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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, Downey, Johnson, McDermott, McMichael, O'Hara and Salisbury answered roll call.</p> <p>Administrative members present: Supt. Dr. David S. Richards</p> <p>Principals Mike Snider, Tim Simonds, and Julie Lambiaso, CSE Chairperson Katherine Mazourek, Transportation Supervisor Brian Trask, and Clerk Sheila Nolan all via video-conferencing.</p> <p>Visitors/Staff: 7</p> <p>Board President Salisbury led the Flag Salute.</p> <p>Motion by Johnson, seconded by O'Hara, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of August 16, 2021 as presented. Yes-5 No-0 Abstained-2 (Clapper & McMichael). Carried.</p> <p>Motion by McMichael, seconded by McDermott, to adopt the Agenda and as amended. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p> <p><u>Public Comment</u>-None</p> <p><u>Presentations</u></p> <p>Administrator's Report-Elementary Principal Mike Snider</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pretty smooth start to the beginning of school. • UPK program is up and running. This is the first time the District has been able to provide this service. At this time there are two classes with about 16 students in each class. • New staff is settling in well. • The bully prevention program will be holding weekly class meetings. Focusing on positive peer interaction. <p>Middle School Principal Tim Simonds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Great start to the beginning of school. Thank you to all the bus drivers and Brian for getting the students to school on time. • Started curriculum this week. Chromebooks have been distributed to students. • Social/emotional learning will be a big focus this year. 	<p>Call to Order</p> <p>Roll Call</p> <p>Flag Salute</p> <p>8-16-21 Reg Brd Mtg Min</p> <p>Adopt Agenda</p> <p>M. Snider</p> <p>T. Simonds</p>
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<p>High School Principal Julie Lambiaso</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The school year is off and running smoothly. A big thank you to Tim, Lexi and Amber Mazzone for stepping up while I've been out of the office. 	J. Lambiaso
<p>Superintendent's Report-Dr. David S. Richards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enrollment continues to go up and down on a daily basis. School Resource Officer started on opening day. For the first time the district has a School Social Worker. NYS mandated all school employees to either be vaccinated or be tested on a weekly basis. They are also encouraging schools to test students and staff if symptomatic. At this time, this has not been mandated by the state. 	Supt. Richards
<p><u>Administrative Action</u></p> <p>Motion by McMichael, seconded by Johnson, to approve the following resolutions 4.1-4.3, 4.5-4.13 & 4.15-4.26 as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p> <p>Warrants and Budget Status Reports were given to the Board for information only.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve non-resident student for the 2021-2022 school year as presented.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve transportation request to and from Otsego Christian Academy as presented.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve Deanna Perkosky as music teacher for the summer enrichment program as presented.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby amend the original resolution for event workers for the 2021-2022 sports season from winter sports season to fall sports season.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve returning substitute teachers for the 2021-2022 school year as presented.</p> <p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve volunteer coaches for the 2021-2022 fall sports season as presented.</p>	<p>Treasurer's Report</p> <p>Approve Non-Resident Student</p> <p>Approve Transportation Request to OCA</p> <p>Approve Summer Enrichment Teacher</p> <p>Amend Resolution for Falls Sports 21-22</p> <p>Approve Returning Subs. 21-22</p> <p>Approve Volunteer Coaches for Fall Sports 21-22</p>

