



**Minutes of the Meeting of the
Lapeer Community Schools Board of Education
held on Thursday, November 17, 2016 at
the Administration and Services Center**

Gary Oyster, Vice President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Denise Becker, Wendy Byard, Brad Haggadone, Mike Keller, Mike Nolan, Gary Oyster

MEMBERS ABSENT: Peggy Bush.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mrs. Byard led the Board and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT

President Mike Keller read the following statement:

A Board meeting is a meeting of our school district business that is held in the public. It is not a public meeting.

The Board sets aside time for Public Comment. Public comment is not an open forum and we request presenters address the Board. The Board will not respond to those making public comment, but may direct the Superintendent to follow up with the presenters. That lack of response should not be construed as agreement or disagreement with those comments; it is merely the Board staying in compliance with the Open Meetings Act and the posted agenda for this meeting.

The Board does not comment in public on any student or employee, and ask the presenters to be respectful of any person they comment about.

Bill Spruytte addressed the Board of Education.

PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION

Third Grade Retention Legislation – Michelle Bradford, Executive Director for Curriculum and Instruction, along with Tammy Curry, Lynch Elementary Teacher, reviewed the new Third Grade Retention Legislation scheduled to take effect during the 2019-2020 school year. They reviewed the interventions put in place to ensure all our elementary students are reading at or above grade level.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Mr. Nolan, supported by Mrs. Byard, that the meeting be adjourned. Roll call: Becker-aye; Byard-aye; Haggadone-aye; Keller-aye; Nolan-aye; Oyster-aye. Motion carried 6-0. Meeting adjourned at 7:47 PM.

Peggy Bush, Board of Education Secretary