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<p>President Salisbury called the meeting of the Unatego Central School District Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. in room #93 at the MS/HS.</p> <p>Clapper, McDermott, McMichael (via video-conference), O’Hara, Olsen and Salisbury answered roll call.</p> <p>Member Downey arrived at 7:06 p.m. via video-conference.</p> <p>Administrative members present: Supt. Dr. David S. Richards</p> <p>Elementary Principal Mike Snider, MS Principal Patti Hoyt, HS Principal Julie Lambiaso, CSE Director Katherine Mazourek, Transportation Supervisor Brian Trask and Clerk Sheila Nolan were all present via video-conference.</p> <p>Visitors/Staff: 11 All via video-conference.</p> <p>Board President Salisbury led the Flag Salute.</p> <p>Motion by Olsen, seconded by O’Hara, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of December 21, 2020 as presented. Yes-6 No-0. Carried.</p> <p>Motion by Olsen, seconded by McDermott, to adopt the Agenda as presented. Yes-6 No-0. Carried.</p> <p><u>Public Comment</u>- None</p> <p><u>Presentations:</u></p> <p>Guidance Presentation – Laura Wade, Amanda Kane Lexi McHenry and Rebecca Theophel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of the Comprehensive School Counseling Plan for 2020-2021. • Elementary Counselor Rebecca Theophel introduced herself to the board. • The main focus goal for the 2020-2021 school year is the social and emotional needs of students. • Reviewed the statistics for the Class of 2020. <p>Capital Project Presentation – Delta Architect & SchoolHouse</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeff Stafford, Project Manager, Rick Sanguinito, Lead Engineer from Delta as well as Eric Robert from SchoolHouse presented the board with different options for the Capitol Project. Discussed with the board what the most important things are that need to be updated during the project. 	<p>Call to Order</p> <p>Roll Call</p> <p>Flag Salute</p> <p>12-21-20 Reg Brd Mtg Min</p> <p>Adopt Agenda</p> <p>L. Wade, A. Kane, L. McHenry, R. Theophel</p> <p>J. Stafford, R. Sanguinito, E. Robert</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capitol Project Workshop will be held via Zoom on January 13 @ 6:00 p.m. 	
<p><u>Administrator’s Reports:</u> Elementary Principal, Mike Snider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Trimester report cards are being sent out this week. • Teacher observations have been completed. • January 12-14 will be the state test simulation to test the system before the actual tests are completed. • It was a good end to the 2020 year. • About 30 all-remote students will be returning to hybrid this trimester. 	<p>M. Snider</p>
<p>Middle School Principal, Patti Hoyt:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Council hosted a virtual Trivia Night. The kids had a great time. • MS/HS Spirit week was completed before Christmas break. • MS hosted a virtual concert. All the students did a great job. • Progress reports will be going home and/or mailed to students this week. • The beginning of December letters were mailed to all remote students to see if they would like to stay all-remote or come back hybrid, about 17 students are planning on coming back. • MS will be conducting the computer testing simulation for the state testing. 	<p>P. Hoyt</p>
<p>High School Principal, Julie Lambiaso:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Senior Class was able to attend the senior breakfast at The Otesaga on December 22. The students had a great time. • HS has about 11 all-remote students that will be returning this semester to the hybrid schedule. Out of the 11 students returning 2 had switched to all-remote within the last couple months and decided that it wasn’t for them. 	<p>J. Lambiaso</p>
<p>Superintendent’s Report-Dr. David S. Richards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The district is continuing to closely monitor the increase in the cases of positivity around the region. The school plans to stay open as long as possible. The safest place for students we have found is in school. 	<p>Dr. Richards</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The district has had 1 in-person student and 2 staff members test positive within the last 4 months. The staff and students are all doing a great job keeping everyone safe. <p><u>Administrative Action</u> Motion by Olsen, seconded by O’Hara, to approve the following resolutions 4.1-4.3 as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Wayne Strickland, bus driver/cleaner to an 8-week probationary appointment, at his current hourly rate, effective January 4, 2021 as presented (replaces, Lasca Mazzone).</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby rescind the resignation of Curtis Leonard as bus driver, effective January 4, 2021 as presented.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Amber Mazzone, keyboard specialist, to a 52-week probationary appointment, effective January 4, 2021 to January 4, 2022 at a salary rate of \$26,527.</p> <p><u>Public Comment</u>- None</p> <p><u>Round Table Discussion</u>- None</p> <p><u>Adjourn:</u> Motion by Olsen, seconded by O’Hara, to adjourn the meeting at 8:51 p.m. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p> <hr/> <p>Sheila Nolan District Clerk</p>	<p>W. Strickland-Prob. Appt. Bus Driver/Cleaner</p> <p>C. Leonard-Rescind Resignation Bus Driver</p> <p>A. Mazzone-Prob. Appt. Keyboard Specialist</p> <p>Adjournment</p>
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