

Highlights from the October 20, 2021, Regular Meeting of the Wayne RESA Board of Education.

The Wayne RESA Board of Education approved the following items on the Consent Agenda:

Approved the following internal applicant(s) for the position(s):

- Bobby Hodges, Network Architect, effective September 27, 2021
- Paul Bobrowski, Database/System Architect, effective October 4, 2021

Approved the following external applicant(s) for the position(s):

- Quan Neloms, Career Counselor, effective October 4, 2021
- Sharon Black-Johnson, School Outreach Nurse, effective October 11, 2021
- Tiffini Benning, Program Manager, effective October 25, 2021

Approved the following leave(s):

- Darnella Delfine, Family/Medical Leave, effective September 15, 2021
- Christopher Ferrell, Career Counselor, Family/Medical Leave, effective September 24, 2021
- Russell Robinson, Educational Improvement Consultant, Family/Medical Leave, effective October 5, 2021
- Sanna Saddy, Part-time English Learner Program Facilitator, Unpaid Personal Leave, effective October 5, 2021

Approved the following return from leave(s):

- Mellissa Wilson, Literacy Consultant, Family/Medical Leave, effective September 7, 2021
- Lauren Schneider, Part-time English Learner Program Facilitator, Unpaid Personal Leave, effective September 7, 2021
- Christopher Ferrell, Career Counselor, Family/Medical Leave, effective September 27, 2021
- David Sword, Math Consultant, Family/Medical Leave, effective October 1, 2021

Approved the appointment of the following representative(s) to the Wayne County Parent Advisory Committee (WCPAC) for a three-year term. This is effective for the period October 20, 2021 through June 30, 2024.

Tracee Winston	South Redford School District
Maria Warmuth	Northville Public Schools
Tiffany Edmonds-Jasso	Ecorse Public School District

Approved the removal of the following representative(s) to the Wayne County Parent Advisory Committee (WCPAC) at the request of the parent. This is effective for the period October 20, 2021 through June 30, 2024.

Stephanie Leavitt	Allen Park School District
Martha Ramirez	Allen Park School District
Ashlee Hoffman	Lincoln Park School District

Approved the purchase of 3-year VMWare maintenance and support contract with Trace3 LLC, 7565 Irvine Center Drive, Suite 200 Irvine, CA 92618, from October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2024 for VMWare virtual server software maintenance and support, in the amount of \$89,876.16 and waive the requirement for three written quotations from board policy rule 3660R.

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Approved the purchase of assistive technology/equipment from Apple Computer Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$60,000 for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Approved the purchase of Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) Devices from Tobii Dynavox not to exceed the amount of \$100,000 for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Approved the following actual and necessary expenses incurred by Wayne RESA Board members in discharging their official duties and in performing functions as authorized by the Board September 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021:

Mary Blackmon: \$56.00
 Danielle Funderburg: \$4.92

Lynda Jackson: \$49.17
 James Petrie: \$113.04

Approved payment of the Administrative Outreach Program Medicaid Claim reimbursement for the quarter July to September 2020, to the following local School Districts for services to Medicaid eligible students, in the amount of \$142,510.39.

DISTRICT/LEA	AMOUNT	DISTRICT/LEA	AMOUNT
Allen Park Public Schools	\$3,207.34	Melvindale-North Allen Park Schools	\$2,701.37
Crestwood School District	\$2,901.44	Northville Public Schools	\$8,714.21
Dearborn Heights School District #7	\$2,465.76	Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$8,891.40
Dearborn City School District	\$13,831.78	Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	\$3,812.48
Ecorse Public Schools	\$1,025.79	School District of the City of River Rouge	\$847.21
Flat Rock Community Schools	\$1,499.42	Riverview Community School District	\$836.93
Garden City Public Schools	\$6,926.57	Romulus Community Schools	\$1,355.24
Gibraltar School District	\$1,898.74	South Redford School District	\$1,608.02
Grosse Ile Township Schools	\$1,596.92	Southgate Community School District	\$3,854.64
Grosse Pointe Public Schools	\$6,314.88	Taylor School District	\$5,684.62
School District of the City of Hamtramck	\$1,989.49	Trenton Public Schools	\$3,201.23
School District of the City of Harper Woods	\$1,059.31	Van Buren Public Schools	\$2,802.30
Huron School District	\$1,722.86	Wayne-Westland Community School District	\$16,234.73
School District of the City of Lincoln Park	\$11,842.39	Westwood Community School District	\$1,731.89
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$8,172.29	Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$7,248.56
		School District of the City of Wyandotte	\$6,530.60
		TOTAL:	\$142,510.41

Approved additional payments of Act 18 funds for the 2018-2019 operating year, to the following school districts operating special education center programs.

