

PUBLIC NOTICES

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE**

THE RIGHT TO VERIFICATION OF THE DEBT AND IDENTITY OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR WITHIN THE TIME PROVIDED BY LAW IS NOT AFFECTED BY THIS ACTION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage: DATE OF MORTGAGE: August 15, 2013 ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: \$71,428.00 MORTGAGOR(S): Terry P. Schmit, A Single Man MORTGAGEE: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting Solely as a nominee for Primary Residential Mortgage Inc. TRANSACTION AGENT: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. MIN#: 100146410001720600 SERVICER: Carrington Mortgage Services, LLC LENDER: Primary Residential Mortgage, Inc. DATE AND PLACE OF FILING: Cottonwood County Minnesota, on August 16, 2013, as Document No. 2706671. ASSIGNED TO: Wells Fargo Bank N.A. by an Assignment of Mortgage dated 02/24/2014 and recorded on 02/25/2014 as Document No. 272211. Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, as trustee of Stanwich Mortgage Loan Trust I by an Assignment of Mortgage dated 05/05/2021 and recorded on 05/05/2021 as Document No. 291183. LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Lot 1 in Block 4 Hutton and Collins; Subdivision in the Village (now city) of Windom in Cottonwood County, Minnesota. PROPERTY ADDRESS: 61 10TH ST, WINDOM, MN 56101 PROPERTY I.D.: 25-352-0150 COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Cottonwood THE AMOUNT CLAIMED TO BE DUE ON THE MORTGAGE ON THE DATE OF THE NOTICE: Seventy-Two Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Three and 98/100 (\$72,493.98) THAT no action or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that there has been compliance with all pre-foreclosure notice and acceleration requirements of said mortgage, and/or applicable statutes; PURSUANT, to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as follows: DATE AND TIME OF SALE: 10:00 AM on February 18, 2022 PLACE OF SALE: Sheriff's Main Office, 902 5th Ave., Windom MN 56101 to pay the debt then secured by said mortgage and taxes, if any actually paid by the mortgagee, on the premises and the costs and disbursements allowed by law. The time allowed by law for redemption by said mortgagor(s), their personal representatives or assigns is 6.00 months from the date of sale. If Mortgage is not reinstated under Minn. Stat. Section 580.30 or the property is not redeemed under Minn. Stat. Section 580.23, the Mortgage must vacate the property on or before 11:59 p.m. on August 18, 2022, or the next business day if August 18, 2022 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. "THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED." Dated: December 15, 2021 Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, as trustee of Stanwich Mortgage Loan Trust I Randall S. Miller and Associates, PLLC Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgage/ Mortgagee Edinburg Executive Office Center, 8525 Edinburg Crossing North Suite #210 Brooklyn Park, MN 55443 Phone: 952-232-0052 Our File No. 21MN00153-1 A-4738715 12/15/2021, 12/22/2021, 12/29/2021, 01/05/2022, 01/12/2022, 01/19/2022 (665— Dec. 15, 22, 29, 2021, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 2022)

INVITATION TO INTERESTED SERVICE

**PROVIDERS
Student Transportation Services
Windom School District Independent School District No. 177**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Independent School District No. 177, located 1400 17th Street, Windom, MN 56101, will receive until 1:00 PM CDT, Friday, March 11, 2022, written proposals/quotations from qualified service providers interested in being considered as the district student transportation services provider for up to four (4) years commencing with school year 2022-23 effective July 1, 2022 until June 30, 2026.

General Specifications may be obtained by contacting the District Business Office of Independent School District No. 177 located at the above address or at 507-831-6901.

Written quotations must be mailed or delivered, on or before the above date and time, to:

Wayne Wormstadt
Superintendent of Schools
Windom Public Schools
District 177
1400 17th Street • PO Box 177
Windom, MN 56101

After reviewing the written proposals/quotations received, the district may request or enter into direct negotiations with one or more qualified student transportation services provider(s) for a student transportation services contract(s) with terms, rates and provisions agreeable to the district. The district, at its sole discretion, may award a contract to more than one interested qualified service provider.

Independent School District No. 177 is using the written quotation and direct negotiation process established by Minnesota Statute 2013, Section 123B.52, Subs. 1 and 3 for the procurement of this contract and disclaims usage of any other contract procurement options allowed under applicable state law. The School District reserves the right to reject any and all quotations and waive irregularities therein, and further reserves the right to award a contract to the lowest cost, responsible service provider(s) that is in the best interest of Independent School District No. 177.

