**MINUTES** A budget workshop was held prior to the Board Meeting. Vice-President McDermott called the meeting of the Unatego Central School District Board Call to Order of Education to order at 6:37 p.m. in room 93 at the Middle/Senior High School. Clapper, Downey, McDermott, McMichael, O'Hara and Treffeisen answered roll call. Roll Call Absent: Salisbury. Administrative members present: Supt. Dr. David S. Richards and CSE Chairperson Clair-O'Rourke. Motion by McMichael, seconded by Downey, to go into Exempt Session to discuss CSE **Exempt Session** recommendations at 6:38 p.m. Yes-6 No-0. Carried. Exempt Session: 6:38 p.m. – room 93. Open Session resumed at 7:00 p.m. President Salisbury called the meeting to order. Open Session Clapper, Downey, McDermott, McMichael, O'Hara, Salisbury and Treffeisen answered roll Roll Call call. Absent: None. Administrative members present: Supt. Dr. David S. Richards, HS Principal Lambiaso, MS Principal Hoyt, Elementary Principal Mazourek, CSE/Special Pgrms Clair-O'Rourke and Clerk French. Visitors: 9 President Salisbury led the Flag Salute. Flag Salute Motion by Downey, seconded by McDermott, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes 3-19-19 Req of March 19, 2018 as presented. Yes-6 No-0. Abstained-McMichael. Carried. Brd Mtg Min Motion by Downey, seconded by McMichael, to adopt the Agenda as presented. Yes-7 No-Adopt Agenda 0. Carried. Public Comment - None. **Presentations** Unatego Elementary – K. Mazourek K. Mazourek The Star assembly was held before Spring break. "Super Reading" program was completed.

NYS ELA tests for grades 3-5 will be held this Wednesday and Thursday.

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# Middle School - P. Hoyt

- NYS testing for grades 6-8 will take place this Wednesday and Thursday. At this time student refusals are lower than last year.
- Report cards go home on Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.
- The middle school concert will be held in May.

## High School – J. Lambiaso

- Third quarter ended last Friday.
- Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, is the HS Band & Chorus Concert. Senior Band Appreciation will be also be held.
- Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, the SADD 5K Run/Walk will be held in Oneonta. Proceeds from the walk go towards the After Prom Party.
- April 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> is the high school Spring play, *You Can't Take it With You.*
- The Senior Class trip to Philadelphia is in May.

### Superintendent's Report – Dr. David S. Richards

- At the last Board meeting there was a tie vote for appointing an architect. The resolution was tabled until the next Board meeting. There was no further discussion.
- Update on survey for Otego Elementary. Crews were working this afternoon and they hoped to be finished at the end of next week.
- The RFP for the Otego Elementary School is hoped to be done by the end of April.
  There are two options; 1) List the building with necessary land and break away
  the rest of the land or 2) List the building with all the land. Board member
  McMichael feels that the District has a need for fields. Discussion followed. A
  resolution for the RFP listing the building with the necessary land will be on a
  future Board Agenda.
- It was decided to have an observation day of the County Board voting machine for Board candidates, Board members and District Administrative staff prior to the Annual Meeting. Also the District would like to view the results of the ballots against the machine results.

#### Administrative Action

Motion by McMichael, seconded by Downey, to approve resolutions 4.1-4.3 and 4.5-4.6 as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the CSE recommendations as presented.

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby approve the 2018-2019 Unatego Instructional Calendar as presented.

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby accept the donation of \$2000 in lieu of taxes from Holy Myrrhbearers Monastery as presented.

P. Hoyt

J. Lambiaso

Dr. Richards

CSE Recommendations

Approve 18-19 Instructional Calendar

Accept Donation Holy Myrrhbearers Monastery Unatego Central School Board Meeting Minutes April 9, 2018 Page 3

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Marylin Bush to a 8-week probationary period as Food Service Helper effective April 10, 2018.

Appoint M. Bush FSH

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board does hereby appoint Gina Boliski substitute teacher aide for the 2017-18 school year as presented.

Sub Teacher Aide -G. Bolinski

Motion by McMichael, seconded by Downey, that resolution 4.4 is approved as presented with Delta Architects. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.

RESOLVED; upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that this Board hereby appoint Delta Architects District Architects pending successful negotiation of a contract for services between the District and the firm.

Appoint Delta Architects

### Public Comment

- B. Hesse safety concern for students. He suggested that the Board consider making a policy that should students have an organized walkout planned that it will take place in the gym or cafeteria not outside. He also feels there is a flaw in security.
- G. Seroka inquired about solar energy for the school.
- E. Brown asked who the companies were that had inquired about the Otego School.
- L. Fancher inquired about the safety of our children. Dr. Richards responded and briefly reviewed the discussion from the last Board meeting.

### Round Table Discussion

- R. Downey discussed RFP advertising.
- J. McDermott noted that two speed signs in Unadilla had been damaged.

Motion by Downey, seconded by O'Hara, to go into Executive Session to discuss the medical, financial, credit or employment history of a particular person or corporation, or matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal or removal of a particular person or corporation at 8:18 p.m. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.

Executive Session

Joan M. French District Clerk

Executive Session: 8:20 p.m. – room 93.