

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
REETHS-PUFFER SCHOOLS -- MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN
August 7,2023**

A regular meeting of the Reeths-Puffer Board of Education was called to order by Jennifer Romanosky at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, August 7, 2023, in the Educational Services Building, 991 W. Giles Road, Muskegon, Michigan.

The following members were present:

Jennifer Romanosky, Vice President
Chris Brooks, Treasurer
Sonya Hernandez, Trustee

Susan Blackburn, Secretary
Alex Keefe, Trustee
Joan Vincent, Trustee

Others present: Steve Edwards, Superintendent
Rob Renes, Assistant Superintendent
26 Others

The meeting was open with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Paul Klimsza introduced Taryn Ingersoll, Shaylynn Harris, Alyssa Nauta, Amy Niklasch and Stacy Wells, a few of the staff that made the summer acceleration program run so smoothly. A slideshow was presented that showed all the lessons and fun that our students are experiencing this summer.

If we didn't have the ESSER funds, it would cost the district \$250,000.00 to run summer acceleration.

It was moved by Sonya Hernandez and supported by Chris Brooks to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed unanimously. The consent agenda follows:

- Approve Organizational and Regular Meeting Minutes – July 17,2023
- Approve Personnel Report

The meeting was open to the public.

- None

Communications – Superintendent:

- New Teacher Orientation is scheduled for Aug. 22nd at the administrative building.
- Opening day for all staff is scheduled for Aug. 23rd. We are looking forward to getting back together in the Rocket Centre.
- No Legislative updates

Communications – Board Members:

- Sonya Hernandez made a recommendation to recognize Juneteenth as a federal holiday.

It was moved by Sonya Hernandez and supported by Chris Brooks to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Susan Blackburn, Secretary