Wayne Wormstadt
Superintendent of Schools
(672— Jan. 19, 26, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-22-11**

**Estate of
Cathryn Lee Prins
a/k/a Cathryn Prins,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER
FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY**

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petitioner represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Minnesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the property.

Any objections to the Petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper, and no objections are filed or raised, the Petition may be granted.

IT IS ORDERED and Notice is further given, that the Petition will be heard on February 23, 2022 at 8:30 a.m., by this Court at 900 3rd Ave, Windom, MN 56101.

1. Notice shall be given to all interested persons (MINN. STAT. § 524.1-401) and persons who have filed a demand for notice pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-204.

2. Notice shall be given by publishing this Notice and Order as provided by law and by: Mailing a copy of this Notice and Order at least 14 days prior to the hearing date.

BY THE COURT
Christina M. Wietzema
Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
Date: January 5, 2022
Attorney for Petitioner
Ronald J. Schramel
Schramel Law Office
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Windom, MN, 56101

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(674— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-22-10**

**Estate of
Mary Jo Ann Thompson,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER
FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY**

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petitioner represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Minnesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the property.

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BY THE COURT
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Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
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(675— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-21-619**

**Estate of
Gordon Donald Bolin
a/k/a Bud Bolin,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER
FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY**

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petitioner represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Minnesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the property.

Any objections to the Petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper, and no objections are filed or raised, the Petition may be granted.

IT IS ORDERED and Notice is further given, that the Petition will be heard on February 23, 2022 at 8:30 a.m., by this Court at 900 3rd Ave, Windom, MN 56101.

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BY THE COURT
Christina M. Wietzema
Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
Date: January 5, 2022
Attorney for Petitioner

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(676— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-22-12**

**Estate of
Kristin Harrington
Soderman,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER OF
HEARING ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION OF INTESTACY, TERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

It is Ordered and Notice is given that on February 23, 2022, at 8:30 a.m., a hearing will be held in this Court at 900 3rd Avenue, Windom, Minnesota, 56101, for the adjudication of intestacy and determination of heirship of the Decedent, and for the appointment of Terry S. Soderman, whose address is 3413 South Vista Park Drive, West Valley City, UT 84120, as Personal Representative of the Estate of the Decedent in an UNSUPERVISED administration. Any objections to the petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper and if no objections are filed or raised, the Personal Representative will be appointed with full power to administer the Estate, including the power to collect all assets, to pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, to sell real and personal property, and to do all necessary acts for the Estate.

Objections to the petition for appointment of the personal representative must be filed prior to the hearing with the Cottonwood County Court Administration office by:

efiling (electronic filing); email: 5thCottonwoodCourtAdmin@courts.state.mn.us; or mail at P.O. Box 97, Windom, MN 56101. Any interested person planning on attending the hearing should contact Court Administration at 507-831-4551

Notice is also given that (subject to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-801) all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

BY THE COURT
Christina M. Wietzema
Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
Date: January 5, 2022
Attorney for Petitioner
Ronald J. Schramel
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(677— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-22-9**

**Estate of
Michael Roger
Harrington,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER
FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY**

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petitioner represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Minnesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the property.

Any objections to the Pe-

tion must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper, and no objections are filed or raised, the Petition may be granted.

IT IS ORDERED and Notice is further given, that the Petition will be heard on February 23, 2022 at 8:30 a.m., by this Court at 900 3rd Ave, Windom, MN 56101.

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BY THE COURT
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Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
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(678— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-21-620**

**Estate of
Margaret Jean Bolin
a/k/a Jean Bolin,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER
FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY**

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petitioner represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Minnesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the property.

Any objections to the Petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper, and no objections are filed or raised, the Petition may be granted.

IT IS ORDERED and Notice is further given, that the Petition will be heard on February 23, 2022 at 8:30 a.m., by this Court at 900 3rd Ave, Windom, MN 56101.

