

**YORK PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING  
Office of the Superintendent  
1715 N. Delaware Ave. - York, NE 68467  
Monday, April 24, 2023 - 7:00 pm**

The Board of Education, administration, and staff are committed to providing an environment where every child can grow and learn in a positive environment.

Official meeting of the York Board of Education

**SECTION I OPENING**

7:00 p.m. A Call Meeting to Order

| B Roll Call     | Present | Absent |
|-----------------|---------|--------|
| Brien Alley     | x       |        |
| Barb Skaden     | x       |        |
| Alison North    |         | x      |
| Amie Kopcho     | x       |        |
| Matt Holthe     | x       |        |
| Pepper Papineau | x       |        |

C Excuse Absent Board Member(s)- Alison North

Brien Alley moved the board approve the absence of Alison North.

Pepper Papineau seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| Roll Call       | Yes | No | Abstain |
|-----------------|-----|----|---------|
| Brien Alley     | x   |    |         |
| Barb Skaden     | x   |    |         |
| Amie Kopcho     | x   |    |         |
| Matt Holthe     | x   |    |         |
| Pepper Papineau | x   |    |         |

D Acknowledge Posted Open Meeting Act

**SECTION II REVIEW OF THE AGENDA**

A Publication of Notice Verification published on April 1, 2023

B Notes Regarding Agenda

C Approval of Agenda

Matt Holthe moved the board approve the agenda as presented.

Barb Skaden seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| Roll Call       | Yes | No | Abstain |
|-----------------|-----|----|---------|
| Barb Skaden     | x   |    |         |
| Amie Kopcho     | x   |    |         |
| Matt Holthe     | x   |    |         |
| Pepper Papineau | x   |    |         |
| Brien Alley     | x   |    |         |

**SECTION III RECOGNITION OF VISITORS / PUBLIC COMMENT**

**SECTION IV BUSINESS ITEMS**

A Approval of Prior Minutes

Pepper Papineau moved the board approve the April 11, 2023 minutes as presented.

Barb Skaden seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| Roll Call       | Yes | No | Abstain |
|-----------------|-----|----|---------|
| Amie Kopcho     | x   |    |         |
| Matt Holthe     | x   |    |         |
| Pepper Papineau | x   |    |         |
| Brien Alley     | x   |    |         |
| Barb Skaden     | x   |    |         |

B Approval of Bills - none

C Reports from School Administrators and Board Members:

- a. YMS Rural Health Day
- b. YHS JAG

D Resignations

Barb Skaden moved the board accept the resignation(s) from Joshua Harris and thank him for his year of service to YPS.

Pepper Papineau seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b>       | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| <u>Matt Holthe</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Pepper Papineau</u> | x          |           |                |
| <u>Brien Alley</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Barb Skaden</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Amie Kopcho</u>     | x          |           |                |

E Consider Contracts for 2023-24

Barb Skaden moved the board approve the 2023-24 contract for Nathan Novak, 6-12 Instrumental Music, A-1

Brien Alley seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b>       | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| <u>Pepper Papineau</u> | x          |           |                |
| <u>Brien Alley</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Barb Skaden</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Amie Kopcho</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Matt Holthe</u>     | x          |           |                |

Matt Holthe moved the board approve the 2023-24 contract for Daniel Flynn, YES Assistant Principal

Pepper Papineau seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b>       | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| <u>Brien Alley</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Barb Skaden</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Amie Kopcho</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Matt Holthe</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Pepper Papineau</u> | x          |           |                |

Barb Skaden moved the board approve the 2023-24 contract for Dennis Haack, YHS Spanish, I-21, 1 year contract

Brien Alley seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b>       | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| <u>Barb Skaden</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Amie Kopcho</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Matt Holthe</u>     | x          |           |                |
| <u>Pepper Papineau</u> | x          |           |                |
| <u>Brien Alley</u>     | x          |           |                |

Brien Alley moved the board approve the 2023-24 contract for  
Melissa Manning, YMS Science, I-9, 91-day contract  
Matt Holthe seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| Amie Kopcho      | x          |           |                |
| Matt Holthe      | x          |           |                |
| Pepper Papineau  | x          |           |                |
| Brien Alley      | x          |           |                |
| Barb Skaden      | x          |           |                |

F Consider Bus Purchase

Matt Holthe moved the board approve the purchase of a  
2022 Freightliner, 77 passenger bus from  
Truck Center Companies for \$98,350

Pepper Papineau seconded the motion.

Discussion:

| <b>Roll Call</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Abstain</b> |
|------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| Matt Holthe      | x          |           |                |
| Pepper Papineau  | x          |           |                |
| Brien Alley      | x          |           |                |
| Barb Skaden      | x          |           |                |
| Amie Kopcho      | x          |           |                |

G Announcements

7:59 p.m. H Adjourn

Gayla K Knight, Secretary