Allen Park Public Schools	\$3,151	Detroit Public Schools Community District	\$558,193
School District of the City of Garden City	\$684,873	Wayne-Westland Community Schools	\$97,382
School District of the City of Wyandotte	\$306,384		
		Total	\$1,649,983

Approved Act 18 payments, to be paid in ten monthly installments beginning in September 2021, to school districts operating special education center programs for estimated allowable costs for the 2021-2022 fiscal year for a total amount not to exceed \$144,437,263.

School District	Amount	School District	Amount
Allen Park Public Schools	\$704,525	School District of the City of Dearborn	\$10,494,417
School District of the City of Detroit	\$35,583,233	Garden City Public Schools	\$7,919,661
Grosse Pointe Public Schools	\$6,981,016	Huron School District	\$1,203,547
School District of the City of Lincoln Park	\$9,388,069	Livonia Public Schools	\$11,983,683
Northville Public Schools	\$7,772,521	Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$4,434,513
Redford Union Schools	\$6,881,716	South Redford Public Schools	\$467,522
Southgate Community School District	\$4,368,939	Taylor School District	\$2,946,007
Trenton Public Schools	\$2,828,953	Van Buren Public Schools	\$1,590,795
Wayne-Westland Comm. Schools	\$10,011,712	Westwood Community Schools	\$248,311
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District	\$3,032,398	School District of the City of Wyandotte	\$15,595,725
		Total All Districts	\$144,437,263

Approved payment to the Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators (MAISA) securing access for all Wayne County educators to the EduPaths Professional Development Portal for the 2021-22 fiscal year in the amount of \$43,384.40.

Approved payments of 2021-22 Deferred Section 107 allocable amounts to the following school districts, in the amounts indicated, for Region 10 grant activities identified and approved under Section 107 of the State Aid Act from the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Development for a total amount not to exceed \$2,504,099 for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

County	District	Amount
Macomb	Chippewa Valley Schools	\$35,206
Macomb	Lake Shore Public Schools (Macomb)	\$48,904
Macomb	L'Anse Creuse Public Schools	\$64,513

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Macomb	Utica Community Schools	\$314,385
Macomb	Warren Consolidated Schools	\$37,342
Macomb	Warren Woods Public Schools	\$59,971
Oakland	Ferndale Public Schools	\$154,412
Oakland	Pontiac City School District	\$13,967
Oakland	School District of the City of Royal Oak	\$104,898
Oakland	Novi Community School District	\$100,845
Oakland	Troy School District	\$209,893
Oakland	West Bloomfield School District	\$51,242
Oakland	Farmington Public School District	\$51,174
Oakland	Huron Valley Schools	\$34,399
Oakland	Rochester Community School District	\$89,151
Wayne	Detroit Public Community School District	\$268,070
Wayne	Dearborn City School District	\$332,627
Wayne	Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$140,587
Wayne	Livonia Public Schools School District	\$80,057
Wayne	Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$87,386
Wayne	Romulus Community Schools	\$73,004
Wayne	Southgate Community School District	\$152,066
Total		\$2,504,099

Approved payments of 2021-22 Section 107 allocable amounts to the following school districts, in the amounts indicated, for Region 10 grant activities identified and approved under Section 107 of the State Aid Act from the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity for a total amount not to exceed \$10,467,313.00 for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

County	District	Amount
Macomb	Chippewa Valley Schools	\$143,216
Macomb	Lake Shore Public Schools (Macomb)	\$163,728
Macomb	L'Anse Creuse Public Schools	\$215,240
Macomb	Utica Community Schools	\$1,278,903
Macomb	Warren Consolidated Schools	\$265,058

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Macomb	Warren Woods Public Schools	\$243,958
Oakland	Birmingham Public Schools	\$140,627
Oakland	Ferndale Public Schools	\$513,887
Oakland	Pontiac City School District	\$56,819
Oakland	School District of the City of Royal Oak	\$350,255
Oakland	Novi Community School District	\$336,670
Oakland	Troy School District	\$698,607
Oakland	West Bloomfield School District	\$172,082
Oakland	Farmington Public School District	\$171,537
Oakland	Huron Valley Schools	\$139,934
Oakland	Rochester Community School District	\$362,663
Oakland	Walled Lake Consolidated Schools	\$162,167
Wayne	Detroit Public Community School District	\$891,369
Wayne	Dearborn City School District	\$1,833,644
Wayne	Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$571,903
Wayne	Livonia Public Schools School District	\$267,549
Wayne	Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$291,179
Wayne	Romulus Community Schools	\$296,975
Wayne	Southgate Community School District	\$618,599
Wayne	Wayne RESA	\$280,744
Total		\$10,467,313

Approved an advance payment to the subrecipients below in the amounts listed to cover start-up costs associated with operating Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) classrooms for the period of August 2021 through October 2021.

