

### **Regular Meeting Poland Board of Education held August 23, 2021**

The Regular meeting of the Poland Board of Education was held on Monday, August 23, 2021, at 6:00 p.m., in the Dobbins Board Room, 3030 Dobbins Road, Poland, Ohio 44514

President, Mr. Riddle called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members present for roll call and answering their names were Ms. Colucci, Dr. Dinopoulos, Mr. Polis, Mr. Riddle, and Mr. Warren.

Pledge of Allegiance

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Ms. Colucci seconded with all members present voting aye to extend the rules of public participation in order to give everyone a chance to speak. Motion passed 5-0.

### **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

- Elinor Zedaker – 70 Poland Manor – Expressed thanks to board in advance for the difficult decisions needing made regarding the wearing of masks.
- Evangela Hazimihalis – 3234 Olde Winter – Expressed not supporting any kind of mask mandate.
- Dennis Schiraldi – 7308 Indian Trail – Expressed supporting a mask optional decision; however, not in favor of a mask mandate.
- Patricia Sweeney - 445 S. Main Street – Applaud the board for putting a mask mandate in place.
- Marissa Patrone – 6893 Clingan Road – Signed in; however, did not address the board.
- Jason Erb - 14 Lee Drive – Expressed supporting optional mask and taking precautions.
- Valerie Willard Valente – 6153 Acatello Place – Reminded everyone that Poland is a community that cares about each other and support for each other is the most important thing right now.
- Michelle Elia – 59 Orchard Drive – Encouraged support for each other despite our personal opinions.
- Adilson Rafael Valente – 6153 Acatello Place – Regardless of whether you're for or against masks he cares about everyone and wants to protect people.
- Geoff Armbricht – 8425 Four Seasons Trail - Expressed not being against masks, but feel the parents should have the freedom to choose if their child wears a mask or not.
- Bill Adams - 28 Cortland Street – Expressed that mask optional isn't really an option. A mandate is necessary.
- Gus Kantaras - 36 College Street – Expressed that parents should make their own decision to mask their child and not the Board of Education.

### **BOARD OF EDUCATION RECOMMENDATIONS**

#### **Approval of Board Policy – Resolution #2021-174**

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Mr. Polis seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the Poland Board of Education Policies, listed below, as presented for second and final reading. 1st reading approved June 21, 2021. The policy updates were completed using the services of NEOLA and will be available online. Motion passed 5-0.

**Authorize the Superintendent to Mandate Masks – Resolution #2021-175**

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Mr. Warren seconded to authorize the Superintendent to mandate masks for students and staff in buses, classrooms, hallways, and gymnasiums (while indoors only) during instructional time for twenty (20) school days and to reevaluate Covid data to bring back to the Board of Education at the next scheduled Board of Education meeting.

A discussion was held regarding the mandate and Mr. Polis made a motion to amend the mandate to a K-6 mandate, rather than district-wide, Dr. Dinopoulos seconded the motion. The vote was as follows regarding amending the motion. Mr. Warren – Yes. Ms. Colucci and Mr. Riddle – No. Motion to amend passed 3-2.

Mr. Polis moved and Dr. Dinopoulos seconded to authorize the Superintendent to mandate masks for students and staff in buses, classrooms, hallways, and gymnasiums (while indoors only) during instructional time for twenty (20) school days, **for Grades K-6**, and to reevaluate Covid data to bring back to the Board of Education at the next scheduled Board of Education meeting. Mr. Warren voted yes. Ms. Colucci and Mr. Riddle voted no. Motion passed 3-2.

