



The Board Workshop of the Central Montcalm Public School Board of Education was called to order by President Bill Simpson in the CMMHS Learning Center on Monday, October 16, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.

Present: Bill Simpson, Bill Collins, Brennan Bowen, Jim Lingeman, Rob Train, Brandy Ryan

Absent: Lisa Lund

Superintendent's Report:

Bond Proposal: The Board discussed how to move forward with the bond in relation to the survey results, which included the possibility of:

- Decrease tax mills
- Shorter term for less money
- Reduction or changes of projects previously proposed

The Board had several questions regarding the information being reviewed from the previous proposal, including prices and explanation of those projects listed. It was decided to ask Jesse Nelson from Baker Tilly, Andy McLeod from GMB, and Jeff Tuley from Granger Construction to attend the November 6, 2023, Board Workshop to get more details and clarification so the Board can determine how they want to move forward.

President Simpson opened the floor to public comment.

Dan Humphrey inquired if the Board members received his email regarding bathroom use and golf cart to help the handicap at football games. It was received. Dan provided additional reason and support for students to be able to use the bathrooms when necessary, as well as comments regarding the need for the golf cart transportation for the handicapped at football games. President Simpson replied that these types of concerns are handled at the operations level, not at the Board level. Superintendent Marty James suggested Mr. Humphrey contact Mrs. Charity Stephens, CMMHS Principal, to discuss the concerns.

Motion by Collins, supported by Lingeman, to adjourn the Board Workshop at 6:42 pm. Those in favor 6, opposed 0. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Bill Collins

Secretary