

**RIVER VALLEY LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR SESSION BOARD MEETING  
RIVER VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL  
LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER (LMC)**

**July 16, 2020  
Minutes  
6:00 P.M.**

**In order to be successful with our mission, we focus on the following goals:**

- Safe Learning Environment
- High Student Achievement
- Effective and Efficient Operation
- High Performing Workforce

**OPENING OF MEETING BY THE PRESIDENT:**

Board President Brent Gorenflo called the regular meeting of the River Valley Board of Education to order at 6:00 pm with the following members present: Robert Stump, Don Rengert, Staci Glenn-Short and Brent Gorenflo. (Nancy Richards absent)

**APPROVAL OF BOARD AGENDA**

**Res. 085-20** Mr. Stump moved, seconded by Mr. Rengert to approve adoption of the agenda as presented.

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo

Nays:

President Gorenflo declared the motion carried

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Res. 086-20** Mr. Rengert moved, seconded by Mr. Stump to approve adoption of the minutes for:

June 11, 2020

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo

Nays:

President Gorenflo declared the motion carried

**RECOGNITION OF VISITORS:**

Board President welcomes visitors.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS:**

**Superintendent Shares Oral / Written Correspondence / Communications:**

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No updates to be shared

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Superintendent's Reports/Recommendations:**

**Res. 087-20** Mr. Rengert moved, seconded by Mr. Stump to approve the following resolutions:

1. **Agreements/Resolutions:**

- a. **Resolution: Technical Services Agreement Between River Valley Local Schools (RVLSD) and North West Ohio Computer Association NWOCA:** Board approval of a one year contract between NWOCA and RVLSD for the 2020-2021 school year as presented.
- b. **Resolution: Online Services Agreements Between META (TRECA) and River Valley Local Schools:** Board approval to enter into Credit Recovery, iCredit and School-Within-A-School service agreements with META Solutions to provide online instruction, for the 2020-2021 school year, as presented.
- c. **Resolution: Agreement Between the Marion County Sheriff's Office and River Valley Local Schools(RVLSD):** Board approval of the agreement between the Marion County Sheriff's Office and RVLSD for the 2020-2021 school year as presented.
- d. **Resolution: Contract with Center for Autism and Dyslexia:** Board approval of a contract between River Valley Local Schools and the Bucyrus Center for Autism and Dyslexia to serve one of our students with autism for the 2020-2021 school year, as presented.
- e. **Resolution: Adopting a Calamity Day Alternative Make-up Plan:** Board approval of the following resolution regarding calamity days and blizzard bags:

WHEREAS, the River Valley Local School board of education desires that students have learning opportunities even when schools are closed for any of the reasons specified in section3313.482 of the Ohio Revised Code; and

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WHEREAS, section 3313.482 authorizes a board of education to file an annual plan with the Ohio Department of Education by August 1 of each year to provide online learning opportunities for students in lieu of attendance on such days of closure;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT, AND IT IS, HEREBY RESOLVED that the River Valley Local School Board of Education hereby approves the following plan and authorizes its filing with the Ohio Department of Education.

- f. **Resolution: Proposed Calendar Changes for 2020-2021 School Year:** Board approval of the Proposed Calendar Changes for the 2020-2021 School Year, as presented.
  
- g. **Resolution: Proposed Reopening Plan for 2020-2021 School Year:** Board approval of the Proposed Reopening Plan for the 2020-2021 school year, as presented.

Discussion: Mr. Wickham and Mr. Douce presented a reopening plan and discussed the logistics on how this plan would work for students and staff. The District has been working with Marion Public Health to form this plan.

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo

Nays:

President Gorenflo declared the motion carried

**Executive Session – No Executive Session:**

3. **Certificated Personnel:**

**Res. 088-20** Mrs. Glenn-Short moved, seconded by Mr. Stump to approve the following information:

- a. **Certificated Personnel – Resignation:** Board approval to accept the resignation of Austin Bingman, Band Director, effective at the conclusion of the current contract, July 31, 2020, as presented.
  
- b. **Certificated Personnel – Resignation:** Board approval to accept the resignation of Keri Deskens, Half-time First Grade Teacher, effective at the conclusion of the current contract, July 31, 2020, as presented.