**Approval of Consent Agenda – Resolution #2021-176**

Moved by Mr. Polis and seconded by Ms. Colucci to approve the following consent agenda items:

**Treasurer/CFO Requests of Consent: Janet Muntean**

1. The Board approve the Minutes of July 19, 2021 and Special Board Meeting of August 4, 2021 and August 17, 2021.
2. The Board approve the Financial Report of July 2021 as submitted.
3. The Board accept the following donations:
  - Donation of \$500 to Preschool - Anonymous
  - Donation of \$100 to Preschool - Michael and Sue Ann Niro
  - Donation of \$100 to Preschool - Sharon Petrella and C. Diane Carfolo

**Superintendent's Requests of Consent: Craig Hockenberry**

1. The Board approve the following certified supplemental resignations:

Haley Shaffer - resignation from English Festival 7 & 8 grade Supplemental
2. The Board approve the attached student fee schedule for the 2021-2022 school year.

PMS/McKinley - \$20 Supply Fee

PSHS – As per list.

### COURSE FEES - Poland Seminary 2021-2022

|     |                                |                           |         |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| 721 | Accounting 2                   | On-line Accounting progra | \$36.00 |
| 356 | Advanced Chemistry 1           | Advanced Chemistry-1      | \$30.00 |
| 357 | Advanced Chemistry 2           | Advanced Chemistry-2      | \$30.00 |
| 187 | AP Art History                 | Exam prep wrkbks/consumab | \$40.00 |
| 44  | AP English 11-Lang & Comp      | AP Eng-consumables/books  | \$15.00 |
| 54  | AP English 12-Lit &Comp        | AP Eng-Consumables/books  | \$15.00 |
| 141 | AP U.S. History                | AP-US Hist.wrkbks/consum. | \$30.00 |
| 872 | Art 2                          | Art consumables           | \$20.00 |
| 873 | Art 3                          | Art consumables           | \$20.00 |
| 874 | Art 4                          | Art consumables           | \$20.00 |
| 351 | Chemistry                      | Chemistry                 | \$30.00 |
| 525 | Child Development              | Child Dvlpmt-activity mat | \$6.00  |
| 32  | College English 10             | Eng. consmbles/chpt.bks.  | \$15.00 |
| 33  | College English 10             | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 43  | College English 11             | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 22  | College English 9              | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 23  | College English 9              | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 523 | Culinary Fundamentals          | Cooking supplies/food     | \$25.00 |
| 955 | English 10                     | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 956 | English 11                     | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 957 | English 12                     | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 954 | English 9                      | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 526 | Global Foods                   | Global Foods/supplies     | \$25.00 |
| 31  | Honors English 10              | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 21  | Honors English 9               | Eng. consmbles/chpt.books | \$15.00 |
| 720 | Intro to Accounting            | On-line Actg. program     | \$36.00 |
| 871 | Intro to Art                   | Art consumables           | \$20.00 |
| 461 | Italian 1                      | Italian Dictionaries      | \$10.00 |
| 462 | Italian 2                      | Italian Readers           | \$10.00 |
| 463 | Italian 3                      | Italian Readers           | \$10.00 |
| 464 | Italian 4                      | Italian Readers           | \$10.00 |
| 524 | Personal Wellness &Development | Pers/Well/Dev. consmbles. | \$10.00 |
| 482 | Spanish 2                      | Natnl. Spanish Assessment | \$4.00  |
| 527 | Textile Design, Constr & Mntc  | fabric/sewing supplies    | \$10.00 |

3. The Board acknowledge Michele Ciccone, FMLA as of September 17, 2021 for approximately 2-3 weeks according to the OAPSE contract article 5.10.
4. The Board approve a stipend of \$3000 to be paid to Terry Wittenauer serving as supervisor and coordinator of the preschool program for the 2021-2022 school year. The stipend will be evaluated by the Board annually and shall be paid using Fund #012 (preschool fund) revenue.

5. The Board approve the following as long term substitute teachers as needed for the 2021-2022 school year.

Eva Sullivan - PMS ELA

Joanna Rizzo - PMS Science/Social Studies

Dianne Kosco - 4th Grade Intervention Specialist

6. The Board approve the following certified personnel to be placed on the approved substitute list for the 2021-2022 school year, substitute basis only, according to the PEA contract; all required reports are on file:

Cathy Fedor - Substitute school nurse (effective 9/7/2021)

7. The Board acknowledge the following employees for FMLA according to PEA Contract Article 4.91. Leaves have tentative return dates with proper release to return to work is required:

Thad Wright - As of August 18, 2021 until tentatively end of school year.

