

OTSELIC VALLEY CENTRAL  
SCHOOL Board of Education —  
Educational Forum December 5, 2016

Present:	Mr. J. Foster, Mrs. R. Peabody, Mrs. D. Liuzzo, Superintendent of Schools D. Henner, Principal R. Berson, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Special Programs L. Eaves, District Clerk G. Burpee
Absent:	Mr. M. Swayze (arr. 6:08 PM), Mr. B. Wood (arr. 6:45 PM)
Also Present:	Mrs. T. Foor-Pessin, Mr. V. Nucero, Mrs. M. Pearson, Mr. B. Russell, Mrs. K. Rutz

CALL TO ORDER President Foster called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM. All pledged allegiance to the flag.

ORDER The agenda was approved on a motion by Mrs. Peabody, and seconded by Mrs. Liuzzo.

Motion carried, 3 - 0.

AGENDA

Mrs. Eaves introduced Daryl Cranston and Alicia Kraack via ZOOM technology. They are from Houghton Mifflin, Harcourt (HMH), the new curriculum in place this year for the District. They each explained their roles in the process and explained what the HMH curriculum is designed to do.

Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Special Programs Report

Mr. Berson reported that there will be an information day on January 4, 2017 where Deputy Kruser will meet with students in grades 6-12 to discuss Cyber Crime, especially to become responsible users of social media.

Principal's Report

Mrs. Terry Foor-Pessin, Mr. Bill Russell and Mr. Vince Nucero were introduced from Chenango County Mental Health. They explained their roles within the agency and explained the effects of trauma and adverse childhood experiences on school aged children.

Motion by Mrs. Peabody to adjourn the meeting at 7:21 PM, second by Mr. Swayze.

Motion carried, 5 - 0.

Submitted by,

ADJOURNMENT

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Gail Evans Burpee  
District Clerk

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