LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS Minutes

Regular Board Meeting
Monday, September 12, 2022

7:00 p.m. - Leslie High School Library

CALL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Leslie Public Schools, Ingham and Jackson Counties, Michigan, was called to order by Dave Cowing at 7:00 p.m.

Members present: Dave Cowing

Bud Fifield
Eric Isham
Deann Maynard
Mary Crowl
Beth Yeider

Dominic Ambroggio

Members absent:

None

Also present:

Scott Powers, Superintendent

Andrea Roach, Leslie High School Principal Marcy Thayer, Woodworth Elementary Teacher

Liedge of Allegiance given.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

CONSENT AGENDA

Moved by D. Maynard, supported by B. Fifield to approve the September 12, 2022 Agenda; Minutes of the August 8, 2022 regular meeting; Minutes of the August 24, 2022 Regular Meeting/Workshop; bills in the amount of \$67,222.02 be approved for payment as presented; Pcard Statement; General Fund Budget Report and Food Service Budget Report as of 8/31/2022.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

August 16, 2022 IISD Board Briefs: No discussion. July 28, 2022 and August 25, 2022 Thrun School Law Notes: No discussion.

INFORMATIONAL REPORTS

Costa Rica Trip

Marcy Thayer presented an overview of the Costa Trip that is scheduled for June 12 - June 23, 2023. Currently 11 students are interested in attending. Marcy, Andrea Lowder (LHS Spanish teacher) and Marcy's husband are chaperones for the trip.

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MDE Section 98b Goal Setting

Andrea Roach presented the updated 98b MDE report and the goals that the district has set for the 2022-23 school year.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

ESSER III Update

Superintendent Powers presented an update on the ESSER III expenditures to date and remaining discussed remaining expenditures.

Attendance

Superintendent Powers presented fall pupil count numbers from 2018-19 through the 2021-22 school year, including the projected count for the 2022-23 school year. The student count is currently 54 students over the projected count.

BOARD DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION

Resignation - Instructional Coach/Title I Intervention Coordinator

Moved by M. Crowl, supported by D. Ambroggio that the Board of Education accept the resignation of Rachel Gibson as the Instructional Coach/Title I Intervention Coordinator for Woodworth Elementary.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Hire Woodworth Elementary GSRP Teacher

Moved by D. Maynard, supported by B. Yeider that the Board of Education hire Kathryn Wright as a .80 Woodworth Elementary GSRP teacher as recommended by Principal Phillips.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Hire Woodworth Elementary GSRP Teacher

Moved by M. Crowl, supported by B. Fifield that the Board of Education hire Kimberly Wright as a .80 Woodworth Elementary GSRP teacher as recommended by Principal Phillips.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Hire Woodworth Elementary GSRP Teacher

Moved by D. Maynard supported by B. Fifield that the Board of Education hire Brent Waldofsky as a .80 Woodworth Elementary GSRP teacher as recommended by Principal Phillips.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

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Hire Woodworth Elementary Kindergarten Teacher

Moved by D. Ambroggio supported by M. Crowl that the Board of Education hire Jessica Olmstead as a Woodworth Elementary kindergarten teacher as recommended by Principal Phillips.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Middle School Student Discipline Hearing - Student 2022.23.1 Closed Session:

"Moved by E. Isham, supported by D. Ambroggio to enter closed session at 7:25 p.m. at the request of the parent to protect the right of privacy as required by Federal Law for a discipline hearing.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Time entered closed session: 7:25 p.m.

Open Session:

"Moved by B. Fifield, supported by M. Crowl that the Board of Education ratify D. Cowing's declaration that the board re-enter regular session at 9:05 p.m.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Motion - Student 2022.23.1 Discipline:

"Moved by E. Isham, supported by M. Crowl that after consideration by the Board of Education, student 2022-23.1 be suspended for the remainder of the 2022-23 school year. The student must petition the Board of Education for reinstatement. During the suspension period, the student is not allowed on school property.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

Moved by M. Crowl, supported by E. Isham to adjourn the meeting at 9:09 p.m.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Eric Isham, Secretary Leslie Public Schools