

ICHABOD CRANE CENTRAL SCHOOL

BOARD OF EDUCATION

JULY 29, 2020

MINUTES

A Special Meeting of the Ichabod Crane Board of Education was held on Wednesday, July 29, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom Video-Conferencing per Governor Andrew Cuomo's Executive Order 202.1 which suspended the provisions of the Open Meetings Law requiring school boards to conduct their business at meetings that allow for in-person attendance by the public. Due to that Executive Order, school boards can meet electronically using video and teleconferencing. Meetings held in this manner will be recorded and subsequently transcribed for the public.

All Board Members Present:

John Antalek	Elaine Berlin	Jessica Berner	John Chandler
Kelly Firmbach	Matthew Nelson	Elizabeth Phillips	Susan Ramos
Jeffrey Ouellette (arrived 6:40pm)			

Board Officers Present:

Suzanne Guntlow, Superintendent, Michael Brennan, Business Manager, Craig Shull, High School Principal, Anthony Marturano, Assistant High School Principal, Tim Farley, Middle/Elementary School Principal, Marcella Sanchez, Middle/Elementary School Assistant Principal, Andrea Williams, Primary School Principal, Peg Warner, Special Education Director, Steve Marotta, Director of Facilities, Todd DiGrigoli, Food Service Director, Dan Doyle, Transportation Director, and Mindy Potts, District Clerk

Board President Matthew Nelson called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

District Clerk Mindy Potts conducted the Pledge of Allegiance

Board President Matthew Nelson read the District Mission Statement:

"The Ichabod Crane Central School District is dedicated to preparing students to become contributing members of society in an ever-changing world by valuing diversity; providing a safe environment; and promoting unique talents, a desire for life-long learning, a strong spirit of community, and Rider pride."

Superintendent Suzanne Guntlow with the administrative team gave a brief overview of the Reopening Plan for the District.

Board members and community members had an opportunity to ask questions. Some questions were answered during the meeting. Subsequent to the meeting, the district posted on its website the powerpoint of the presentation along with the recording of the meeting and a Q&A to help respond to community/parent questions gathered from the meeting.

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To adjourn at 8:34 p.m.

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