

GAYLORD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Special Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 7, 2021

6:00 PM

MINTUES

APPROVED

Brad Bensinger: Present
Katie Drzewiecki: Present
Mike Fessler: Absent
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Present
James Vanderveer: Present
Jeff Wieber: Present
Sara Gapinski: Present at 6:35 p.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. UPDATES

A. Opening Statement - Jeff Wieber

- Shared legal advice providing reasons why Gaylord Community Schools is required to follow the HD Order
- Encouraged participants to remain civil and respect others' public input and remain positive to the GCS staff members.

B. Health Department Meeting (September 7) Report - Jeff Wieber

- Brad Bensinger shared the Health Department's Board 6-1 vote requesting the Health Department to rescind the order for all staff and students in the K-12 school buildings to wear masks.

C. First Day of School Update - Brian Pearson

- Update on traffic flow at SME and GMS
- Student count 2700; 95% in attendances
- Some GHS students chose not to wear masks, and were invited into the auditorium to complete their school day.

III. PUBLIC INPUT

Name	Agenda Item Addressed
Aaron Beach	HD mask mandate
Robert Thompson	HD mask mandate and online schooling

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Jennifer Thompson	HD mask mandate and students are required to attend school in the auditorium
Patrick Bernard	GMS and SME traffic flow; masks and staff comments regarding masks
Henry Mason	Declined his turn
Keith Perry	Health Board ruling
Josh Gautreau	HD mask mandate and students in auditorium
Brittany Gunderson	Healthy athletes masked indoors; encourages positive social media
Kelly Palmer	Masks and homeschooling
Larry Corell	Schools masking process
Fayth Sanom	First day school experience
Ray Scola	HD mask mandate
James Flint	HD mask mandate
Stephanie Jacobson	HD mask mandate
Angela Womack	HD mask mandate
Katie Noeske	HD mask mandate
Scott Mason	HD mask mandate. How will Board provide Vitamin D to students? Vaccination stance?
Amy Correll	Forcing divisions in schools and families.
Jen Haskin	HD mask mandate and GCS employment experience
Gabriel Thompson	Segregation amongst the students.
Brayden Gautreau	Segregation amongst the students.
Miranda Bailey-Quick	HD mask mandate; democracy

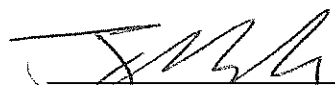
Name	Agenda Item Addressed
Jeremy Savoie	HD mask mandate
Spencer Deer	HD mask mandate
Tony Shark	HD mask mandate
John Denison	Hd mask mandate and vaccinations
Candace Marcotte	Masking in sports
Austin Womack	HD mask mandate
Davi Crockett Perry	HD mask mandate
Ethan Chandler	First day experience (no request submitted)
Aiden Blanzky	Freedom of Speech (no request submitted)
Marci	Financial support in the community (no request submitted)
??	Soviet Union comparison (no request submitted)


IV. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the September 7, 2021 Special Board Meeting at 8:00 p.m. This motion, made by James Vanderveer and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

- Brad Bensinger: Yea
- Katie Drzewiecki: Yea
- Mike Fessler: Absent
- Sara Gapinski: Yea
- Jeff Gorno: Yea
- James Vanderveer: Yea
- Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1
Meeting adjourned


Jeff Wieber, President


Katie Drzewiecki, Secretary