Arvon Township School Board

Meeting Minutes

February 13, 2024

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: M. DeLine, L. Griffith, K. Laramore, N. Wahmhoff and K. Hendrickson. School Personnel K. Waara and T, Hollon.

Visitors: None

Motion to accept the minutes from December 12, 2023, by K. Laramore, 2nd by N. Wahmhoff, AIF

Motion to accept the minutes from January 9, 2024, and current agenda by K. Laramore, 2nd by N. Wahmhoff, AIF

Welcome new board member K. Hendrickson.

Financial report given by T. Hollon. Total Liabilities and Equities equal \$515,503.95.

Lead Teacher report given by K. Waara. Mid-year testing data going out to families by next week. A field trip planned in March to L'Anse for Curious George reading by the LAS Student leadership advisory to the council of the Keweenaw. Need Mystery readers for March.

Old Business:

Upon M. DeLine recommendation we will continue to receive .50 cent discount on gas from Huron Bay Trading Post in place of tax discounts. AIF

We are making progress on corrective actions and aligning of financial accounts.

Update on meal program given by K. Waara. Our lunch program is coming in under the cost of Meals on Wheels that we had in the past.

Student bussing wait time is unacceptable. K. Waara will contact the High School to see if they can notify us if our driver is needed to wait at the access site.

New Business:

Motion to hire J. Sweeney as a substitute aide by L. Griffith, 2nd by N. Wahmhoff.

Motion to hire an "At Risk" teacher through June using at risk money already available by K. Hendrickson, 2nd by K. Laramore. AIF (decided to hold off on this and look into summer programs).

Motion to close School of Choice for the upcoming school year by L. Griffith, 2nd by K. Hendrickson. AIF

Motion to look into the accounting firm Anderson Tackman in Iron Mountain for future audit needs by L. Griffith, 2nd by N. Wahmhoff. AIF M. DeLine will investigate the options.

Motion to hire D. Sheldon as P. T. Bookkeeper by N. Wahmhoff, 2nd by K. Laramore. M. DeLine will explore options with Ms. Sheldon.

Next Meeting is set for March 19, 2024 @ 5:00 p.m.

Motion to adjourn at 6:20 p.m. by L. Griffith, 2nd by N. Wahmhoff. AIF

Linda Griffith, Secretary