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- c. **Certificated Personnel – Resignation:** Board approval to accept, with regrets and best wishes, the resignation for retirement purposes of Duff Kraschinsky, High School Teacher, effective at the end of the 2019-2020 school year.
- d. **Certificated – Salary Adjustment:** Board approval of a salary adjustment from MA15 to MA30, Step 17 for Lori Peterson, effective June 18, 2020, who has completed the necessary requirements for such an adjustment, as presented.
- e. **Certificated – Salary Adjustment:** Board approval of a salary adjustment from BA to BA15, Step 1, for Brittany Lower, effective June 29, 2020, who has completed the necessary requirements for such an adjustment, as presented.
- f. **Certificated Personnel – Supplementals:** Board approval of the following individuals for one year supplementals, for 2020-2021, as outlined in your background materials and contingent upon completion of any necessary requirements for employment/certification, paid per negotiated agreement.
- Laura Carey – Middle School Yearbook Advisor
  - Cheyenne Driskell – Jr. Class Co-Advisor
  - Cheyenne Driskell - 7th Grade Volleyball Coach
  - Michelle Evans - Sophomore Class Advisor
  - Toni Evans – Quiz Bowl Advisor
  - Amanda Friend - NHS Advisor
  - Ed Goodwin – Industrial Tech Club Advisor
  - Joe House – New Addition, New Rhythm, Music Company
  - Amy Jordan – Freshman Class Advisor
  - Jayne Klingel - High School Head Volleyball Coach
  - John Klingel – Jr. Class Co-Advisor
  - Ben Thompson – HS Yearbook Advisor
- g. **Certificated Personnel - Extended Service Days:** Board approval of the following individuals for extended days as indicated below:

Effective July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021  
Ed Goodwin – 5 days at per diem rate

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo  
Nays:

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**4. Classified Personnel:**

**Res. 089-20** Mr. Stump moved, seconded by Mrs. Glenn-Short to approve the following information:

- a. **Classified Personnel - Limited Contract Recommendation:** Board approval to grant a two year limited contract to Julie Martin, custodian with River Valley Middle School, effective July 1, 2020, contingent upon completion of necessary requirements for certification/ licensure.
- b. **Classified Personnel – Resignation:** Board approval to accept the letter of resignation from Kristin Harris, Aide at Heritage Elementary, effective August 2020, with regrets and best wishes and as presented.
- c. **Classified Personnel – Supplemental:**

WHEREAS, this Board has posted positions as being available to employees of the district who hold educator licenses, and no such employee meeting all of the Board's qualifications has applied for, been offered, and accepted such positions, and

WHEREAS, this board then advertised these positions as being available to licensed individuals not employed by this district, and no such person meeting all of the Board's qualifications has applied for, been offered, and accepted such positions,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that coaching positions may be granted to non-licensed individuals for the 2020-2021 school year, contingent upon completion of any necessary requirements for employment/certification and paid per negotiated contract, per information provided.

**2020-2021:**

Jenn Chiles - High School JV Volleyball Co-Coach (Previously approved as a volunteer) to be paid at a rate of \$1,172.10 plus an additional \$1,500.00 paid from fundraising account.

Nicole Hummel - High School Freshman Volleyball Coach

Mackenzie Warner - High School JV Volleyball Co-Coach to be paid at a rate of \$1,856.28.

**Purchase Service Contract:**

Allysabeth Farrell at a rate of \$2000.00

Deb McEntire at a rate of \$1200.00

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- d. **Bus Garage Assistant:** Board approval of the following individuals to work in the Bus Garage to assist Ben Lyon clean and ready buses for the 2020-2021 school year, contingent upon completion of any necessary requirements for employment/certification. Retro to June 4, 2020 paid at a rate of \$10.00 per hour.

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- e. **Classified Personnel – Volunteers:** Board approval of the following individuals as volunteers for 2020-2021, contingent upon completion of any necessary requirements for employment/certification.

Jessica Bayles - Volunteer Show Choir Assistant Director  
Melissa Bollinger – Volunteer Middle School Show Choir Choreographer  
Michelle Higgins – Volunteer Middle School Show Choir Director

Discussion: None.

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo  
Nays:  
President Gorenflo declared motion carried

5. **Summer Food Program employment and update:**

**Res. 090-20** Mr. Rengert moved, seconded by Mr. Stump to approve the following information:

- a. **Employment:** Board approval of the following individuals for the 2020-2021 Summer Food Program. Contingent upon completion of any necessary requirements for certification/employment, per the information provided.

Pam Graham - Retro to June 8, 2020 paid at a rate of \$11.00 per hour.

- b. **Drivers:** Board approval to pay bus drives at their hourly route rate instead of trip rate for the 2020 summer lunch program only (June 1, 2020 through August 14, 2020).

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo  
Nays:  
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**6. Students:**

**Res. 091-20** Mr. Stump moved, seconded by Mr. Rengert to approve the following information:

- a. **Students – Elementary School Handbook:** Board approval of the Elementary School Handbook for 2020-2021 school year, as presented.
- b. **Students – High School Handbook:** Board approval of the High School Handbook for 2020-2021 school year, as presented.

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo

Nays:

President Gorenflo declared the motion carried

**V. ADJOURN** - Thank you for coming.

**Res. 092-20** Mr. Stump moved, seconded by Mrs. Glenn-Short to adjourn the regular meeting of the River Valley Board of Education at 7:57 p.m.

Discussion: None

Vote: Ayes: Stump, Glenn-Short, Rengert, Gorenflo

Nays:

President Gorenflo declared the motion carried

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Board President

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