

Board Work Session

Minutes March 2, 2022

WESTERN WAYNE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
1970C Easton Turnpike
LAKE ARIEL, PA 18436

The Work Session of the Western Wayne Board of Education was held on March 2, 2022 at 6:00 pm at the Western Wayne Administration Building located at 1970C Easton Turnpike, Lake Ariel, PA 18436 in preparation for the Board Meeting, which immediately followed the work session.

The meeting was advertised in the legal section of the February 19, 2022 edition of the Tri-County Independent.

Board Members present are as follows:

Board President – Rick Hoch	Board Member – William Gershey
Board Vice President – Dana DeSiato	Board Member – Joseph Gombita
Board Treasurer - Jeffrey Gogolski	Board Member – Michael Ochlan
Board Member – James Collins	Board Member – Ethan Wood
Board Member – Gary Enslin	

Attorney Brendan Ellis was present.

Administrators Present: Superintendent Dr. Matthew Barrett, Assistant to Superintendent Cindy LaRosa, and Business Manager/Board Secretary Rose Emmett.

Dr. Barrett reviewed the agenda for the upcoming February Board Meeting.

Mr. Enslin asked who represents us on real estate appeals? Should the District have representation at appeals, at least the high dollar appeals? Dr. Barrett stated we defer to the County for decisions on appeals. They have the assessment expertise on staff, but we can look into this further.

Miss Emmett asked the Board of Education if April 20th at 6:00 PM was a good date and time for them to hold the Budget Narrative Meeting. We will advertise the meeting date and time.

It was noted that Miss Emmett will look into the best time to advertise for the fuel oil bid in light of the recent spike in cost. We may wait a month or so and see how things are then.

The Work Session concluded at approximately 6:13 PM. At this time the Board of Education moved into the public meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rose E. Emmett".

Rose E. Emmett
Board Secretary

ATTEST: _____

APPROVED: _____