Subrecipient	Amount
2 Day's Child Learning Center	\$8,550
ASA Higher Learning Preparatory	\$10,000
Children of the Rising Sun Empowerment Center	\$8,332
Cribs 2 College	\$10,680
Early Learning Prep	\$9,120
Intelligent Tots	\$7,275
Lovin' Touch Learning Center	\$7,810
Rhema Childcare Center	\$6,543
Total	\$68,311

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Approved payment to the Detroit Public School Community District (DPSCD) in the amount of \$45,816.56 for 2020-21 Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support (PBIS) final expense payment.

Authorized administration to enter into a contract with IntegriSource, Tallahassee, FL for programming service in an amount not to exceed \$215,000 for the period of October 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

Approved entering into a renewal contract with Wayne Metro Community Action Agency in compliance with Federal procurement requirements and Board Policy, in an amount not to exceed \$135,103 for the period October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Authorized administration to enter into a contract with the Michigan Rehabilitation Services (MRS) under an Interagency Cash Transfer Agreement in an amount not to exceed \$107,772 for the period October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Authorized administration to enter into a contract with the Michigan Rehabilitation Services (MRS) under an Interagency Cash Transfer Agreement in an amount not to exceed \$80,000 for the period October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Authorized administration to enter into a contract with the subrecipients listed below, in the amount indicated, for operating Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

District/PSA/Agency	Amount	District/PSA/Agency	Amount
2 Day’s Child Learning Center	\$143,574	Friendship Child Care Center	\$135,024
Angel Land Center of Hope	\$133,632	Gesu Catholic School	\$135,024
Beautiful Minds Learning Center	\$135,024	Greater Sonora (Early Learning Prep)	\$267,264
Caring Hands Childcare Academy	\$135,024	Hakuna Matatah	\$109,707
Chapel Hill Early Childhood Education	\$405,072	Healthy Kidz Inc.	\$151,902
Children First Learning Center	\$118,146	Inspire Learning Center	\$135,024
Commonwealth Community Development Academy	\$151,902	Intelligent Tots	\$135,024
Creative Academics Learning Center	\$151,092	Kidz Kingdom Free Play & Party Center	\$135,024
Detroit Community Schools – Elementary	\$135,024	Learning Links Academy	\$133,632
Early Harvest Christian Learning Center	\$135,024	Positive Images Child Care Program	\$135,024
Empowered Community Learning Center	\$135,024	Summit Academy North	\$151,902
First Step Learning Center	\$135,024	Sunrise Education Center	\$236,292
		Total	\$3,772,785

Authorized administration to enter into an agreement with the following Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) agencies for transportation services, for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Subrecipients	Amount		

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Alawie Educational Services	\$35,000	Jude Community Development Corporation	\$10,000
American International Academy	\$15,000	Kid Connection Early Learning Center	\$15,000
Barber Preparatory Academy GSRP	\$40,000	Lovin Touch Learning Center	\$15,000
Creative Kidz Learning Center	\$10,000	New Greater Bethlehem Temple We Care Child Development Center	\$32,585
Cribs 2 College Academy	\$62,700	Ready 2 Learn Childcare Center	\$35,000
It Takes a Village Academy	\$14,000	Redford Union Schools District No. 1	\$66,000
Joy Preparatory Academy	\$12,000		
		Total	\$362,285

Authorized administration to enter into a contract with Shelden and Rush, LLC to provide Coaching Training for Early On providers, the cost not to exceed \$100,000 for the period January 1, 2022 through February 28, 2023.

Authorized administration to amend the contract (Approved in Board Recommendation #209-20-21) to increase the amount of the contract with CDW-G, Chicago, Il, for three years of GoGuardian Internet content filtering software licenses, from an amount of \$250,000 to an amount of \$323,316.48 for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2024.

