REGULAR MONTHLY

**Perry Community School District** 

BOARD MEETING BUDGET HEARING Regular Monthly Board Meeting, Budget Hearing, Monday, April 7, 2014

APRIL 7, 2014

The regular monthly board meeting of the Perry Community School District Board of Directors was held in the High School Brady Library on Monday, April 7,

2014 at 6:30 p.m.

**BOARD MEMBERS** 

Roll call present by Board Secretary Bultman:

PRESENT ABSENT:

Dan Wilhelmi, President Kyle Baxter, Director

Jim Lutmer, Vice-President Kenia Alarcon, Director Marjean Gries, Director

ADMINISTRATION

**PRESENT** 

M. Lynn Ubben, Superintendent Kent E. Bultman, Board Secretary

MISSION

**VISITORS** 

Director Alarcon read the Mission Statement of the Perry Community

School District.

**STATEMENT** 

President Wilhelmi recognized and welcomed visitors to the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Lutmer, seconded by Alarcon it was RESOLVED:

To approve the Consent Agenda with revisions as follows:

- 1. Regular Agenda
- 2. Meeting Minutes:
  - a. March 12, 2014 Regular Monthly Board Meeting
  - b. March 26, 2014 Board Work Session
- 3. Payment of Bills and Transfers
  - a. General Fund \$299,387.16
  - b. Activity Fund \$27,473.57
  - c. Capital Projects Fund \$4,303.00
  - d. PPEL Fund \$13,099.12
  - e. School Nutrition Fund \$48,772.71
  - f. Internal Service Fund \$131,959.03
  - g. Activity Foundation Fund \$6.00
  - h. Agency Fund \$13,168.57
- 4. March 2014 Preliminary Financial Reports

Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi

Nay:

**PUBLIC HEARING FY15 BUDGET** 

Superintendent Ubben presented the proposed 2014/2015 budget. The budget was presented with a 4% Allowable Growth. The tax rate would be set at

\$18.02, which is \$.80 lower than the current tax rate of \$18.82.

There were no public comments by any resident or taxpayer to present objections to, or arguments in favor of, any part of the proposed fiscal year

2015 budget.

**FY15 BUDGET** Motion by Alarcon, seconded by Gries it was RESOLVED:

To approve the 2014/2015 Proposed Budget as presented.

Aye: Alarcon, Lutmer, Powell, Wilhelmi

Nay:

PROM COMMITTEE Representatives from the Junior Class shared plans on this year's Prom. There

was a consensus among board members to give the Junior Class \$500 to help

with Prom expenses.

**HS PRINCIPAL** Principal Dan Marburger shared successes at the high school and plans to

support struggling students in the coming school year.

**ELEMENTARY** 

**PRINCIPALS** 

Principal Miller and Assistant Principal Martin reviewed the SINA Plan and

discussed ideas/opportunities for our elementary students.

**COMMENDATIONS** Claire Marburger was named Sports Spotlight Class 4A All-State 1st Team, Sports

Spotlight Class 4A Player of the Year, 1st Team DM Register Class 4A All-State.

Claire Marburger received the title  $1^{\text{st}}$  Team and Maggie Lowe received  $3^{\text{rd}}$  Team

in the INA 4A All-State.

IGCA Class 4A All-State students are Claire Marburger-1<sup>st</sup> Team, and Maggie

Lowe-3<sup>rd</sup> Team.

IGCA Class 4A Central All-District students are Claire Marburger and Maggie

Lowe.

The RRC Wrestling Academic All-Conference (3.25 GPA/Higher, Letter winner

Grades 10-12) students are Seth Stetzel, Htwar Reh, Kade VanKirk, Cindy Mejia,

Sabrina Nicolaisen, and Maddie Iben.

The Academic (Dance) (3.25 GPA/Higher, Letter winner Grades 10-12) students

are Lindsey Kunch and Caitlyn Sheehy.

PHS Pulse Dance Team members Lindsey Kunch, Dana McAtee, and Caitlyn Sheehy, were chosen for the 260 member All IA Honor Dance Squad. They

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performed at the Iowa Girls' State Basketball Tournament. The game was televised on IPTV. Lindsey and Dana are 2-time honorees and Caitlyn is a 1<sup>st</sup> time member of the squad. Congratulations girls!

The RRC Basketball Academic All-Conference (3.25 GPA/Higher, Letter winner Grades 10-12) students are Erica Tenold, Amy Marckres, Claire Marburger, Maggie Lowe, Victoria Hegstrom, Madeline Jans, Haileigh Kenyon, Alison Tobar, Cavan Finn, Michael Pentico, Zach Roberts, Will Whiton, Nick Wilhelmi, Alex Long, Mary Wilhelmi, Maggie Meier, and Cheyenne Hoffman.

Thank you to the Glenn Theulen Family for a memorial donation to the PHS athletic program. Coach Theulen was a former Bluejay, Mayor of Perry, Korean War veteran, WW II veteran and a member of the Perry Booster Club Hall of Fame, the Buena Vista University Hall of Fame, and the Keene State College Hall of Fame.

Thank you to Roberts-Smiley Insurance (Brett & Trish Roberts) for sponsorship of our boys' basketball home games by donating \$5 for each Bluejay three point basket.

