Dehuff, Lisa Henderson

Pledge of Allegiance

Approve Agenda: A motion to approve the agenda for the June 13, 2017 board meeting was made by Chris Helgeson. Amy Grove seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Board Business: Superintendent Dehuff presented two letters of resignation to the Board of Directors. The first was a letter of resignation from Beth Parker, our 5th and 6th grade teacher. The second was a letter of resignation from Theresa Plue, our science teacher for the secondary students. John Jensen asked why we are experiencing resignations at Easton School. Superintendent Dehuff replied that the science teacher is taking an early retirement for health reasons and the math and 5th/6th grade teachers took positions that are closer to their home. All the departing teachers have stated that they have enjoyed working at Easton School. A general discussion among the board followed about the teacher shortage and the challenges that school districts have on filling teacher positions. Our open positions are advertised on our web page, teachers-teachers.com site, and numerous newspaper advertisements and postings at universities. Chris Helgeson made a motion to approve the resignation of Beth Parker. Amy Grove seconded the motion and the motion carried. Chris Helgeson made a motion to approve the resignation of Theresa Plue. Amy Grove seconded the motion and the motion carried. Superintendent Dehuff will keep the board posted on progress made towards filling the open positions at Easton School.

Meeting Adjourned: Amy Grove made a motion to adjourn the meeting. John Jensen seconded the motion and the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:59 pm.


Patrick Dehuff
Superintendent

Lynn Lopez
Board Chair


Chris Helgeson
Vice Chair