Bremen Public Schools Mission Statement

The Bremen Public School community works collaboratively to provide a safe, nurturing environment where students are inspired academically and socially to reach each one’s potential in life.

I. OPENING OF MEETING
   A. The meeting was called to order by President Stuckman. Those present included: Board members – Sheila Kelty, Greg Miller, and Maria Mikel; member Chuck Klockow was absent; Superintendent Dr. Jim White; staff members and patrons. A prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance were offered by Greg Miller.

   B. A motion was made by Sheila Kelty to approve the Minutes of the October 4, 2016 Regular Session Meeting as presented. Greg Miller seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.

   C. Greg Miller moved to approve claims 1270 through 1354 as presented. The motion was seconded by Sheila Kelty. Motion carried 4–0.

   D. Dr. White presented the Monthly Financial Reports

   E. Visitors were welcomed.

   F. There were no patrons with comments concerning the Agenda Items.

II. STAFF REPORTS
   A. Staff Reports—
      1. Mr. Larry Yelaska was absent due to parent teacher conferences.

      2. Mr. Bruce Jennings informed the board that the students received training on an Active Shooter scenario, participated in a Fire Drill, and Tornado/Earthquake Drill during the week of October 10th. An “Anti-Bullying” convo occurred on Oct 11th, and an “Abstinence” convo occurred on Oct 13th. On Wednesday 10/19 the underclassmen will be taking the PSAT in the AM and the Seniors will participate in various Industry Tours. Fall Break will occur Thurs 10/20-Fri 10/21.

III. PERSONNEL
   A. Personnel report presented by Dr. White:

      1. Resignations – None
2. Transfers – None
3. Reassignments – None
4. Change in Status – None
5. New Contracts –
   Sheila Kelty moved to accept the following new contracts as presented:
   5.1 Brooke Hawkins—Lunch Assistant
   5.2 Shannon Verhaeghe—FFA Assistant Sponsor
   5.3 Robert Kowal—Custodian
   5.4 Mike Shumaker—HS Wrestling Assistant Coach
   5.5 Brian Main—HS Wrestling Assistant Coach
   5.6 Ben Wright—HS Wrestling Assistant Coach
   5.7 Ashley Griswold—HS Special Ed Instructional Assistant
   Maria Mikel seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0

6. Leave Requests—None
7. Terminations—None
8. Retirement—None
9. Volunteer’s—FYI
   9.1 Dylan Shumaker—HS Wrestling Volunteer Coach

IV. OLD BUSINESS

V. NEW BUSINESS
A. Todd Stuckman moved to approve the adoption of Budget, Capital Projects Plan, and Bus Replacement Plan, as presented. Sheila Kelty seconded the motion, motion carried 4-0.

B. Todd Stuckman moved to approve the Neutrality Resolution as presented, Greg Miller seconded the motion, motion carried 4-0.

C. Sheila Kelty moved to approve the Virtual Snow Days as presented, Maria Mikel seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.

VI. OTHER MATTERS THAT CAME BEFORE THE BOARD
A. Next Regular Board Meeting—Tuesday November 1, 2016 at 6:30 PM High School Media Center.

B. Stephanie Fish offered comment regarding substitute teaching shortages and distributed pay rates of local schools.

VII. ADJOURNMENT
A. There being no further business, Sheila Kelty moved for adjournment 7:13 PM. Todd Stuckman seconded the motion; motion carried.
Todd Stuckman, President
Sheila Kelty, Vice-President

Chuck Klockow, Secretary
Maria Mikel, Member

Gregg Miller, Member

BREMEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS CORE VALUES
- Mutual Respect
- Caring School Community
- Great Expectations