State individual speech contest was held at Glenwood High School Saturday, March 15, 2014. Gabi Huntington performed in storytelling and solo musical theater. Gabi earned a 2 in solo musical theater and a 1 in storytelling. Samantha Sweet performed in public address and storytelling. Samantha earned a 1 in both categories. Samantha was selected to perform at the All State Speech Festival in storytelling. ALL STATE was March 31st at UNI. Sierra Coleman performed in individual improvisation and acting in Glenwood. Sierra earned 1s in both categories. Kelly Wilhemi performed in spontaneous speaking and individual improvisation. Kelly earned 2s in both categories. Rebecca Dobson performed in acting and earned a 2. Kat Leesley performed in acting and earned a 1. Maryha Rosas Kirkman performed in radio news announcing. She earned a 2. Andy Wolter performed in prose and earned a 2. Taylor Weiland performed in poetry and earned a 1. Sarah Sweet performed in storytelling and earned a 1. Rose DeLauter performed in expository address and earned a 2. Christian Loaiza performed in solo musical theater and earned a 1. Great job, PHS Speech Team and coaches Bollhoefer & Petersen!

Friday March 7<sup>th</sup> Perry hosted a local TSA competition.

(High School) Devin Patrick earned a 1<sup>st</sup> Place in Flight Endurance. The Problem Solving team of Devin Patrick and Tyler Soll got 1<sup>st</sup> Place. The Tech Bowl team of Jason Krueger, Ernesto Fuentes, and Noah Brandt won. The RC Car team of Riley Olsen, Dalton Timmons, and Joe Olvera got 3<sup>rd</sup> Place and the team of Ryley Anderson, Chris Rothfus, and Connor Sackett won the competition.

(Middle School) Students performed extremely well. The Problem Solving team of Daniel Brinton and Austin Soll got 1<sup>st</sup> Place. In the Promotional Design contest Sadee Whitfield got 2<sup>nd</sup> and TJ Sheehy got 1<sup>st</sup> Place. Emilio Gonzalez got 1<sup>st</sup> in Flight and 2<sup>nd</sup> in CO2 Dragster. The Quiz Bowl team of Bryan Catalan, German Alvarenga, and Justin Stammer got 2<sup>nd</sup> Place to the team of Connor Nielson, Emilio Gonzalez, and Brandon Ruiz who won. Congratulations to all the students for a job well done.

Congratulations to the PHS Mock Trial Team! The PHS Mock Trial team competed in the Iowa Bar Association Central Regional Mock Trial Contest in Des Moines. Mock Trial competitions are judged by actual judges, attorneys, and law students. Students are rated based on their ability to accurately and credibly portray witnesses and attorneys. Our team finished with a 1-1 record. As the Defense, the team competed against WDM Valley. Judges praised our students for their poise, professionalism, and preparation. As the Prosecution, the team was declared the winner against Norwalk. The Perry team finished 19th in the regional contest among the 32 teams competing with the top 16 teams advancing to the regional final. Schools in the central region included ADM (2), DC-G (1), Dowling Catholic (2), DM East (3), Indianola (1), Johnston (9), Norwalk (2), Perry (1), Saydel (1), Urbandale (3), Valley (3), Valley Southwoods (1), Waukee (3). Samantha Sweet and Cameron Martinez received special citations by the regional judges. Team members are Attorneys - Alicia Calderon, Samantha Sweet, Tiffany Hull, Ernesto Fuentes, and Sarah Sweet and Witnesses are Katrina Leesley, Samantha Sweet, Tiffani Tapia, Cameron Martinez, Zach Roberts, and Heaven Van Dorn. Thank you to Mr. Mark Powell (Attorney-Advisor), Mr. Eddie Diaz, Ms. Sidney Meier-Clark, and Mr. Tom Lipovac.

**IEA AGREEMENT** 

Motion by Alarcon, seconded by Lutmer it was RESOLVED:

To approve the Cooperative Food Purchasing Agreement with the Iowa Association for Educational Purchasing for 2014/2015.

Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi

Nay:

**PERSONNEL** 

Motion by Gries, seconded by Alarcon it was RESOLVED:

To approve Transfers and Resignations as presented.

**Transfers** 

Jenn Nelson Transfer from Elementary Music Teacher to MS/HS

Vocal Music Teacher

Jennifer Nicholson Transfer from 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade to Elementary Title I Reading

	Christine Faas Elementary Music Teacher  Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi  Nay:
FY15 ISEBA	Motion by Lutmer, seconded by Gries it was RESOLVED:  To approve the FY15 Health and Dental Insurance Plan and rates through ISEBA.  Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi  Nay:
BOARD POLICY REVISIONS	Motion by Alarcon, seconded by Lutmer it was RESOLVED: To approve revisions to Board Policies 803.1, 803.2, 102, 603.4, 711.2R2 as presented. Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi Nay:
Y15 PEA CONTRACT	Motion by Alarcon, seconded by Gries it was RESOLVED:  To approve the Master Contract Agreement for 2014/2015 with the Perry Education Association with a \$750 increase on the Regular Salary Schedule base and step movement at a cost of \$436,364.00, which is a 4.50% total package increase.  Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi Nay:
ADJOURNMENT	Motion by Gries, seconded by Lutmer it was RESOLVED: To adjourn the regular meeting at 7:40 p.m. Aye: Alarcon, Gries, Lutmer, Wilhelmi Nay:
	PERRY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
ATTEST:	Dan Wilhelmi, President

Resignations

Kent E. Bultman, Board Secretary