



**FALCONER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET HEARING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MAY 3, 2022, AT 7:00 PM
HELD AT MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER**

Members Present: Todd Beckerink
 Tom Frederes
 Tracy Schrader
 Robert Carpenter

Members Excused: Marcella Centi
 Krissta Swanson
 Ro Woodard

Administration Present: Stephen Penhollow, Superintendent
 Sara Kennison, School District Business Leader
 Judy Roach, Director of Curriculum and Instruction

Others Present: Sam Ognibene, Chairman of the Budget Hearing
 Ed Anderson

CALL TO ORDER BY THE PRESIDENT:

The meeting was called to order by Board President, Todd Beckerink, at 7:00 PM.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

BUDGET HEARING

The Board President, Todd Beckerink, introduced Chairman of the Budget Hearing, Sam Ognibene. He stated that he will also be the Chairman of the election on May 17, 2022, from 2:00PM - 8:00PM, along with:

- Sara Kennison, District Clerk & Clerk of Budget Hearing and Annual Meeting
- Nancy Jones, Election Inspector
- Kathleen Paladino, Election Inspector
- Steven Rodriguez, Poll Site Coordinator

The meeting was turned over to Chairman Ognibene.

Chairman Ognibene invited Superintendent, Stephen Penhollow, to comment on the proposed budget. Mr. Penhollow provided an overview of the proposed budget.

Chairman Ognibene directed District Clerk, Sara Kennison, to advise dates when the Notice of the Annual Meeting and District Budget Vote was published. Ms. Kennison stated the notice was published on April 1st, 11th, and 27th. The notice will also be published on May 9th, 2022.

Chairman Ognibene asked if the prospective board members up for re-election would like to address the public. Mr. Carpenter and Mr. Frederes provided statements.

Chairman Ognibene requested that Board President, Todd Beckerink, report on any outstanding legal action against the District and to review the proposed budget. Mr. Beckerink provided an update and presented and provided highlights from the proposed 2022-2023 Falconer CSD budget.

Chairman Ognibene asked if there was any further business. A question relating to Zero-Emission School Buses was asked and discussion was held related to this topic. Also, a clarification related to the wording on the Capital Improvement Reserve proposition was addressed.

A motion was made by Ed Anderson and seconded by Robert Carpenter to adjourn the budget hearing meeting at 7:17PM, the motion was unanimously approved.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Sara E Kennison". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Sara" and last name "Kennison" clearly legible.

Sara Kennison
Board and District Clerk