OSKALOOSA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FEBRUARY 23, 2015

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The Board of Directors of the Oskaloosa Community School District met in work session at 5:30PM on Monday, February 23, 2015, in the Administration Board Room, 1800 North 3rd Street, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Present were Board members Tom Richardson, Neal Hadden, Shelly Herr, Shawn Moyer, Nik Rule, and Kraig Van Hulzen. Member Carl Drost was absent.

OTHERS PRESENT

Also present were Superintendent Mr. Russell Reiter, Dr. Mary Cooksley, Andy Hotek, Stacy Bandy, Betsy Luck, Ginny Foster, Jennifer Peterson, Chase Weber, Zach Tremmel, Tim Veiseth, R.D. Keep, and Chad Vink.

PRESENTATION BY PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITY

The K-12 Physical Education Teachers came forward to present the work of their PLC. They stated information regarding their SMART goal, the Fitnessgram, aggregate results, PLC feedback, and the eventual impact on students. The Board thanked the teachers for the information.

PRESENTATION ON ATTENDANCE CENTER RANKINGS

Mr. Reiter took the floor to inform the Board on a new requirement mandated by the State – Attendance Center Rankings. He presented a printed summary report and detailed the required data segments of the endeavor. Discussion ensued on the possible results and timeline.

DISCUSSION ON USE OF TIMBER ON DISTRICT PROPERTY

Kraig Van Hulzen provided some introductory information on the possible sale of timber from the District land to the north and east of the high school campus. Reiter noted that he has had previous discussions with the DNR about timber, but did not pursue it. After discussion, it was agreed to continue gathering information from resources in the community.

DISCUSSION ON 2015-2016 CERTIFIED BUDGET

Mr. Reiter and Chad Vink, School Business Official, took the floor to present the proposed Certified Budget documents for the 2015-2016 school year. They provided information on the concepts and limits in school budgeting, as well as presented initial information that would indicate an increase in the property tax levy rate for next year.

ADJOURNMENT

Vice President Richardson adjourned the meeting at 7:17PM.

Chad M.	Vink,	Board	Secretary	