



Craig City School District

P.O. Box 800, Craig, Alaska 99921
www.craigschools.com
Phone (907) 826.3274
FAX (907) 826.3322

Chris Reitan, Superintendent
Jackie Hanson, Elem./MS Principal
Betty Hall, HS Principal
Mollie Harings, PACE Principal

CCSD SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Wednesday
8/25/2021

High School Auditorium
School Board Meeting 7:00 PM

<https://craigschools.zoom.us/j/7289917333?pwd=WkNaWGd4S1lPV0JlWEJlTmx3VXd0Zz09>

Zoom URL

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

2. Flag Salute

A salute was given to the flag.

3. Roll Call

In Person:

BOARD MEMBERS STAFF OTHERS

Scott Brookshire	Chris Reitan	Julie McDonald
Marla Dillman	Kerin Crews	John Priddy
Joel Steenstra	Cindy Bennett	Jessica Priddy
Tristan Douville	Melinda Bass	Isabelle Priddy
Daniel Nelson	Betty Hall	Katie Agnitch
	Zach Scheidecker	Kacie Agnitch

Joined by ZOOM:

BOARD MEMBERS STAFF OTHERS

Melissa Smith	Alison Taylor	Mike Nelson
Courtney Wood	Dawn Sheets	Troy Thain
Deanna Claus	Juliet Stonecipher	Shelby Beck
Grace Beckman	Kristi Kuhnert	Christina Woodward
Myla Horner	Trish Conaster	Stacia Schwanke
Karen Packer	Haleigh (no last name)	Tim Bloodgood
Mollie Harings	Rachel Balcom	Jackie Hanson
Julie Yates	Howie Daggs	
Sandra Marker	Hollis Yenna	
Amanda Vickers	Kristine Cervera	

4. Agenda Approval

M/S: Nelson/Steenstra Motion to approve the agenda as presented.

Scott Brookshire: We have a motion to approve the agenda as presented.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous

5. Consent Agenda (Includes all items with ~)

a. ~Approval of Minutes from June 23, 2021

b. ~Approval of Payments

c. ~Correspondence

M/S: Nelson/Steenstra Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Scott Brookshire: We have a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous

6. Public Comments

Katie Agnitch - She has three students in the district. Opposed to masks. Thanked the district for their service.

Mike Sheets - He is against mask mandates.

Julie McDonald - Found plan encouraging. 2 weeks to flatten the curve has turned into years. Children with IEP are suffering. Distance learning a failure. Her child thrives in person. One size fits all doesn't work. No judging and mandating. No right answers.

Juliet Stonecipher - Agreed with Julie McDonald's comments.

Trish Conaster - Students benefit from in person learning. CDC language used. In person school a need. Should not exclude students from in person learning.

Deanna Claus - She is for the mask mandate. Is for in person learning.

Melissa Smith - Against masks. Little children cannot organize their masks.

7. Reports

a. Board Members

Scott Brookshire - Two items 1. The books in front of the board. Reason was for own education. We may come up against this as a board. 2. Speaks about a conversation with Peace Health. Dr. Sealander stated it was business as usual. Sealander did not support masks for children. Masking kids does more harm than good.

Tristan Douville - Excited to meet Betty Hall and because there are so many activities happening. Also, would like to see us in person as much as possible.

b. Principals

Jackie Hanson- Excited to have kids in school. On the 31st we are looking at having 1st grade meet and greet. Also, a 6th grade and new student and step-up day. Also, Kindergarten will not have delayed start.

Betty Hall- Sneak peek Monday will be an ice cream social.

Mollie Harings- Updated enrollment numbers in PACE - 447 students

c. Maintenance Director

Zach Scheidecker - Daniel Nelson commends Zach on the High School appearance.

d. Superintendent

Chris Reitan - Commented on Julie Yates new staff orientation. Wonderful job. Thanked staff that attended. FY21 audit - expecting final report before November board meeting. He adds he is traveling until Sept 1.

8. Old Business

a. CCSD Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, and Exhibits Updates

M/S: Steenstra/Nelson Motion to approve the CCSD Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, and Exhibits Updates as a second and final reading.