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BY THE COURT
Christina M. Wietzema
Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
Date: January 5, 2022
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(679— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
COTTONWOOD
FIFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.:
17-PR-21-618**

**Estate of
Edna May Hansen,
Decedent
NOTICE AND ORDER OF
HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

It is Ordered and Notice is given that on February 23, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. a hearing will be held in this Court at 900 Third Avenue, Windom, Minnesota, 56101 for the for-

mal probate of an instrument purporting to be the Will of the Decedent dated May 14, 2002, ("Will") and first Codicil to Will of Edna May Hansen dated September 14, 2005 (collectively "Will") and for the appointment of Hans A. Hansen, 3010 Trenton Drive, Zeeland, MI 49464 and Andrew L. Hansen, 561 South 7th Street, La Crescent, MN 55947, as Co-Personal Representatives of the Estate of the Decedent in an UNSUPERVISED administration.

Any objections to the petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the hearing. If proper and if no objections are filed or raised, the Personal Representative will be appointed with full power to administer the Estate including the power to collect all assets, to pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, to sell real and personal property, and to do all necessary acts for the Estate.

Objections to the petition for appointment of the personal representative must be filed prior to the hearing with the Cottonwood County Court Administration office by:

efiling (electronic filing); email: 5thCottonwoodCourtAdmin@courts.state.mn.us or mail at P.O. Box 97, Windom, MN 56101. Any interested person planning on attending the hearing should contact Court Administration at 507-831-7003.

Notice is also given that (subject to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-801) all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

BY THE COURT
Christina M. Wietzema
Judge of District Court
Sheila Pierson
Court Administrator
By: Sheila Pierson
December 29, 2021
Attorney for Petitioner
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(680— Jan. 12, 19, 2022)

Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State Certificate of Assumed Name
Minnesota Statutes, 333
The filing of an assumed name does not provide a user with exclusive rights to that name. The filing is required for consumer protection in order to enable customers to be able to identify the true owner of a business.
ASSUMED NAME: Smiling Tree Gifts
PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: 37574 County Road 11 Lamberton MN 56152 United States
NAMEHOLDER:
Name: Smiling Tree Toys LLC
Address: 37574 County Road 11 Lamberton Minnesota 56152
United States
If you submit an attachment, it will be incorporated into this document. If the attachment conflicts with the information specifically set forth in this document, this document supersedes the data referenced in the attachment.

By typing my name, I, the undersigned, certify that I am signing this document as the person whose signature is required, or as agent of the person(s) whose signature would be required who has authorized me to sign this document on his/her behalf, or in both capacities. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true and correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

SIGNED BY: Kathleen Batalden Smith
MAILING ADDRESS: None
Provided
EMAIL FOR OFFICIAL NOTICES: kathleen@smilingtreetoys.com
(684— Jan. 19, 26, 2022)

PUBLIC NOTICE

SECTION 00 1113 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS WINDOM MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL RTU REPLACEMENTS WINDOM, MINNE- SOTA ISG NO. 21-25370

Sealed Prime General Contract bids for Windom Middle/High School RTU Replacements will be received by Superintendent Wayne Wormstadt at the office of the Owner, 1400 - 17th St. (P.O. Box C-177), Windom, MN 56101-0177 by mail or personal delivery until Tuesday, February 8, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at which date and time the bids will be opened and read aloud.

A prebid conference will be held Tuesday, February 1, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at the location of the Work, 1400 - 17th St., Windom, MN 56101.

Project Scope: Replacement of seven (7) existing roof top units, installation of heat exchanger and pumps. Ancillary ceiling grid removal and replacement for re-hook up of ductwork. Electrical work at replaced roof top units, and other Work indicated in the drawings and specifications.

Bidders shall submit their proposal on the forms provided. The proposal shall be filled in clearly and correctly with ink or another permanent format. The proposal shall be signed in ink by the individual, members of the partnership, or by one or more officers of the corporation making the proposal.

Drawings, specifications, and other Bidding Documents may also be obtained online at www.questcdn.com. If you do not already have a free membership, you may sign up for one to gain access to the documents. The QuestCDN eBidDoc number is 8105827. There will be a \$30.00 non-refundable downloading fee to access a pdf copy of the documents online.

Documents are viewable at both www.questcdn.com and www.ISGInc.com free of charge.

All bids shall be sealed in an opaque envelope upon which shall be plainly marked "BID ON WINDOM MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL RTU REPLACEMENTS - WINDOM, MINNESOTA" and the name of the bidder. If a bid is to be mailed, the bid envelope shall be sealed in a regular mailing envelope. FAX and E-mail Bids will not be accepted. The Owner reserves the right to hold and consider the bids for 30 days after the date of the bid opening. Bids shall be accompanied by a cashier's check, bidder's bond, or certified check payable to WINDOM PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of such bid including add-alternates. A bidder's bond shall include certified copy of the power of attorney.

