

**WEST PRAIRIE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #103  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
MIDDLE SCHOOL  
July 27, 2006  
7:00 p.m.**

**MINUTES**

The West Prairie School District #103 Board of Education met July 27, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. in their regular monthly meeting at the Middle School Library. Board members present were: Gerald White, Scott Vogler, Jeff Morrell, Melvin Moore, Kenneth Mitchell, Sue Danner, and John Cook.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

The board and audience stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

There were no comments from the public.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Vogler moved and Danner seconded to approve the minutes of June 22 and July 13, 2006 and the bills and activity accounts. Those members on roll call voting "aye": White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

**REPORTS:**

Superintendent Heerboth informed the board that the newsletter has been mailed, registration forms are available on the website, the buildings are being cleaned and improvements made. There is a need to add and reposition cameras at the high school.

**POLICY 6:50 ON FIRST READING:**

Morrell moved and Mitchell seconded to place policy 6:50 , School Wellness, on first reading. Those members on roll call voting "aye": White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

**HIGH SCHOOL CAMERA PROPOSAL:**

Moore moved and Cook seconded to add and reposition security cameras at the high school at a cost of \$2,988.00. Those members on roll call voting "aye": White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION I:**

Vogler moved and Danner seconded to enter executive session at 7:22 p.m. to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, compensation, performance of an employee or employees and collective bargaining matters. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

#### **RETURN TO OPEN SESSION:**

Moore moved and Cook seconded to return to open session at 7:42 p.m.. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

#### **EMPLOYMENT:**

Mitchell moved and Danner seconded to employ Jennifer Gamage as a full-time teacher pending a criminal background check. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

Moore moved and Cook seconded to re-employ Jim Lane as a school psychologist for one-hundred and twenty (120) days per year at a rate of \$400.00 per day. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

Danner moved and Moore seconded to employ Crista Rigg as football cheerleader sponsor, Regan Chatterton as senior class sponsor, and Tonya Hamer as sophomore class sponsor . Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

Cook moved and Moore seconded to appoint the following unpaid volunteer football assistant coaches as per the request of head football coach, Tim Lafferty: John Earle, Ryan Cramer, Doug Hobby and Jay Jones pending approval by LaHarpe Board of Education. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION II:**

Mitchell moved and Morrell seconded to enter executive session at 7:44 p.m. to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, compensation, performance of an employee or employees and collective bargaining matters. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

#### **RETURN TO OPEN SESSION:**

Danner moved and Cook seconded to return to open session at 9:03 p.m. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried.

#### **ADJOURNMENT:**

**Vogler moved and Moore seconded to adjourn the meeting at 9:04 p.m. Those members on roll call voting “aye”: White, Vogler, Morrell, Moore, Mitchell, Danner, and Cook. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned.**

**The next regular monthly meeting will be August 10, 2006 at the West Prairie High School at 7:00 p.m.**

**APPROVED BY RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
WEST PRAIRIE SCHOOL DISTRICT #103  
McDonough, Hancock, Henderson Counties, Illinois on \_\_\_\_\_**

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**President**

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**Secretary**