Janice Hohloch - As of August 18, 2021 and return date to be determined.

8. The Board approve a \$250.00 stipend to be paid to the following teachers for additional planning and preparation necessary to cover additional classes in the master schedule at Poland Seminary High School.

Leslie Monteiro

Chris Martin

Richard Black

Michael Vagas

Liz Calderone

#### **END OF CONSENT AGENDA**

Roll call, all members voted yes, consent agenda approved. Motion Passed 5-0.

#### **TREASURER'S REQUESTS/RECOMMENDATIONS - Not included in Consent Agenda:**

##### **Approval of Farmers National Bank Agreement – Resolution #2021-177**

Mr. Warren moved and Dr. Dinopoulos seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the Farmers National Bank Agreement for Deposit of Public Funds for the period of August 23, 2021 through August 22, 2026. Motion passed 5-0.

#### **SUPERINTENDENT'S REQUESTS/RECOMMENDATIONS - Not included in Consent Agenda:**

##### **Approval of Agreement with Youngstown City Schools for Audiology – Resolution #2021-178**

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Mr. Polis seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the Agreement with Youngstown City Schools for Audiology Assessment Services for the benefit of Poland School District for the 2021-2022 school year. Motion passed 5-0.

**Approval of Agreement with Mahoning Valley Community School – Resolution #2021-179**

Ms. Colucci moved and Mr. Warren seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the Agreement with Mahoning Valley Community School to perform services to benefit students of Poland School District for the 2021-2022 school year. Motion passed 5-0.

**Approval of 2021-2022 Supplemental Contracts – Resolution #2021-180**

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Ms. Colucci seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the following recommendations of the 2021-2022 Supplemental List as presented. Motion passed 5-0.

**PS High School**

| <u>Name</u>                      |                                           |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| AFS                              | Ron Rowe                                  |
| Art Club                         | Sue Holub                                 |
| FCCLA                            | Julie Walsh                               |
| Applied Arts Dept. Chairperson   | Pat Williams                              |
| Fine Arts Dept. Chairperson      | Mark Brungard                             |
| Freshman Class Advisor           | Deborah Paine                             |
| Sophomore Class Advisor          | Julianna Wellington                       |
| Junior Class Advisor             | Christine Gotti                           |
| Senior Class Advisor             | Ruth Riley                                |
| High School Dramatics            | Candy Fonagy                              |
| HS English Dept. Chairperson     | Ann Marie Hurdley                         |
| PSHS Math Dept. Chairperson      | Robert Sainato                            |
| PSHS Social Studies Dept. Chair  | Ron Rowe                                  |
| HS Special Ed Dept. Chair        | Julianna Wellington                       |
| HS Science Dept. Chair           | Beth Queen                                |
| HS GRADEBOOK                     | Sarah Ross                                |
| Leadership HS Advisor            | Maggie McGee                              |
| HS Literary Magazine Advisor     | Theresa Smith                             |
| HS Newspaper Advisor             | Madison Kasten                            |
| HS Newspaper Advisor             | Theresa Smith                             |
| HS Science/Applied Tech Club     | Beth Queen                                |
| Robotics Advisor                 | Angela Zedaker                            |
| Foreign Lang. Dept. Chairperson  | Christine Gotti                           |
| Italian Club                     | Lisa DiTomasso                            |
| Spanish Club Advisor (split .04) | Christie Mitch                            |
| Spanish Club Advisor (split .04) | Lisa Havlin                               |
| Student Council                  | Melissa Lunevich                          |
| Interact Club                    | Christopher Martin                        |
| LPDC                             | Debbie Paine                              |
| LPDC                             | Ruth Riley                                |
| LPDC                             | Lauren DeJulio                            |
| Pioneer                          | Debbie Paine                              |
| Speech and Debate                | Spencer Humphreys                         |
| Speech and Debate (ASSTS)        | Katherine Roman                           |
|                                  | Thomas DeLuca                             |
|                                  | Adam Dwinnells                            |
|                                  | Alex Sanders                              |
|                                  | Dominic Adams (Pending Background Checks) |