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<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve Anita Grays as event worker for the 2021-2022 fall sports season as presented.</p>	<p>Approve Event Worker for Fall Sports 21-22</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Sheanna Burgess, to a four year probationary appointment in the tenure area of Special subject: School Social Worker, effective date September 1, 2021 and ending August 31, 2025, Masters Step 5 salary \$56,514, pending certification, as presented.</p> <p>This expiration date is tentative and conditional only. Except to the extent required by the applicable provisions of Section 3012 of the Education Law, in order to be granted tenure the teacher must receive composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Section 3012-c and/or 3012-d of the Education Law of either effective or highly effective in at least three (3) of the four (4) preceding years, and if the teacher receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period the teacher shall not be eligible for tenure at that time.</p>	<p>Approve Prob. Appt. S. Burgess-School Social Worker</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Dorothy Rudolph as a long-term substitute teacher for elementary music, effective September 14, 2021 as presented.</p>	<p>Approve Long-Term Sub-D. Rudolph</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve a 90-day leave of absence as cleaner, effective September 13, 2021, to accept the position of building maintenance mechanic at Unatego CSD.</p>	<p>Approve Leave of Absence Z. Nages-Cleaner</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Brittany Youngs to a 52-week probationary appointment as a part-time food service helper/dishwasher, at a rate of \$13.00 per/hr., effective September 1, 2021 as presented (replaces, Rose Rogers).</p>	<p>Approve Prob. Appt. B. Youngs-FSH/Dishwasher</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Tegan Fairbairn to a 52-week probationary appointment as teacher aide, at a rate of \$13.00 per/hr., effective September 1, 2021 as presented (replaces, Leanne Nydam).</p>	<p>Approve Prob. Appt. T. Fairbairn-Aide</p>
<p>RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Heather Ryder to a 52-week probationary appointment as teacher aide, at a rate of \$13.00 per/hr., effective September 7, 2021 as presented (replaces, Terry LaPointe).</p>	<p>Approve Prob. Appt. H. Ryder-Aide</p>

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RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint William Worman bus driver, pending certification, to a 52-week probationary appointment, at a rate of \$17.80 per/hr. and fingerprinting and criminal history review, effective September 9, 2021 as presented (replaces, Curtis Leonard).	Approve Prob. Appt. W. Worman-Bus Driver
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby accept Vic LaPointe's resignation as bus driver, effective September 17, 2021 as presented.	Approve Resignation V. LaPointe- Bus Driver
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Kaleigh Barber to a 52-week probationary appointment as a part-time lunch and recess aide, at a rate of \$13.00 per/hr., effective September 14, 2021 as presented.	Approve Prob. Appt. K. Barber-Aide
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Roger Votee as a substitute food service helper for the 2021-2022 school year as presented.	Approve Sub R. Votee-FSH
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Zach Nages to a 90-day probationary appointment as Building Maintenance Mechanic, effective September 14, 2021, salary \$45,000 as presented.	Approve Prob. Appt. Z. Nages-Building Maintenance Mechanic
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Steven Robinson bus driver, to a 52-week probationary appointment, at a rate of \$17.80 per/hr. and fingerprinting and criminal history review, effective September 15, 2021 as presented.	Approve Prob. Appt. S. Robinson-Bus Driver
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Mary Hecox as a substitute school nurse for the 2021-2022 school year as presented.	Approve Sub M. Hecox-Nurse
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of School that this Board does hereby appoint Rebecca Towndrow as an aide, effective September 2, 2021 as presented.	Approve Prob. Appt. R. Towndrow-Aide
Motion by McMichael, seconded by Johnson, to approve the following resolution 4.4 as presented. Discussion ensued.	
RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the change to the board meeting calendar, from two board	Board Meeting Schedule Change

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meetings a month to one board meeting a month, with committee meetings being held on the second date each month.	
Clapper-Yes Downey-No Johnson-Yes McDermott-No McMichael-Yes O’Hara-No Salisbury-No	
Yes-3 No-4. Motion denied.	
<u>Public Comment-</u> None	
<u>Round Table Discussion-</u>	
J. McDermott – Explained to the board that he reviewed all the board policies that are on the website for accuracy. All are accurate and updated except for three policies that need some updating at the next policy meeting.	
<u>Executive Session:</u>	
Motion by McMichael, seconded by Downey, to go into Executive Session at 7:46 p.m. to discuss proposed acquisition of real property and a cafeteria personnel matter. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.	Executive Session
Clerk Nolan left at 7:46 p.m.	
Discussion ensued, no action taken.	
Motion by Downey, seconded by McMichael to leave Executive Session at 8:27 p.m. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.	
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Dr. David S. Richards Superintendent of Schools	
Clerk Nolan re-joined the meeting at 8:28 p.m.	
Motion by McMichael, seconded by Clapper, to approve the following resolution 4.14 as presented.	
RESOLVED: Upon the request of the employee that this Board does hereby approve a one year leave of absence as cook manager, effective August 30, 2021 until August 30, 2022, for personal reasons.	Leave of Absence K. Sousa-Cook Manager
Yes-0 No-7. Motion denied.	

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<p><u>Adjourn:</u> Motion by McMichael, seconded by McDermott, to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 p.m. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p> <hr/> <p>Sheila Nolan Clerk of the Board</p>	Adjournment
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