The right to waive any informality in any bid and reject any or all bids is reserved to the Owner. **DATED THE 14TH DAY OF JANUARY 2022**
END OF SECTION
(683 - Jan. 19, 26;
Feb. 2, 2022)

MINUTES REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 08, 2021

The Windom Board of Education met in regular session on Monday November 8, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Windom City Council Chambers. Members present: Brugman, Bordewyk, Jones, Klassen, LaCanne, Mews, Stevens, Bus Mgr Pfeffer and Supt. Wormstadt. Absent: none. Chair Brugman called the meeting to order with the of Pledge of Allegiance.

MSP Bordewyk/Jones to approve amending of agenda to include discussion on a meet and confer with ED-MN and discussion on the OSHA COVID policy.

Member Mews introduced resolution 110821A and moved its adoption relating to various donations in the amount of \$9075 and moved its adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education to accept the donations on behalf of Independent School District No. 177 to be used for the benefit of the students of the Windom School District. Member Jones seconded the motion. Upon vote, Resolution 110821A passed unanimously.

There were no requests to address the board in open forum.

MSP Bordewyk/Klassen to approve the consent agenda consisting of Approval of previous minutes (October 11, 2021, and October 25, 2021) Approve bills and wire transfers, Approve Financial Report, Approve resignation of Cheryl Hussong, Paraprofessional effective October 20th, 2021. Approve hiring Lisa Behrens as ECFE teacher approximately 6 hour per week for approximately 25 weeks effective the 21-22 school year. Approve hiring Ashley Johnson as long-term EBD sub effective Nov. 8th, 2021. Approve hiring Alycia Koob at a 7.25-hour special education paraprofessional at the Middle/High School beginning 10/25/2021 Approve Tara Thompson, Parent Educator for the ECFE program effective November 1, 2021. Approve additional 30 minutes para time at the elementary due to student needs effective October 25th, 2021. Approve hiring Alycia Flatgard as paraprofessional 7.5 hours effective November 8, 2021

Principal Frank reported that grandparent's day was held on October 25th. The PTO hosted a trunk or treat event about 400 students were in attendance. The Bakers Square pie fundraiser has wrapped up and pie pick up is November 23rd. Veteran's day program is November 11th. Elementary students have again filled the eagle pride bucket and were rewarded with a field day. Soaring eagles begins Tuesday November 9th. This is for math and English supports for those students scoring below grade level.

Principal Joyce reported Quarter 1 ended Friday Nov. 5th. Juniors take the ASVAB on Wednesday November 17th. Junior and Seniors went on college visits in Mankato on Monday November 8th. There were \$23,000 worth of pies sold proceeds to benefit the MS advisory and Elementary PTO. MREA conference is November 15-16. Jeff Gould will be speaking to Juniors and Seniors he is an author and motivational speaker. Draft guidelines were presented regarding graduation attire.

Superintendent Wormstadt presented a current COVID update numbers remain low. Windom Area schools will

be hosting a MDH COVID Vaccine Clinic for children aged 5-11 on Saturday November 20th for the 1st dose and Saturday December 11th for the second dose. This is available to all children in the community and nearby communities. Parents are required to accompany their children. There will also be a flu clinic during parent/teacher conferences.

Discussion held on the current day care situation and some upcoming meetings to address the issue with other community leaders.

Board of Education reported that there will be upcoming SOLAR meetings on November 9th and November 18th. Discussed upcoming meet and confer with ED-MN December 6th with the teacher negotiations committee.

MSP Stevens/Mews to approve project application and project certification for payment, building parking lot & LTFM payments totaling \$759.97

MSP Bordewyk/Stevens to approve the updated 2021-2022 activity assignments

MSP Bordewyk/Klassen to approve the teacher seniority list

MSP Klassen/Mews to approve the ECFE/ABE seniority list

MSP LaCanne/Mews to approve the Administrators seniority list.

MSP Bordewyk/Klassen to approve the early resignation agreements for 2021-2022 school year.

