

**NIOBRARA PUBLIC SCHOOL  
MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
December 14, 2020**

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PRESENT

Gerald Kemp  
Leon Klug  
Ward Adema  
Matt Moody  
Brian Stark  
Susan Bolling  
Margaret Sandoz, Superintendent  
Administrative Team

Visitors: Jen Motacek, David Hofmaier

Chairman Kemp called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. It was noted that LB898 dealing with Open Meeting Laws was duly posted. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

Motion by Moody and seconded by Stark to approve the minutes from the regular meeting held on November 9, 2020. RCV: Klug-aye, Moody-aye, Adema-aye, Stark-aye, Bolling-present, Kemp-aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Klug and seconded by Moody to approve the minutes from the special meeting held on November 23, 2020. RCV: Moody-aye, Adema-aye, Stark-aye, Bolling-present, Kemp-aye, Klug-aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Stark and seconded by Klug to approve the bills as presented. RCV: Adema-aye, Stark-aye, Bolling-present, Kemp-aye, Klug-aye, Moody-aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Adema and seconded by Moody to approve the financial report. RCV: Stark-aye, Bolling-present, Kemp-aye, Klug-aye, Moody-aye, Adema-aye. Motion approved.

Newly appointed member, Susan Bolling, recited the oath of office per Board Policy.

School calendar was discussed, and four teacher workdays were added.

Motion by Stark and seconded by Klug to accept and approve the 2019-2020 Audit conducted by Porter & Company. PC, Sioux City, IA, as presented. RCV:

Bolling-aye, Kemp-aye, Klug-aye, Moody-aye, Adema-aye Stark-aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Stark and seconded by Bolling to accept and approve the resignation of David Hofmaier effective December 22, 2020. RCV: Kemp-aye, Klug-aye, Moody-aye, Adema-aye Stark-aye, Bolling-aye. Motion approved.

Jen Motacek gave her teacher report.

Adrian Bowen, Val Mullinax and Sarah Higgins gave administrative reports

Margaret Sandoz gave the Superintendent's Report.

Margaret Sandoz presented Brian Stark a commemorative clock for 12 years of service to the Niobrara Public School Board.

Margaret Sandoz presented Gerald Kemp a commemorative clock for 14 years of service to the Niobrara Public School Board.

There will be a workshop for the Niobrara Public School Board January 11, 2020 for 12:00 to 4 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:49 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for January 11, 2021 at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Susan Hillman, Recording Secretary