Iowa Valley CSD Board of Directors Minutes of Meeting October 26, 2015

The Iowa Valley Community School Board of Directors held their regular meeting at 5:30 pm on October 26, 2015, in Room C-11 of the High School Building.

Present were Pres. Dale Slaymaker, Directors Brad Patterson, Mark Swift, Barry Goettsch, and Jay Hall. Principals Cindy Miller and Shawn Kreman, Supt. Donita Joens, and Board Secretary Janet Grafft. Also in attendance: Ray Cooling, Cody Snitker, Chuck Kyte, Dan Sovers, John Bowlin, Travis Schlabach, Jim Krakow, and Mark Loffer.

Pres. Slaymaker welcomed the visitors. Travis Schlabach spoke during open forum regarding his property to the west of the high school and about the new elementary gym.

Motion by Swift, seconded by Patterson to approve the agenda as presented. All Ayes.

Motion by Swift, seconded by Patterson to approve the consent agenda items: minutes, financial statements, and bills for payment as presented. All Ayes.

The coaching staff presented information regarding eight man football. A special meeting will be held on Monday, November 9^{th} at 7 pm to discuss the football program.

Motioned by Swift, seconded by Hall to approve extending the early retirement plan for the 2015-16 school year. All Ayes.

Supt. Joens presented information regarding the elementary building project. A special meeting will be held on Monday, November 9^{th} at 5 pm to learn more about the project.

Administrative Reports: Prin. Miller reported that last week was red ribbon week with the Rotary providing snow cones for the students. The students will be visiting the hospital and nursing home in their Halloween costumes this week. Iowa assessments are being taken, parent-teacher conferences are second week of November, the backpack program is very successful, and the 6th graders are participating in the Veteran's Day program at the high school. Prin. Kreman reviewed MAP testing has taken place, junior high dance is next week, professional development for staff was shared with EV on Oct 19th, service learning was last week, and an IS3 goal of increasing family engagement was set. Supt. Joens reported the bus inspection will be held on Nov 2, technology committee will be meeting Nov 9th, and CAKE partners are being set for the district. She reviewed K-6 grade enrollment numbers and operational sharing in SICL.

Agenda items for November to include: building project and football decision, and school safety.

Motion by Swift, seconded by Patterson to adjourn the meeting at 7:53 pm. All Ayes

ATTEST:

Secretary, Board of Directors

President, Board of Directors