## North Warren Central School District Special Meeting of the Board of Education North Warren Central School August 16, 2021

Mr. Maday called the meeting to order at 6:04 PM, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

School Board Members Present: Buckman, Erickson, Hill, LaGuerre, Maday, Swan.

School Board Members Absent: Freebern

Also Present: Michele G. French, Superintendent; Judith G. McAvey, District Clerk; Christopher Lail, Business Official; Caleb Martin, 7-12 Principal.

Motion by Mr. Erickson seconded by Mrs. Hill to approve the agenda changes. Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. French shared the Stay Open Plan for North Warren for Fall 2021. Masks were discussed, HHHN and Warren County DOH want masks to be worn inside by everyone Michele's plan is masks = movement but it will be a fluid and flexible plan. All students are expected to attend in-class every day, if placed in quarantine the teachers will get work to them. Masks are required at all times on transportation and seats will be assigned. The plan will be online for everyone to review.

Mr. Buckman was about Zoom in classrooms if students are quarantined. Mrs. French reports that she met with teachers last year and they wanted 1:1 instruction. Mr. Buckman felt the quarantined students got less for education. Mrs. Kelly reports that many elementary principals had moved away from Chromebooks to teach as it was not good for students to be in front of the computer all day.

Mrs. French reports the hours will be the same as pre-COVID. Mr. Martin reports the 7-12 teachers will have "office hours" this year to be able to meet with students.

Mrs. French reports the county has put in for a grant to get testing machines in each school. Return to school after an illness was discussed. She reports it is her duty to keep people safe.

Mrs. Swan asked when the masks will come off. Mask discussion followed. Some folks are for masks some are against.

Mrs. French reports are Q & A will be held on Thursday regarding the Plan.

Stay Open Plan Approved Motion by Mr. Erickson, seconded by Mrs. LaGuerre to approve the following: RESOLVED that upon recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education accepts and supports the Stay Open Plan and authorizes the Superintendent to update and maintain the plan as circumstances change during the 2021-2022 school year.

Voting Yes: Hill, LaGuerre, Maday Voting No: Swan, Buckman Motion carried.

Motion by Mrs. Swan, seconded by Mr. Erickson to accept the resignation of Tammy Frasier as Food Service Worker effective August 16, 2021, with regret.

Motion carried unanimously.

Next Board meeting is August 30, 2021 at 4:00 PM.

Motion by Mrs. Hill, seconded by Mrs. LaGuerre to adjourn at 7:26 PM. Motion carried unanimously.

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