MINUTES
GRANGER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 204
School Board Study Session
GHS Multipurpose Room
March 22, 2023

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Board meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Ron Fleming, followed by the flag salute.

ROLL CALL (Board)

All members were present: Ron Fleming, Dalia Chavez-Isiordia, Rick Russell, Paul Golob, and Kyle Shinn.

PUBLIC FORUM

No public forum.

COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BOARD

a. ASB Update (Josh Golob & Students)

High School Teacher and ASB Advisor, Josh Golob, and three of his ASB leadership students gave the Board an ASB update. The update included information on the blood drive, spring sports, and the upcoming prom.

b. HOSA State Conference recap (March 9-11) (Korina Padilla & students)

High School STEM Teacher, Korina Padilla, along with the ten students who attended the HOSA conference in Spokane, Washington on March 9-11 gave the Board a recap of the event and shared their takeaways. The students expressed their gratitude and thanked the Board for the opportunity to attend.

c. Asset Prevention Program (Resolution) (Kevin Omta)

Maintenance Director, Kevin Omta, shared information with the Board about the Asset Preservation Program (APP). The Asset Preservation Program (APP) is a systematic approach to ensure performance accountability, promote student health and safety by maintaining and operating building systems to their design capacity, maintain an encouraging learning environment, and extend building life. An APP review is required to be done yearly by OSPI to ensure the district is in compliance and is used to qualify for future state assistance.

d. Maintenance Positions for 2023-24 (Kevin & Brian)

Brian and Kevin discussed having the event maintenance position hired three months early to shadow Kris Guerra during the summer to learn the position. This hire would start on June 1st instead of September 1st. The Board members were in agreement with this plan.

e. Fentanyl & Drug Prevention Update (Alyssa Aguilera, Rebecca Barrios)

Community Prevention Specialist, Rebeca Barrios, and Drug & Alcohol Counselor, Alyssa Aguilera, gave the Board a fentanyl & drug prevention update. The update included information on the high rate of fentanyl overdoses and the opioid crisis that this region is facing. They shared that there are programs available to community members, families, and students in Granger to help prevent substance use, help those

struggling with usage, and mental health services. The programs are funded by the Community Prevention Wellness incentive through ESD 105.

f. K-12 Language Support Update (Jaquelin Herrera)

PBIS & Language Development Coordinator, Jaquelin Herrera, gave the Board a language support update. She shared the work being done to support staff during professional development days as well as during in-class coaching days. She also shared information on the work being done in the Dual Language Immersion program at RES and GMS.

g. STN Annual Conference in Reno, Nevada, July 11-20, 2023 (Brian)

Transportation Director, Steve Delarosa, requested the Board's approval to attend the STN EXPO Conference & Trade Show in Reno, Nevada July 14-19, 2023. The conference provides training on school bus safety and student transportation training as well as hands-on training, and peer to peer networking.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING AGENDA: March 27, 2023

Superintendent Hart shared the agenda for the upcoming regular school board meeting on Monday, March 27, 2023 with the board. He gave a brief overview of the items currently on the agenda.

ADJOURNMENT

Board chairman, Ron Fleming, adjourned the study session meeting at 7:15 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION (RCW 42.30.110) - Performance of a Public Employee

The Board entered into executive session at 7:20 p.m. They anticipated they would need 15 minutes to discuss the performance of a public employee. At 7:35 p.m. Ron Fleming made a motion to adjourn the executive session. Paul Golob seconded the motion. Executive session adjourned at 7:35 p.m. No action was taken.

Ron Fleming, Chairman
Paul D. Golob, Board Member
Kyle Shinn, Board Member
Dalia Chavez – Isiordia, Vice-Chairman
Rick Russell, Board Member