

May 9, 2016

The Board of Education, Community High School District 99, met for recognition of students and staff at 6:33 p.m. on Monday, May 9, 2016, at South High School.

The following Board Members were present: Nancy Kupka, President; Terry Pavesich, Vice President; and Members Julia Beckman, Michael Davenport and Don Renner. Members Deb Boyle and Rick Pavinato were absent.

Also present were Pete Theis, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources; Gina Ziccardi, Assistant Superintendent for Student Learning; Scott Wuggazer, Assistant Superintendent for Special Services; Jim Kolodziej, Director of Physical Plant and Operations; Jill Browning, Communications Director; Scott Kasik, North High Principal; Ed Schwartz, South High Principal and Juli Gniadek, Secretary.

1. RECOGNITION OF STUDENTS AND STAFF

Pete Theis welcomed those present; stated that Dr. McDonald, District 99 Superintendent, sent his regrets for being unable to attend; and introduced the Board members and Dr. Thiele, incoming Superintendent. He stated over 300 students and staff members were being recognized for a wide variety of accomplishments. He then introduced President Kupka who thanked everyone for coming and specifically acknowledged parents and family members in attendance. She expressed appreciation to Dr. McDonald, who is retiring the end of June. Dr. Kupka introduced Hank Thiele. Dr. Thiele stated it was an honor to be a part of District 99 and that it is the students who make the District great. He also acknowledged the contributions of the coaches, teachers, sponsors and parents of the students being recognized. Scott Kasik and Ed Schwartz invited honorees in groups to come forward to be recognized, described the honor being recognized, and read the names of the honorees. Mr. Theis invited those in attendance to go to the cafeteria for a reception and to receive certificates.

2. ADJOURNMENT

The recognition and reception concluded at 7:41 p.m.

Nancy Kupka, President

Juli Gniadek, Secretary