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The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Palestine Community Unit School District #3 was held at Palestine High School, 102 N. Main St., Palestine, Illinois on Monday, March 18, 2024. The meeting was called to order by Board President Susan Hawkins at 6:01 p.m.

Secretary Erin Reinbold called the roll with the following members answering present: Corie Biggs, Lori Elder, Susan Hawkins, Damien Tingley, Tara Vennard & Donald Wagoner. Absent: Tyler Inboden. Administration present was Jessica Sisil and Caleb Will. Others present were as per the attached sign in sheet which hereby become a part of these minutes.

It was moved by Corie Biggs and seconded by Don Wagoner to approve the agenda. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Lori Elder and seconded by Corie Biggs to approve the consent agenda. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard, and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Corie Biggs and seconded by Tara Vennard to approve the renewal of the IHSA and IESA Memberships for fiscal year 2024. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard, and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Don Wagoner and seconded by Lori Elder to accept the firm price fuel bid from Wabash Valley Service Company as presented. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Corie Biggs and seconded by Tara Vennard to accept the trash bid from Republic Services as presented. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Damien Tingley and seconded by Corie Biggs to accept the resignation of Jacob Fuller as High School Head Football Coach and post the position. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Corie Biggs and seconded by Damien Tingley to approve to let bids for buses 9 and 59. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard, and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

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It was moved by Lori Elder and seconded by Corie Biggs to accept the High School Maintenance Grant Project bid from Senco Construction. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Damien Tingley and seconded by Tara Vennard to employ Megan Brooks as the Elementary Education Teacher. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard, and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Corie Biggs and seconded by Tara Vennard to adjourn the meeting at 6:54p.m. Roll call voting on the motion was as follows: Aye: Biggs, Elder, Hawkins, Tingley, Vennard, and Wagoner. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Susan Hawkins, President
Erin Reinbold, Secretary