

**School Board Program Committee**  
**OEG IMC – December 5, 2016 – 5:30 PM**  
**Minutes**

**Membership:** Abulkhair Masoom  
Nancy Bongers  
Eric Fatzinger-abs  
Connie Valenza  
Kris Brown

Noted that the meeting was properly noticed.  
Minutes were accepted.

Other Attendees: HS Principal Engh, HS Asst. Principal Foley, MS Principal Julius, WV Principal Reuter and NW Director Haag.

- **Instructional Program Topics**

- Business Course/Programmatic changes were presented. Mr. Engh presented the committee members with a handout on the proposed course: Business & Personal Law. Mr. Engh gave a brief description of the course and explained that the elimination of Hillmen Outlets from the business department gives Mrs. Miles the opportunity to offer a new course. Superintendent Valenza spoke about the course being matched up with SWTech for advanced standing and possible transcribed credit with the technical college. There was discussion on ethics in general and digital citizenship.
- The committee members had a discussion regarding math as an area that may have some sequence or course changes as it revolves around how to support students that struggle ~ especially in algebra. There was also conversation about addressing the apathy students feel towards mathematics and if there is anything in the works for how to address that at multiple levels.
- Physical Education/Health curriculum was discussed. Mr. Julius and Mr. Engh presented phy ed and health curriculum units that are covered in each building throughout the year.
- Superintendent Valenza followed-up with the committee members about the school report card. School rankings and other aspects of the report card were shared. The upcoming School Board “Coffee Talk” event will highlight the Platteville Schools state report card. The event is scheduled for December 19<sup>th</sup> @9:00 am at Westview Elementary. All community members are welcome to attend!
- Professional Development and the 2017-18 School Calendar were briefly discussed. Each of the building principals shared their thoughts on in-service and professional development time to work together.

- **Co-Curricular Program**

Policy IGDJ Interscholastic Athletic was on the agenda but time did not permit discussion. This policy will be placed on the next committee meeting agenda.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm

Recorded by Lynne Tanner