

**BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES
CHANNAHON SCHOOL DISTRICT 17
WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

Special Board Meeting
Wednesday, August 12, 2020

President Pope entertained a motion to call the Special Open meeting to order at 5:00 pm. Motion by Pat Clower, second by Julie Bankes. All ayes nays none motion passes.

Roll Call: Joe Pope, Julie Bankes, Pat Clower, Christine Bucciarelli, and Kevin Murphy.
Absent: Derek Breen and Brandt Compton.

President Pope led the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Pope invited public comments. No public comments made.

President Pope turned the meeting over to Dr. Henkle.

Dr. Henkle updated the board on the re-opening of the 2020-2021 school year. Dr. Henkle expressed that the district is on track to open on time and staff is excited for the start of the new academic year. Dr. Henkle states that ALL staff is doing a phenomenal job getting prepared for both in-person and e-learning students. Dr. Henkle elaborates on what precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the COVID19 virus within our district schools. Dr. Henkle shared that the district purchased a COVID19 Tracker app. This app will allow families and staff to check in every morning prior to coming to school. The app asks COVID19 related questions and instructs them to enter their temperature. Each school will monitor their students and staff to make sure they have checked in and clear to enter the building.

Dr. Henkle recommended that the board approve (4) four additional one-year K-8 Teaching positions and (2) Aide positions for the 2020-2021 school year. President Pope entertained a motion to approve (4) four additional one-year K-8 Teaching positions and (2) Aide positions for the 2020-2021 school year. Motion by Pat Clower second by Julie Bankes motion passes.

Roll Call: Julie Bankes, Pat Clower, Christine Bucciarelli, Kevin Murphy, and Joe Pope.

New Business – None.

Other Matters – Dr. Henkle to send a letter to families on the “How to” Hygiene and Cleaning of Masks.

President Pope entertained a motion to adjourn at 6:50 p.m. Motion by Pat Clower second by Christine Bucciarelli. All ayes, nays none. Motion passes.

Submitted by: LouAnn Whalen

Joe Pope, President

Julie Bankes, Secretary