The Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont Community School District Board of Directors met at the district office on Monday, March 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. for a regular board meeting. Board members present Doug Brinegar, Mike Mayberry, Dave Friedman, Rena Shepherd, Patrick Powers, and Levi Roach. Absent Mark Haselhuhn. Others present: Max Ohms, Ann Ohms, Cammie Richards, Lisa Davis, Allison Walker, Kathy Street and others not signed in.

Call to Order – Establish Quorum: President Brinegar called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m., quorum was established. Roll call.

Public Forum: Cammie Richards, Lisa Davis, Allison Walker, and Tina Walker all spoke to the board regarding the Post-Secondary Enrollment classes offered at the Jr/Sr High School.

Closed Session: Roach moved and Mayberry seconded to move into closed session per Iowa Code Section 20.17.[3] for Collective Bargaining. Roll call vote: Friedman, aye; Shepherd, aye; Mayberry, aye; Brinegar, aye; Powers, aye; and Roach, aye. Moved to closed session at 6:13 p.m. Open session resumed at 6:33 p.m.

Correspondence: Thank you from the family of Leona Harris

Consent Agenda (Agenda, Minutes, Bills and Financial): Powers moved and Friedman seconded to approve the consent agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

Board Reports: Steve Noble, Sheryl Friedman, and Lindy Hammes presented building reports. Superintendent Cook reviewed the financial statement and discussed the feasibility for an Alternative Classroom at Jr/Sr High School.

New Business: Shepherd moved and Mayberry seconded to approve the Classified Master Agreement for 2019-2021 with a 3.83% total package increase. Motion carried unanimously. Powers moved and Roach seconded to reschedule the April board meeting from April 15 to April 22 and to reschedule the July board meeting from July 15 to July 23 (Tuesday). Motion carried unanimously. Mayberry moved and Shepherd seconded the request for the EBFHS Concert Band to attend the Worlds of Fun Music Festival May 4th and 5th. Some discussion was held on who would pay for the lodging of the bus driver. Driver’s lodging and meals will be paid for by the District. Motion carried unanimously. Mayberry moved and Shepherd seconded to table the post-secondary enrollment classes. Discussion was held. The motion to table and move to the April 1 work session carried unanimously.

Personnel: Powers moved and Friedman seconded to accept the resignation of Lucinda Blad, Custodian. Motion carried unanimously. Roach moved and Mayberry seconded to approve the change from part time to full time for Lacey Taylor, HSAP Teacher. Discussion was held. Friedman moved and Shepherd seconded to table until the Full Time HSAP Teaching position could be posted. Motion to table carried unanimously. Mayberry moved and Roach seconded to approve Jason McAlister, Custodian. Motion carried unanimously. Shepherd moved and Friedman seconded to approve softball coaching contracts for Jarah Jensen, JV coach, and Alexis Kauzlarich, 9th grade. Motion carried unanimously. Mayberry moved and Friedman seconded to approve junior high track coaches: Ryan Jackson, Bob Shepherd and Lisa Davis. Motion carried unanimously with Shepherd abstaining.

Discussion Items: Agenda Items for April 22: Request from Board for the minutes of the Leadership Meeting regarding the SAMI plan for Blakesburg be included in the Blakesburg Building Report. Agenda Items for April 1 work session: Alternative Classroom at the Jr/Sr High and Post-Secondary Courses. The list of items to be purchased for Agri-Power FFA was given to board members. Roach and Friedman will be attending the Board Appreciation Dinner on April 11 at IHCC. Open Positions: Full-Time HSAP Teacher, Part-Time HSAP Teacher (2).

Adjournment: Friedman moved and Mayberry seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:27 p.m.