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 Jordan. Those present included: Board members – Jill Hassel, Jack Jordan, and Chuck Klockow; members Todd Stuckman and Frankie Merritt were absent; Superintendent Russ Mikel; staff members and patrons. A prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance were offered by Chuck Klockow.

B. Jill Hassel moved to approve the minutes of the September 17, 2012 Work Session. Chuck Klockow seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

C. Jack Jordan moved to approve the minutes of the September 17, 2012 Executive Session. Jill Hassel seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

D. Chuck Klockow moved to approve the minutes of the September 18, 2012 Regular Meeting. Jill Hassel seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

E. Jack Jordan moved to approve claims 1293 through 1349 as presented. Chuck Klockow seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

F. Mr. Mikel presented the General Fund Comparison.

G. Visitors were welcomed.

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

II. STAFF REPORTS
A. Staff Reports—
   1. Mr. Yelaska gave an update on Teacher Evaluation and Elementary-Middle School Events.
   2. Mr. Jennings gave a brief report on the A-F Calculation for Schools and High School Events.
   3. The Robotics report was postponed to the October 15 meeting.

III. PERSONNEL
   1. Resignations –
      Chuck Klockow moved to accept the resignation of Jessica Neeley – K8 Instructional Assistant. Jack Jordan seconded the motion. The motion carried 3
2. Transfers – None
3. Reassignments – None
4. Change in Status – None
5. New Contracts –
   Jack Jordan moved to accept the following new contracts as presented:
   5.1. Sandy Yoder – K8 Instructional Assistant
   5.2. Molly Nunemaker – MS Language Arts Teacher (Maternity Leave)
   Jill Hassel seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.
6. Leave Requests—
   Jill Hassel moved to accept the following leave request as presented:
   6.1. Jill Moser—Leave without pay
   Chuck Klockow seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.
7. Terminations—None
8. Retirements—
   Chuck Klockow moved to accept the following retirements as presented:
   8.1. Sheila Reed – 4th Grade Teacher – Effective at the conclusion of
       the 2012-13 school year
   Jill Hassel seconded the motion. The Board thanked the two teachers for their
   years of service to Bremen Schools. The motion carried 3 – 0.
9. Volunteers—None

IV. OLD BUSINESS
A. Jack Jordan moved to accept a contract with Copiers Plus, Inc. for printing and copying
   services. Chuck Klockow seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

V. NEW BUSINESS
A. The Transportation Discussion was tabled to the October 15, 2012 meeting.
B. Jill Hassel moved to open the public hearing on the 2013 Proposed Budget, Capital
   Projects Plan and Bus Replacement Plan. Chuck Klockow seconded the motion. The
   motion carried 3 – 0. There were no patron comments on the 2013 Proposed Budget,
   Capital Projects Plan and Bus Replacement Plan. Jack Jordan moved to close the public
   hearing. Jill Hassel seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 – 0.

VI. OTHER MATTERS THAT CAME BEFORE THE BOARD
A. Next Board Meeting—Monday, October 15 at 7:00 PM
B. ISBA Fall Regional Meeting – October 24, 2012 from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm.
C. Mr. Mikel shared a proposal for additional staffing for the Technology Department.

VII. ADJOURNMENT
A. There being no further business, Chuck Klockow moved for adjournment 7:55 PM.
   Jack Jordan seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.
B. Upcoming Board Meetings
   The next regularly scheduled Board meeting will be held on October 15, 2012.
BREMEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS CORE VALUES
º MUTUAL RESPECT  º CARING SCHOOL COMMUNITY  º GREAT EXPECTATIONS