BOARD OF EDUCATION
CORRY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

REGULAR BOARD MEETING
January 2, 2017

A Regular Board Meeting of the Corry Area Board of School Directors was held on Monday, January 2, 2017, in the Large Group Instruction Room of the Administration Office. President Doris Gernovich called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

The Board met in Executive Session on January 2, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. for personnel discussions.

ROLL CALL

Present: Directors: Michael E. Baker, Amanda J. Cox, Lonny T. Eastman, Joseph A. Frisina, Doris P. Gernovich, Linda L. Hajec, Christine Johnson,

Excused: Amy L. Allen, Deborah A. Wood

Also Present: William A. Nichols - Superintendent; Sheri L. Yetzer – Assistant Superintendent; Brenda L. Clabbatz – Business Manager; William P. West – Director of Secondary Education; Matthew Patterson – Director of Elementary Education; Mike Munsee – Director of Buildings & Grounds

Media: Erin Passinger – Corry Journal

Guests: Chelsey Toplovich, Valerie Toplovich

MOMENT OF SILENCE/ PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVED AGENDA

MOTION by Director Hajec and seconded by Director Eastman to approve the agenda for January 2, 2017.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED MINUTES

MOTION by Director Frisina and seconded by Director Eastman to approve the minutes of the Reorganization Meeting on December 5, 2016 and the Regular Meeting on December 5, 2016.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

STAFF COMMENT

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE

Chelsey Toplovich gave an update on several student events and activities including service projects, the Christmas Dance, and winter sports. Service projects included a food drive for the local food pantry and a shoe collection held in conjunction with the YMCA and the Key Club. Chelsey will provide more information at the next meeting regarding an upcoming Broadway Dinner Show presented by the members of the Honors Choir.

APPROVED BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORTS

MOTION by Director Hajec and seconded by Director Baker to approve the Business Manager's Reports.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED CHECKS

MOTION by Director Johnson and seconded by Director Frisina to approve the payment of bills from November 17, 2016 through December 15, 2016 as covered by Board Check Nos. 34423 – 34619 in the amount of $2,803,511.84; Wire Transfers in the amount of $565,796.55; Payroll Check Nos. 34345 – 34362, 34427 – 34443 and 34565 - 34581 in the amount of $25,464.76; Payroll Direct Deposits in the amount of $1,026,992.88; and Cafeteria Check Nos. 1453 - 1455 in the amount of $57,141.99.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED STUDENT EXPULSIONS

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Johnson to approve the following student expulsions:

1. Middle School student as recommended by the Board's Hearing Committee due to violations of District policies. A Hearing was held at 10:15 AM on December 8, 2016.
2. Middle School student as recommended by the Board's Hearing Committee due to violations of District policies. A Hearing was held at 11:15 AM on December 8, 2016.
3. High School student as recommended by the Board's Hearing Committee due to violations of District policies. A Hearing was held at 1:00 PM on December 19, 2016.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED PSBA CONTRACT

MOTION by Director Baker and seconded by Director Frisina to approve the Contract for Professional Services with Pennsylvania School Boards Association to update the existing Policy Manual adopted by the School Board of the Corry Area School District.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEMS

MOTION by Director Frisina and seconded by Director Cox to approve the following Personnel items:

1. Resignation of John Tate (nd) as Assistant Girls Basketball Coach effective immediately.
2. Resignation of Jeff Goodwill as Assistant Football Coach effective immediately.
3. Appointment of the following Supplemental Coaching positions for the 2016-2017 season:

Danielle Audet	Assistant Girls Basketball Coach	$2,979 (Step 1)
Chelsea Messinger	Assistant Girls Track & Field Coach	$2,189 (Step 1)
Jessica Calabrese	Assistant Girls Track & Field Co-Coach	$1,094.50 (Step 1)
Mike Roden (nd)	Assistant Girls Track & Field Co-Coach	$1,350 (Step 2)

4. Additions to the Support Personnel Substitute List for the 2016-2017 school year:

Randi Tilford
Patricia Nolte

5. Appointment of Danielle Hartman as a Category I Volunteer for the Swimming Program for the 2016-2017 season.
6. Appointment of Randall McCray as a bus driver (employed by D & R Transportation) for the Corry Area School District for the 2016-2017 school year.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

OTHER MATTERS BY SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. Nichols commented on the recent Christmas Dance and the crowning of the Snow King. He was pleased with the camaraderie and support our students continue to have and show for one another.

OTHER MATTERS BY BUSINESS MANAGER

None.

OTHER MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Director Frisina and seconded by Director Hajec to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting at 7:17 p.m.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Hajec, Johnson

NAYS: None.

Victoria L. Anderson

Victoria L. Anderson, Board Secretary