MSP Klassen/Mews to approve Resolution Establishing Combined Polling Places for Multiple Precincts and Designating Hours During Which the Polling Places Will Remain Open for Voting for School District Elections Not Held on the Day of a Statewide Election Voting for Klassen, Jones, Bordewyk, Mews, Stevens, LaCanne, Brugman. Voting Against: none. Motion Passed

MSP Mews/Klassen to approve Resolution Canvassing Returns of Votes of School District Election Voting for School District Elections Not Held on the Day of a Statewide Election Voting for Klassen, Jones, Bordewyk, Mews, Stevens, LaCanne, Brugman. Voting Against: none. Motion Passed

MSP Bordewyk/Mews to approve proceeding with design and bid for the HVAC system and powder coat room. Total for this project is about 1.8 million. LTFM funds and ESSER III funds and Capital Outlay funds will be used to pay for this project.

Discussed teacher retention and recruitment. Presented information about incentive programs and the Come Teach in Minnesota grant program.

MSP Bordewyk/Klassen approve recruitment of teachers from Puerto Rico. Voting in favor Klassen, Jones, Bordewyk, Mews, Brugman. Voting against Stevens and LaCanne motion passes 5-2

Mandatory annual review of Policy 419 Tobacco Policy.

Mandatory annual review of Policy 421 Gifts to Employees and School Board members.

Discussion on the upcoming OSHA Covid Policies. Sample policies should be reviewed, and an emergency Board meeting will need called possible date of November 29th to allow time to for discussion and a public comment. MSP Mews/Bordewyk to have an emergency meeting with a tentative date of November 29th to review the OSHA Policy.

There being no further business, the meeting was

official proceedings of

BOARD OF EDUCATION

adjourned at 8:38 p.m.

Barbara Jones, Clerk
Don Brugman, Chair
Attest: Barbara Jones, Clerk

A complete copy of the minutes can be viewed on the school website.

MINUTES

WORK SESSION MEETING
November 22, 2021

The Windom Board of Education met in a work session meeting on Monday November 22, 2021, at 6:31 p.m. in Windom City Council Chambers. Members present: Brugman, Jones, Mews, Supt. Wormstadt and Bus Mgr Pfeffer. Absent Klassen, LaCanne, Stevens. Chair Brugman called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

MSP Mews/Jones to approve the agenda as amended with the change of 2020 to 2021 in items 4 and 5 and the addition of item #14 Gun and Knife show 2022.

MSP Bordewyk/Jones to approve the 2021 Audit Report.

MSP Bordewyk/Mews to approve the project payments of the CTE/Elementary in the amount of \$1531.44.

MSP Mews/Bordewyk to approve the 2022 revised budget.

MSP Jones/Bordewyk to approve the 2021-2022 census report.

MSP Bordewyk/Mews to approve Resolution 112221A MSHSL Foundation Application Voting For: Mews, Bordewyk, Jones, Brugman Voting Against: None Absent: Klassen, LaCanne, Stevens.

Discussion held about solar panel projects. Buildings and grounds will continue exploring with different vendors. First round of grant applications opens in January.

COVID update presented. Two 5th grade classes are distance learning due to a higher number of COVID cases. All will return after Thanksgiving break.

OSHA/ETS update provided. ETS is on hold due to current court action.

Discussion on 2022 Gun and Knife show being held at the High School. This would be for one year only due to a scheduling conflict with the community center. This will be at the December regular meeting for approval.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

Barbara Jones, Clerk
Don Brugman, Chair
Attest: Barbara Jones, Clerk

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Minutes

Truth in Taxation Meeting
December 9, 2021

The Windom Board of Education met in a Truth and Taxation Meeting on December 9th ,2021 at 6:13 p.m. at the Windom City Council Chambers. Members present: Bordewyk, Brugman, Jones, Klassen, Mews, Stevens (arrived at 6:28 p.m.) Absent: LaCanne. Chair Brugman opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

MSP Bordewyk/Klassen to approve the agenda as presented.

No one from the public were in attendance.

Peggy Pfeffer presented the Truth in Taxation Information property taxes 2021 payable 2022.

Member Bordewyk introduced the Resolution establishing final school district tax levies authorized for general and special purposes.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to

Minnesota Statutes the School Board of Independent School District No. 177, Windom, Minnesota, is authorized to make the following proposed tax levies for general purposes.

- General Fund \$1,962,483.92
- Community Education \$77,311.82
- Debt \$2,234,946.85
- Final Proposed School Tax Levy \$4,274,742.59

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the School Board of Independent School District No. 177, Windom, Minnesota, that the total levy to be levied in 2021 to be collected in 2022 is set at \$4,274,742.59. The clerk of the School Board is authorized to certify the final levy to the County Auditor of Cottonwood County, Minnesota.