Approved an amendment to Board Recommendation #41-21-22 to increase the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) subrecipient funding contracts with listed providers for the period October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Subrecipients	Approved Amount	New Amount
Advanced Technology Academy	\$270,048	\$675,120
Angel Land Center of Hope	\$133,632	\$141,632
Arab American Children Center	\$405,072	\$540,096
ASA Higher Learning Preparatory	\$135,024	\$140,024
Bambi Land Child Care	\$860,778	\$868,778
Caring Hands Childcare and Preschool	\$135,024	\$144,115
Child Star Development Center	\$303,804	\$405,072
Childtime Childcare, Inc	\$405,072	\$540,096
Children's Garden LLC	\$810,144	\$991,800
Cribs 2 College	\$151,902	\$162,902
David Ellis Academy West	\$270,048	\$405,072
Dearborn City School District	\$5,130,912	\$5,170,912
Detroit Service Learning Academy	\$303,804	\$455,706
Early Learning Prep	\$267,264	\$267,832
Greater Ebenezer MISS BAPT Church	\$151,092	\$303,804
Harper Woods, The School District of the City of	\$543,528	\$540,096
Hope Academy	\$286,926	\$301,277
It Takes a village Academy	\$270,048	\$286,926
Jude Community Development Corporation	\$133,632	\$135,024
Kids' Avenue Christian Learning Center	\$135,024	\$485,706

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KinderCare Education LLC at Champions GSRP	\$270,048	\$303,804
Kingdom Kare Learning Center	\$455,076	\$421,950
Little Scholars	\$601,344	\$657,149
Lovin' Touch Learning Center	\$135,024	\$151,902
Martin Luther King Jr. Day Care	\$133,632	\$400,896
Nene's Little Angel's Childcare Center	\$135,024	\$151,902
New St. Paul Head Start Agency, Inc.	\$270,048	\$472,584
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	\$540,096	\$472,584
Redford Union Schools, District No. 1	\$270,048	\$405,072
Reign	\$133,632	\$150,336
Rhema Childcare Center	\$135,024	\$137,379
Southgate Community School District	\$759,510	\$911,412
Taylor School District	\$1,654,044	\$1,670,922
The Order of the Fishermen	\$329,121	\$379,755
Van Buren Public Schools	\$708,876	\$742,632
Total	\$17,633,325	\$20,392,269

Approved an amendment to Board Recommendation #40-21-22 to increase the following Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) subrecipient transportation funds, for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

Subrecipient	Approved Amount	New Amount
Academy for Business & Technology	\$35,000	\$75,000
Brainiacs Clubhouse Child Development Center	\$33,000	\$45,000
Busy Minds Child Care Center, Inc.	\$24,400	\$30,000
Children'z Place 2	\$15,000	\$25,000
Christios Child Care & Academy	\$20,550	\$50,000
Creative Learning Children's College, LLC	\$29,450	\$30,000
Dreamy Day Care	\$57,560	\$60,000
Dreamy Day Care 2, LLC	\$25,450	\$42,500
Ecorse Public Schools	\$45,750	\$76,000
Focus HOPE	\$59,500	\$100,000
Garden City Public Schools	\$101,265	\$120,000
Greater Ebenezer MISS BAPT Church	\$24,400	\$29,900
Hamtramck, School District of the City of	\$18,224	\$37,971
Hanley International Academy	\$8,138	\$15,000
Kristy's Early Childhood	\$38,125	\$81,250
Livonia Public Schools School District	\$38,125	\$102,800
Nene's Little Angel's Childcare Center	\$15,000	\$20,000
Quality Childcare & Learning Center	\$36,740	\$40,000
Romulus Community Schools	\$20,000	\$60,000
Someplace Else Learning Factory LLC	\$57,600	\$65,000
Southgate Community School District	\$40,000	\$100,000
Village of Shiny Stars Child Care	\$27,200	\$30,000
Total	\$770,477	\$1,235,421

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Approved an amendment to Board Rec #59-21-22 increasing Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Preschool funds for Allen Park Public Schools from the original amount of \$42,124 to an amount not to exceed \$42,200.

The Board also considered the following Action Items:

Approved the appointment of Catherine Cost to serve on the Henry Ford Academy Board beginning October 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2024.

Approved the appointment of Dr. Markita Hall to the position of Director of Educational Services, effective October 1, 2021.

Approved the adoption of Board Policy 5030 Discrimination and Harassment, with the understanding that revised Board Policy 5030 will replace current Board Policies 5030 and 2430.

Approved a Resolution and Special Tribute to Kenneth E. Berlinn, Jr.

Superintendent's Comments

Dr. Daveda Colbert shared:

- Count Day was October 6, 2021. Official count day numbers are expected the 2nd week of November. The intent is to report on Wayne County enrollment numbers during the November board meeting.
- Wayne County Schools accomplishments:
 - Dearborn Public Schools received National Blue Ribbon Honors at two of their schools (Haigh Elementary School and Henry Ford Early College.
 - Both Livonia Public Schools and Plymouth-Canton Community Schools were recognized by US News & World Report for having the best elementary schools.
 - Northville School District was named the best school district in Michigan in Niche's 2022 rankings.
- Wayne County continues to expand early childhood offerings through the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP).

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