

Highland Community Schools  
Board of Directors Work Session  
Monday – March 25, 2019  
5:30 p.m. – Highland Board Room

The work session was called to order at 5:38 p.m. by President Nate Robinson.

All board members were present.

President Nate Robinson apologized to Director Schneider concerning a matter from last week.

Joe Tursi from OPN Architects and Luke Newton from MMS Consultants along with Dr Mike Jorgensen and building committee members Jared Schaack, Dan Ruth and Tim Ruth discussed the upcoming bond issue. Newton went over the drawings and layout of the playground and Tursi discussed the storage room addition, locker room renovation and high school/middle school HVAC upgrades. The possibility of new windows in the high school was also discussed. A preliminary budget of 3.2 million was presented with the final numbers to be given at the board meeting on April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Mr Crawford showed the upgrade to the school website so far including the school Twitter and Facebook pages embedded on the front page. The plan is to add the school calendar showing all events on to the front page as well.

Bright Arrow parameters were discussed. Megan Allen stated she would still like to have email be the formal communication for the District. This will be discussed further at the next SIAC meeting on April 9<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs Hazelett and Mrs O’Leary discussed the upcoming ISASP testing. The high school/middle school will test Wednesday, Thursday, Friday this week and Monday next week and the elementary 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade will test Wednesday (5<sup>th</sup> only), Thursday this week and Monday, Tuesday next week.

O’Leary stated there is a kindergarten and 5<sup>th</sup> grade concert tomorrow night. Additional principal reports will be given at the regular board meeting on April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Golden made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Longbine. Motion carried 7-0.

The work session adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

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PRESIDENT, NATE ROBINSON

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