

Minutes of the Bethel Board of Education Curriculum Meeting held on January 07, 2016, in Board of Education Conf. Room E.

Attendance: None.

Administrative Attendance: K. Brooks, T. Yonsky

J. Ackerman, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Board Members Present: Attendance Taken at 7:00 PM:

Present Board Members:

**Mrs. Jennifer Ackerman
Mrs. Courtney Martin
Mrs. Melanie O'Brien
Mrs. Robin Renner**

Absent Board Members:

Mr. Scott Clayton

1. Textbook Review: Pre-Calculus with Limits

Mrs. Pam Strout, BHS Mathematics Teacher, presented the *Pre-Calculus with Limits* textbook to the committee. Three other textbooks were reviewed and this textbook has everything that is needed and includes the online resources. It is the consensus of the committee to move the *Pre-Calculus with Limits* textbook to the full Board for approval.

2. Discussion - 2016 Trip to Paris

Dr. Brooks shared parent feedback regarding the 2016 trip to Europe. The overall parent feedback is the parents want the trip to continue. They understand this is the Board's decision but would like to see the trip continue. The committee discussed and asked questions regarding the trip and flexibility of the itinerary. They discussed the "Peace of Mind" insurance with the travel company and what options that provides. The committee requested information be sought from Joel Barlow regarding their trip to Paris in February. Joel Barlow is continuing with their trip. No further action is required by the committee at this time. The administration will monitor any safety and travel warnings.

3. Audience Participation

None.

Meeting adjourned at 7:57 PM.

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Respectfully submitted,
Susan Pare
Board Recorder