Scott Brookshire: We have a motion to approve the CCSD Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, and Exhibits Updates as a second and final reading.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous

b. CCSD ARPA 2021-2022 Mitigation and Prevention Plan

M/S: Steenstra/Nelson

Scott Brookshire: We have a motion to approve CCSD ARPA 2021-2022 Mitigation and Prevention Plan.

Discussion :

Chris Reitan: This plan has already been board approved in June as a first draft. Board to consider page 8. Recommendation of removing and replacing the language regarding quarantine timing. Not allowed back on grounds until released from public health. Suggests removing old language related to the travel policies that were in place last spring. Alaska has removed the state mandated testing after travel. If we move forward and the board doesn't do anything as presented, those changes would take place based on the motion. There was no consensus about mask wearing. A solid split amongst the committee about masking. Option 1 is the CDC guidelines for masking. Option 2 is to honor parent choice. If neither option is chosen, then masks wearing would continue same as last year.

Scott Brookshire – Let's ignore option 1 and 2 for now and discuss main body of document.

Daniel Nelson - Doesn't think option 1 or 2 are fitting options. Doesn't like either option. Doesn't like wording.

Tristan Douville - States we have a policy that states we prevent unsafe work environments.

Chris Reitan - States doctor documents would be needed in that policy. Chris Reitan noted on option 2 bullet 1 - public health cannot do more that recommend.

Scott Brookshire - Motion to amend to change option 2 to read:

In consultation with state and local public health representatives, CCSD strongly recommends that students, staff, and all school visitors follow the CDC guidance of universal indoor masking in all school facilities during school hours. However, CCSD also recognizes individual Employees have the right of "mask choice." Parent(s)/guardian(s) also have the right of "mask choice" as it pertains to their children while in school. CCSD will encourage staff, students, and all school visitors follow the suggested CDC guidelines, but will respect individual rights and decisions regarding "mask choice." Once a parent, guardian, or student has expressed or demonstrated a preference concerning masking, CCSD employees are to refrain from attempts to change the student's choice.

Mask Choice does not apply in the following circumstances:

- Mandated mask wearing as recommended by Public Health Representatives.
- CCSD mitigation plans for athletics or special events/activities requiring mask wearing.

To allow for transparency, CCSD highly recommends “mask choice” be carefully considered given the current Public Health “Close Contact Tracing Process” as detailed on page 7-8 of the CCSD ARPA Mitigation and Prevention Plan

Motion seconded by Daniel Nelson.

A deeper discussion ensues amongst board.

Amendment carries on a 3 to 2 vote.

Original motion: Voting for approval of CCSD ARPA 2021-2022 Mitigation and Prevention Plan as amended. Motion carries on a 3 to 2 vote.

VOICE VOTE: 3 for 2 against.

MOTION CARRIES: 3 to 2 vote.

9. New Business

a. Personnel Report

M/S: Steenstra/Nelson

Scott Brookshire: Motion to approve the personnel report as presented.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous.

b. CCSD Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, and Exhibits Updates

M/S: Steenstra/Nelson

Scott Brookshire: Motion to approve the CCSD Board Policy, Administrative Regulations, and Exhibits Updates as a first reading.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor.

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous.

c. FY 23 CIP Six-Year Plan M/S: Nelson/Steenstra

Chris Reitan- If approved needs to be signed tonight.

Scott Brookshire: Motion to approve the FY 23 CIP Six-Year Plan as presented.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor.

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous.

d. FY 2021 Fund Transfer

M/S Nelson/Steenstra

We have a motion to approve transfer of \$16,852.32 from the general fund to pupil transportation for FY2021.

Chris Reitan- This is recommendation from auditors.

Roll call. All in favor. Motion carries.

e. CCSD Board Continuing Education Scholarship Chris - informational item. Holly Brand was awarded \$500 scholarship.

f. Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be September 22, 2021.

g. Adjournment M/S: Nelson/Steenstra

We have a motion to adjourn.

VOICE VOTE: All in favor.

MOTION CARRIES: Unanimous.