## PRAIRIE SOUTH SCHOOL DIVISION NO. 210

## ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Date: September 8, 2015 **Location: Central Office, Moose Jaw** 

## **MINUTES**

Mr. R. Bachmann; Mr. D. Crabbe; Dr. S. Davidson; Mr. R. Gleim; Mr. A. Attendance:

Kessler; Mr. T. McLeod; Mr. J. Radwanski; Mr. B. Swanson; Mrs. G. Wilson; Mr. L. Young; T. Baldwin, Director of Education; B. Girardin, Superintendent

of Business and Operations; H. Boese, Executive Assistant

- 1. Mr. Baldwin, Director of Education took the chair and called the meeting to order at 11:32 a.m.
- 2. Mr. Baldwin called for nominations for Board Chair.
- 3. Mr. Swanson nominated Dr. Davidson as Board Chair.
- 4. Mr. Swanson moved that nominations for Board Chair cease.
- 5. Mr. Baldwin declared Dr. Davidson acclaimed as Board Chair.
- 6. Dr. Davidson took the Chair and called for nominations for Vice-Chair.
- 7. Mr. Swanson nominated Mr. McLeod as Vice-Chair.
- 8. Mr. Swanson moved that nominations for Vice-Chair cease.
- 9. Dr. Davidson declared Mr. McLeod as elected Board Vice-Chair.

## Motions:

09/08/15 - 2409That for the 2015/16 fiscal year, the Board maintain the current

rates for trustees' remuneration for attendance at Board

Meetings and performance of all duties and activities within the

School Division as follows, payable monthly:

Member: \$1,325 per month • Vice Chair: \$1,399 per month

• Chair: \$1,472 per month

- Bachmann

09/08/15 - 2410That for the 2015/16 fiscal year, the Board remunerate trustees

for attendance at out-of-division functions, meetings and other

activities at the following rates:

• Member: \$200.00 per day Vice Chair: \$225.00 per day • Chair: \$250.00 per day

- Young

09/08/15 - 2411That for the 2015/16 fiscal year, trustees' remuneration for travel

time be set at \$0.20 per kilometer.

- Gleim

Carried

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Carried

09/08/15 - 2412

That during the 2015/16 fiscal year, any Board Member may miss one Regular Board Meeting without adjustment to remuneration and that only missed Board Meetings in excess of one would result in a reduction to remuneration at a rate of \$300 per full day missed meeting or \$150 per half day missed meeting.

Carried

09/08/15 - 2413

That the annual allowance for trustee professional development for the 2015/16 fiscal year be set at \$35,000 in total for all trustees with the board determining professional development priorites. Professional development mileage and travel costs for out of division travel will be calculated on the assumption that everyone leaves from Moose Jaw or nearer.

Carried

- Wilson

- Gleim

06/08/15 - 2414

That we amend motion 09/08/15 - 2413 to include "and that each trustee be compensated for all expenses to attend the Saskatchewan School Boards Association's Annual General Meeting."

Amendment Defeated

- Young

09/08/15 - 2415

Whereas pursuant to Section 319 of the *Education Act*, 1995, Chapter E-0.2 of the *Statutes of Saskatchewan*, 1995, the Board of Education of a School Division may by resolution authorize its Chairman and Chief Financial Officer to borrow:

Carried

- a) any sum of money that may be required to meet current expenditures of the board and may be secured by the promissory note or notes of the Chairman and Chief Financial Officer given on behalf of the Board;
- b) on the security of the operating grants and capital grants payable to the division pursuant to Section 310 and 311 of the Act any sum of money that the board considers necessary to provide for its current expenditures.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Prairie South School Division No. 210 of Saskatchewan, (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") as follows:

1. That the Board or Chairman and Chief Financial Officer on behalf of the Board are hereby authorized to borrow from institutions approved under the laws of Canada, up to the sum of \$15,000,000.00 to meet the expenditures of the said School Division until the proceeds of operating grants or any capital grants payable to the said School Division are available and to pay or agree to pay interest on the monies borrowed either in advance or at maturity, at such rates as may be agreed upon at the time of borrowing.

- 2. The said sum of \$15,000,000.00 and interest shall be repayable and shall be secured by operating grants and any capital grants which may be payable to the said School Division at any time.
- 3. That the said loan may be secured by the promissory note or an operating loan agreement of the said Board and the said Chairman and Chief Financial Officer are hereby authorized and empowered to execute and give such promissory note and/or operating loan agreement on behalf of the said Board as may be required by the said Bank.
- 4. That this resolution shall take effect on September 8, 2015.
- Gleim

09/08/15 - 2416

That Board communications are dealth with as follows: the Board Chair communicates with the media and public on political issues and the Director of Education communicates with the media and public on all other issues.

Carried

- McLeod

09/08/15 - 2417

That the Organizational Meeting be adjourned at 11:47 a.m.

Carried

- Crabbe

Dr. S. Davidson Chair

B. Girardin

Superintendent of Business and Operations