

REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF EDUCATION
WESTERN DUBUQUE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
November 12, 2012
Administrative Central Office - Farley
6:00 P.M.

Our Mission

Empower confident, well-prepared citizens to excel in the 21st century.

Core Values

All Children Can Learn
Accountability and Responsibility
Continuous Improvement
Challenging and Rigorous Curriculum
Visionary Leadership
Safe Environment

(**)Denotes items included on the Consent Agenda. These items are considered to be routine and non-controversial by the Board and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a board member or citizen so requests, in which case the item may be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call by Board President, Robert McCabe
 - a. Reading of District Mission, Vision, Core Values, and Goals
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Welcome to Visitors, Press, Staff, etc.
 - a. Open Forum
- IV. Approval of
 - a. Minutes of October
 - b. Bills and Claims for October
- V. Reports
 - a. Principals Reports
 - b. Superintendent Report
 - c. Health Service Report
 - d. Dyersville Elementary Building Highlight
 - e. Certified Enrollment
- VI. Consent Agenda
 - a. Financial Reports of District

- b. Personnel
 - i. Resignations
 - 1. Troy Brown – Varsity Wrestling Asst. - WDHS
 - ii. Employment
 - 1. Cory Davidson – Asst. 7th Girls Basketball – DMIS \$2,218.40
 - 2. Cory Davidson – Head Sophomore Baseball – WDHS \$2,218.40
 - 3. Ben Ressler – Winter Weight Room Supervision – WDHS \$831.90

- c. Out of State Travel
 - i. Epworth, Western Dubuque Dance team to Florida

- d. Policy Revisions – 1st Reading
 - i. 700 Series 407.2R2 Post Issuance Compliance - Qualified School Construction Bonds.

- e. Policy Revisions 2nd Readings
 - i. 700 Series (700-713.1);
 - ii. 203 Board of Directors' Conflict of Interest;
 - iii. 211 Open Meetings;
 - iv. 401.13 Staff Technology Use/Social Networking;
 - v. 401.13R1 Staff Technology Use Regulation;
 - vi. 401.2 Employee Conflict of Interest;
 - vii. 507.9 Wellness;
 - viii. 603.14 Bilingual Education;
 - ix. 604.3A Academic Acceleration;
 - x. 605.6E1 Internet Access Denial Letter to Parents/Guardians;
 - xi. 605.6R1 Internet Appropriate Use Regulation;
 - xii. 605.7 Use of Information Resources
 - xiii. 605.7R1 Use of Information Resources Regulation
 - xiv. 605.8 Creating and Placing Web Pages;
 - xv. 605.8E1 Website Denial Form of Publishing of Student Picture or Likeness;
 - xvi. 605.8E2 Website Denial Form of Publishing Student Work;
 - xvii. 802.4 Capital Assets;
 - xviii. 802.4R1 Capital Assets Regulation

- f. Equipment/Fund Raising Project Request

- g. Resolutions
 - i. American Education Week Resolution

VII. Old Business

VIII. New Business

- a. Approval of District request to SBRC for
 - i. Increased Enrollment
 - ii. Limited English Program Costs
 - iii. Open Enrolled Out

- b. Appointment of Delegate. Resolution of Certification Director District No. 6–
Keystone Director Convention

IX. Adjournment

Open Forum is scheduled for public communication to the board. At that time, interested people may present comments, suggestions or concerns, even if they are not listed on the agenda. However, an item usually must be included on the agenda before the board can officially act upon it. Anyone wishing to speak to the Board of Education, and is not on the agenda, should contact Dave Wegmann, not later than 30 minutes prior to the meeting. Citizens with questions about the operation of the schools are encouraged to first contact the teacher or staff member closest to the situation. The next step is to communicate with the building administrator. Then, if it is necessary, concerns can be brought to the attention of the superintendent. At this point, the school board may address unresolved concerns. Official action can be taken only in open session. However, with appropriate public notice, closed (or executive) sessions may be conducted to allow the board to consider matters listed in Iowa law. Confidential or personnel matters, negotiations strategy, current or imminent lawsuits and some real estate purchases are among the items which may be discussed in closed session.