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 Teall. Those present included: Board members – Suzanne Ginter, Jesse Bohannon, and Todd Stuckman; Maria Mikel arrived at 7:22 PM; Superintendent Dr. Jim White; staff members and patrons. A prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance were offered by Brian Teal.

   B. A motion was made by Todd Stuckman to approve the Minutes of the August 6, 2018 Regular Session Meeting as presented. Jesse Bohannon seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.

   C. Jesse Bohannon moved to approve claims 1034 through 1115 as presented. The motion was seconded by Brian Teall; motion carried 4-0.

   D. Monthly Financial Reports were presented.

   E. Visitors were welcomed.

II. STAFF REPORTS
   A. Staff Reports—
      1. Mr. Larry Yelaska reported of various activities in and around the K8 building.

      2. Mr. Bruce Jennings reported of various activities in and around the HS building.

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

      1. Resignations –
         Brian Teall moved to accept the following resignations as presented:
         1.1 Dawn Carpenter—Concession Manager
         1.2 Nathan Rosentrater—Lunch/Recess Assistant
         1.3 Regina Jones—Instructional Aide
         1.4 Kelly Studt—6th Grade Team Leader
         1.5 Brittany Krieger—Lunch Assistant
         1.6 Mikayla O’Dell—Head Start Aide

         Suzanne Ginter seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.
2. Transfers –
Jesse Bohannon moved to accept the following transfer as presented:
2.1 Brittany Krieger—From Lunch Assistant to 5th Grade Instructional Assistant
Todd Stuckman seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.

3. Reassignments –None
4. Change in Status –None
5. New Contracts –
Brian Teall moved to accept the following new contracts as presented:
5.1 Heather Metheny—Special Ed Instructional Assistant
5.2 Kristen Williams—2nd Grade Instructional Assistant
5.3 Katie Jesswein—6th Grade Team Leader
5.4 Melissa Peltz—Lunch Assistant
5.5 Julie Goble—Cook
5.6 Amanda Christner—Cook
5.7 Joseph Kring—Recess Aide
5.8 Melissa Streeter—Recess Aide
Jesse Bohannon seconded the motion; motion carried 4-0.

6. Leave Requests—None
7. Terminations—None
8. Retirement—None
9. Volunteer’s—None

IV. OLD BUSINESS
A. The 1st Reading of the remaining NEOLA Policies approved as follows:
1. Policy 5421
Jesse Bohannon moved to amend the policy by inserting point F. “Such Guidelines should provide that a student’s grade in any course is based on his/her performance in the instructional setting and is not reduced for reasons of conduct. If a student violates the attendance or other rules of the school, she/he should be disciplined appropriately for the misconduct, but his/her grades should be based upon what the student can demonstrate she/he has learned.”; this is simply a word-for-word cross-reference from policy 5200, and then moved proposed policy 5421 to 2nd Reading as amended; Todd Stuckman seconded motion, motion carried 4-0.

2. Policy 5136
Todd Stuckman moved to accept as submitted and move to 2nd Reading, Brian Teall seconded motion, motion carried 4-0.

3. Policy 2240
Brian Teall moved to accept as submitted and move to 2nd Reading, Suzanne Ginter seconded motion, motion carried 4-0.

4. Policy 1422
Jesse Bohannon moved to amend the policy by striking the parenthetical beginning on line (2) of paragraph (1) in its entirety; to let the record reflect the intent of the Board to allow the language of Title IX to stand as a guide
as it was written and to move proposed policy 1422 to 2nd Reading as amended; Todd Stuckman seconded motion, motion failed 1-3 with Brian Teall, Suzanne Ginter and Todd Stuckman voting nay.

Brian Teall moved to accept as submitted and move to 2nd Reading, Suzanne Ginter seconded motion, motion carried 3-1 with Jesse Bohannon voting nay.

5. Policy 5517
Jesse Bohannon moved to amend the policy by striking the parenthetical beginning on line (2) of paragraph (2) in its entirety; to let the record reflect the intent of the Board to allow the language of Title IX to stand as a guide as it was written and to move proposed policy 5517 to 2nd Reading as amended; Brian Teall seconded the motion, motion failed 1-3 with Brian Teall, Suzanne Ginter and Todd Stuckman voting nay.

Brian Teall moved to accept as submitted and move to 2nd Reading, Todd Stuckman seconded motion, motion carried 3-1 with Jesse Bohannon voting nay.

V. NEW BUSINESS
A. Jesse Bohannon moved to adopt the Teacher Appreciation Grant Annual Distribution Policy as presented, Suzanne Ginter seconded motion, motion carried 4-0.

B. Jesse Bohannon moved to approve permission to advertise the 2019 Budget as presented, Brian Teall seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

C. Brian Teall moved to table the presentation of the Athletic Director Job Description, Jesse Bohannon seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

D. Brian Teall moved to allow continued discussion of My Way PreK as presented, Todd Stuckman seconded motion, motion carried 5-0.

E. Jesse Bohannon moved to approve the quote for the Athletic Lights and BEMS Cooling Tower as presented, Todd Stuckman seconded motion, motion carried 5-0.

VI. OTHER MATTERS THAT CAME BEFORE THE BOARD
A. Next Board Meeting—Executive Session Monday August 27, 2018 at 6:30 PM Administration Building. Regular Session Tuesday September 4, 2018 6:30 PM High School Media Center.

B. There were no patrons with comments on items not listed on agenda.

C. Review and update of agenda calendar.

VII. ADJOURNMENT
A. There being no further business, Jesse Bohannon moved for adjournment 7:51 PM.
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º MUTUAL RESPECT  º CARING SCHOOL COMMUNITY  º GREAT EXPECTATIONS