Morton School District #214
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
September 18, 2017

CALL TO ORDER:

Mr. Josh Austin called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm, board members present are Mr. Warren Dunlap, Mr. Chase Buffington and Mr. Josh Austin. Absent and Excused from the meeting are Ms. Pat Saldaña and Mrs. Betty Hutchison.

The flag salute was given.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA:

Mr. Chase Buffington made motion to adopt the agenda, Mr. Warren Dunlap seconded. The motion carried with all in favor. The vote carried 3-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Ms. Amanda West thanked the board for their service and is here to represent the MEA. She is here to discuss teacher training or professional development. This is ongoing education. The teachers attend trainings all year long, usually on their own time. Sometimes their trainings are Wednesdays, sometimes planned by the district, other times in their PLCs. These are only 75 minutes long once a week. The most valuable training is immediately available, useful and thorough. When the calendar was agreed upon by the District the teacher inservice day in October was added back into the calendar. When we agreed to this we thought this would be ideal for an optional training from the District on AVID. In the conversations, the teachers invisioned a work session with the teachers who attended the AVID training in Colorado. While teachers are attending training around the state and teachers were told they would be able to work in their classrooms on this day. Thank you.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Mr. Chase Buffington made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Mr. Warren Dunlap seconded and the vote carried with all in favor. The vote carried 3-0.

Mr. Josh Austin asked if there were any perspective coaches for the two track positions, Mr. Hannah, not at this time. Mr. Josh Austin asked if Mr. Elee Fairhart was a new thing. Mr. Hannah stated no, we just need to approve him.

Consent Agenda Items:

- Approve Board Minutes
  - August 21, 2017
- Approve Vouchers
  - Payroll—August 2017

Respectfully Submitted,

Board Chairman

Attest: Board Secretary

Board Member

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