Member Jones seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with the following voting in favor: Bordewyk, Brugman, Jones, Klassen, Mews, Stevens Those opposed: None, whereupon the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

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MINUTES REGULAR MEETING December 13, 2021

The Windom Board of Education met in regular session on Monday December 13, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Windom City Council Chambers. Members present: Brugman, Jones, Klassen, LaCanne, Mews, Bus Mgr Pfeffer and Supt. Wormstadt. Absent: Bordewyk and Stevens. Chair Brugman called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

MSP Jones/LaCanne to approve Agenda.

Member Klassen introduced Resolution 121321A relating to various donations in the amount of \$9538 and moved its adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education to accept the donations on behalf of Independent School District No. 177 to be used for the benefit of the students of the Windom School District. Member Jones seconded the motion. Upon vote, Resolution 123121A passed unanimously.

There were no requests to address the board in open forum.

MSP Mews/LaCanne to approve the consent agenda consisting of Approval of previous minutes (November 8th and November 22nd); Approve bills and wire transfers; Approve Financial Report; Approve #22-6 medical leave of absence for 6 weeks beginning February 9, 2022 and continuing until approximately March 23, 2022.; Approve resignation of Cassidy Back, Paraprofessional effective November 22, 2021; Approve resignation of Beth Scrivens, Paraprofessional effective November 30, 2021; Approve resignation of Tucker Kern from Paraprofessional after one year leave of absence to continue in current custodial position effective December 7, 2021; Approve termination of Debra Jones, Paraprofessional effective December 3, 2021; Approve hiring Rachel Schoenecker as Paraprofessional, 8 hours per day effective November 15, 2021; Approve 3 extra hours of Paraprofessional time for bus

route assignments; Approve .5 hour increase of Paraprofessional time for bus duties; Approve additional 7 hour Paraprofessional position for 1:1 student; Approve 3.5 hour increase per day Bridges paraprofessional for newly identified student.; Approve hiring additional Food Service Employee for 2 hours per day; approve hiring Kenya Duroe as 7 hour Special Education Paraprofessional effective December 6, 2021; Approve hiring Brittany Hernandez as Paraprofessional 7 hours per day effective December 9, 2021; Approve hiring Melody Vice as Paraprofessional 7 hours per day effective December 13, 2021; Approve hiring Baylee Winzenried as ECFE Parent Educator effective January 3, 2022; Approve resignation of Wendy Sjoblum Special Ed Teacher effective end of 2021-2022 school year; Approve 2021-2022 MSEA Food Service, Secretary, Custodian and Para Seniority Lists

Principal Frank reported that Family Engagement Night was hosted December 7. There were 135 people in attendance. Each family was able to take a Free game home at the end of the evening. The elementary is experiencing success with consistent core instruction as well as PRESS interventions. Our teams have moved 41 students from Tier III to Tier II in the last month. The Elementary Holiday concert is scheduled for December 14 in the Gold Gym. Staff participated in a short Top 20 review on December 8 by Paul Bernabi.

Principal Joyce reported Top 20 was in to train our HS students on Dec. 8 and will be in to train our MS students on Dec. 15, they are also working with faculty from 2:45-3:45 each day. Juniors & Sophomores have finished online course requests, Freshmen & 8th graders will do so by Dec. 22. The 10th Grade will take the Pre-Act on Wednesday, Dec. 15. Eagle Pride reward day is planned for positive behaviors on Thursday, Dec. 23. There is a draft of the Honor Society Guidelines. Superintendent Wormstadt presented a current COVID update. Building closure for the holidays includes December 24-27th and December 31.

Board of Education reported on the meet and confer with ED-MN Windom. The project application and project certification for payment, building parking lot & LTFM payments totaling \$7,148.94.

MSP Jones/Mews to approve World's Best Workforce Report.

MSP Klassen/Jones to approve Jenna Fromm, Mark Westerburg, and Craig Brenden as candidates for the MREA 2022 Board of Directors

MSP Jones/Klassen to approve the substitute rates effective January 1, 2022.

MSP Mews/Klassen to approve the updated 2021-2022 Activity Assignments Reviewed retention Policy 428.

Reviewed Board Committee assignments.

Reviewed WAH contract for onsite athletic services.

Discussed addition of soccer program.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

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