



**Minutes of a Closed Meeting of
The Board of Education of Oswego Community
Unit School District 308, Kendall, Kane and Will Counties, Illinois
Oswego East High School – Community Room**

September 26, 2022

2. Closed Session

- 2.1 Enter Closed Session under statute(s): 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1) The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance or dismissal of certain employees and individuals; 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(2) Collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees.

The Board of Education entered closed session at 6:18 p.m.

Members present (at roll call):

Dominick Cirone, Eugene Gatewood, Jennifer Johnson,
Jared Ploger, LaTonya Simelton, Alison Swanson

Member(s) absent (at roll call):

Lauri Doyle

Administration Present:

Superintendent, Dr. John Sparlin
Associate Superintendent, Faith Dahlquist
Assistant Superintendent, Dr. Heather Kincaid
Assistant Superintendent, Dr. John Petzke
Executive Director for HR, Kenneth Miller

Others Present:

Attorney Maureen Lemon, Ottosen DiNolfo Hasenbalg and Castaldo, Ltd.

Recording Secretary:

Ursula Studer

Minutes

Personnel Report – Ms. Johnson inquired regarding the status of Mr. Allison’s replacement. Dr. Petzke shared that all applications have been reviewed and interviews will be taking place this week.

OTA Negotiations Update – Mr. Miller reported that the meeting took place with the services of a mediator. The OTA presented seven different counter proposals and the district presented three. Mr. Miller shared that it was an opportunity for the mediator to become more familiar with the two sides and to get a sense of the general tone. There were no agreements reached during that session.

The mediator will be able to get up to speed within the next 1-2 sessions and the next session is scheduled for October 13th. Ms. Lemon shared that there currently still are 70 items outstanding.

All proposals and the current contract have been provided to the mediator to review before the next scheduled session.

2.2 Return to Open Session

A motion was made by Ms. Jennifer Johnson, second by Mr. Eugene Gatewood, to return to open session

Final Resolution: Motion Carried 6-0

Aye: Mr. Dominick Cirone, Ms. Lauri Doyle, Ms. Jennifer Johnson,
Mr. Jared Ploger, Ms. LaTonya Simelton, Ms. Alison Swanson

The Board of Education returned to open session at 6:34 p.m.

President

Attest: _____
Secretary