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- Anyone who attends the meeting in person is required to wear a mask and follow social distancing.

- Public comments can be shared without attending this meeting in person by contacting Kathy Jennings, Board President, prior to the meeting at 608-588-4737 or at jennings.rvsb@rvschools.org

DATE: March 25, 2021
TO: Board of Education
FROM: Loren Glasbrenner 
RE: Materials for Regular Board Meeting

Thursday, April 8, 2021
Middle School Library
7:00 p.m.

- Call the Meeting to Order, Roll Call, and Pledge
- Consideration & Action on Approval of Agenda

INFORMATION ITEMS:

1. Public Comments - Public comments, ideas, and suggestions related to our school district will be welcomed. As a reminder to all Board members, this agenda item is for the public to speak to the Board.
2. Student Council Report – Our 2020-21 student Board representative, Kelsey Olson, will report on student happenings at all district schools.
3. Equity Conversation and Future Steps – The drafted statement is being shared with staff and committee formation is taking place.
4. Update on School District Operations from Administration – The administrative team will provide an update on school district operations.
5. Board Reminders, Announcements, and Training Opportunities - President Jennings will remind the Board of any upcoming events or housekeeping items. Public service announcements regarding events pertaining to the district or the community may be shared.
6. Legislative Update – A legislative update will be provided.

ACTION ITEMS:

1. Consent Agenda: Checks, Invoices, Receipts – March 2021; Open Session Meeting Minutes – March 11 and March 17, 2021, Regular Meeting - (*Minutes sent. Enrollments and six financial reports forthcoming.*)

2. Consideration & Action on Resolution on Request for DPI Waiver due to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency for:

1. Hours of Instruction
2. Education Effectiveness

The River Valley School District has experienced a significant disruption in the academic experience due to COVID-19. The District requires the requested waivers in order to mitigate the educational disruption. *(Sent.)*

3. Consideration & Action on Reinstatement of Use of District Outdoor Facilities by Non-School Groups – In June 2020, the Board took action to keep district facilities closed to non-school groups after June 30 until further notice. The administration is recommending opening access to outdoor facilities.
4. Consideration & Action on Proposed 2021-22 Attendance Areas for District Private Schools K4-5th Grade Students for Transportation Purposes – Annually, by April 1, each private school is required to submit its proposed attendance area for the ensuing school year to the school board of each school district having territory within the proposed attendance area. The Board will be reviewing the attendance area proposals submitted by St. John’s and St. Luke’s schools. *(Sent.)*
5. Consideration & Action on 2021-22 CESA #3 Contract – *(Sent.)*
6. Consideration & Action on Resolutions Accepting Resignations, if any – You will be asked to accept any resignations we receive between the time this meeting is posted and the meeting date.
7. Consideration & Action on Hirings, if any - You will be asked to approve any hirings we may have between the time this meeting is posted and the meeting date.
8. Consideration & Action on Resolution Authorizing 2021-22 Teacher Contract Renewals - This is an annual event that requires Board approval to send a contract to each teacher for contract renewal. *(Sent.)*
9. Consideration & Action on Policy Committee Recommendations - *(See April 5 meeting packet.)*
10. Consideration & Action on Budget/ERC Committee Recommendations – *(See April 5 meeting packet.)*
11. Consideration & Action on Special Meeting Date – Monday, April 19, 2021 – The Budget/ERC Committee will hold a meeting on April 19 after the April 14 deadline passes for track resurfacing project bids. We will hold a special Board meeting that same evening to request Board action on the project so we can begin work.
12. Consideration & Action on Resolutions Accepting Gifts, if any – You will be asked to accept any gifts we receive between the time this meeting is posted and the meeting date.
 - \$30,000 anonymous donation for student and staff wellness
 - \$500 from Petro-Oil, Inc. towards high school math and science