

Coplin Plantation Board of Education Meeting Agenda

May 9, 2024

Coplin Municipal Building

6:00 pm

Dr. Timothy Kane, Superintendent of Schools - coplinsupt@tds.net

1. Call to Order

At 6:00 PM

Present:

Linda Lowell-Chair

Bonnie Farrar-Vice Chair

Belinda Norton-School Board Member

Dr. Timothy Kane-Superintendent

Sam Hudspath-Finance Director

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Adjustments to the Agenda

None

4. Correspondence

None

5. Approval of School Board Minutes, Dated, 4/4/24

[April 4, 2024 School Board Meeting Minutes](#)

"I Motion we approve the April 4, 2024 School Board Minutes, as written and Read"

Motion-Belinda Norton

Second-Bonnie Farrar

All in favor, 3-0

6. Superintendent's Report

Dr. Kane reported no updates at this time.

Ms. Lowell advised she had spoken with a parent of a student that lives in Coplin Plantation but attends school in Rangeley. They were advised that they need to check in with the Town Office for a Superintendents agreement to attend Rangeley. We still have not heard from them. Dr Kane has email documentation with the Rangeley Superintendent, as she is aware.

Ms. Lowell also spoke with another parent to advise of the same, but may be living in Coplin Plantation. We will continue to review the two student residences.

7. Finance Director Reports

M. Hudspath reminded the Board that they signed warrant #11 today. He also advised the Board they have the CVA warrant to sign. He stated that they are fully paid for our 2 seniors. The elementary and Special Services should be coming sometime in June. September-February, we spent \$2200 for Special Ed Services.

8. Old Business

None

9. New Business

A. Continued Budget Discussion FY25

MSBA up \$8, \$172 to \$180

MSSA up \$25, \$325 to \$350

Dues, stay at \$650

Audit increase to \$3800

Super Salary-up \$50/month

Finance-up to \$3300/salary

School Board-stays the same

FICA increase to \$1500

System Admin=\$17,950 -

Tuition LEA

Basing on 23-24, Elementary, \$16,521.73 (Elementary) 6 students + 2

\$132,173.84 total

Basing on 23-24, Secondary, \$10,434.04 (MSAD #58) 1 + 1

\$20,868.08

Reg Inst=\$153,041.92

SPED=\$10,000/from unassigned account

Transportation=\$10,000/appropriate \$5600 from Bus Reserve

Sys Admin + Reg Inst + \$10 K SPED, + \$10K Transportation = \$173,041.92

Local Contribution must be, \$106,669

Raise=\$173,041.92 - \$15,600 (Trans + SPED)

Raise \$157,441.92 - \$6954.15 = \$150,487.77

Subsidy=\$6954.15

10. Other

Next Meeting: June 11, 2024 - 6:00 PM/Google Meet

June 24, 2024, School Budget/Town Meeting - Is presently
scheduled to take place at 6:00 pm at the Town Office. Linda will
speak with Joanne Bean, our Town Clerk about location.

11. Executive Session

None

12. Adjournment

At 7:12 PM

Motion-Bonnie Farrar

Second-Belinda Norton

All in favor, 3-0

Linda Lowell-School Board Chair Date

Bonnie Farrar-School Board Vice Chair Date

Belinda Norton-School Board Member Date