PMS

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| Lead Mentor Resident Educator Program Cor.  | Pam Angelilli  |
| McKinley/PMS GRADEBOOK                      | Pat Williams   |
| McKinley/PMS Stem Club                      | Jill Marconi   |
| PANDA co-advisor (split.05)                 | Wendy Butch    |
| PANDA co-advisor                            | Mary Jo Rowan  |
| PMS Yearbook (2 split .05)                  | Angela Zedaker |
| PMS Yearbook                                | Pam Angelilli  |
| PMS Junior Leadership Advisor (2 split .05) | Abby Aebischer |
| PMS Junior Leadership Advisor               | Pam Angelilli  |
| PMS Math Counts                             | Bruce Daley    |
| PMS Science Chair                           | Jill Marconi   |
| PMS Social Studies Chair                    | Andrew Mamula  |
| PMS ELA Chair                               | Haley Shaffer  |
| PMS Math Chair                              | Alaina McMahon |
| PMS Spec. Ed. Dept. Chair                   | Amy Close      |
| PMS Student Council                         | Alaina McMahon |
| LPDC                                        | Holly Wilson   |
| LPDC Sec                                    | Tracey Kaschak |
| LPDC                                        | David Purins   |

MUSIC

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|-------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Music - Band Director                     | Jeff Hvizdos       |
| Music - Elementary Instrumental Music     | Jeff Penney        |
| Music - Senior Hi Marching Band Assistant | Jeff Penney        |
| Music - Senior & Jr. Hi Vocal Music       | Jeff Penney        |
| Music - Middle School Band Director       | Jeff Hvizdos       |
| Music - Pep Band                          | Jeff Hvizdos       |
| Flagline Advisor                          | Jennifer Stefancin |
| Majorette                                 | Jennifer Stefancin |

**FALL SPORTS****CHEERLEADERS**

Cheerleader - HS Cheerleader Coach  
Cheerleader - Ninth Grade Cheerleader  
Advisor

Julie Rinehart  
Lindsay Ignazio

**SOCCER**

Varsity Soccer Boys  
JV Boys Soccer

Brian Garcar  
William Storkel

**VOLLEYBALL**

Head Varsity Girls Volleyball  
JV Girls Volleyball  
Head 8th Gr. Volleyball  
Head 7th Gr. Volleyball

Aleah Hughes  
Dylan Bosela  
Alexis Hughes  
Mark Wesolowsky

**GOLF**

Golf Boys  
Golf Girls

David DiGiacomo  
Joseph Colella

**CROSS COUNTRY**

Cross Country Coach-Girls  
Cross Country Coach-Boys  
MS Cross Country Head Coach

Kim Grisdale  
Monica Ciarniello  
Tom Grantonic



Girls Tennis Coach (Fall)

James Leslie

### WINTER SPORTS

#### BASKETBALL

Physical Fitness Basketball

Fender Eric

JV Girls Basketball Coach

Christopher Martin

JV Boys Basketball Coach

Richard Black

Head Varsity Girls Basketball

Nick Blanch

7th Grade Girls Basketball Head Coach

Lucinda Blanch

#### WRESTLING

Varsity Head Wrestling Coach

Kenneth Jameson

HS Varsity Asst. Wrestling Coach

Devin Smith

MS Head Wrestling Coach

Jordan Beadle

#### SWIMMING

Head Varsity Swim Coach

Anastasios Mihalopoulos

### SPRING SPORTS

#### TRACK

Head Varsity Boys Track

*Ryan Williams*

Asst. Varsity Boys Track

Dave DiGiacomo

Head Varsity Girls Track

Gabby Massey

Asst. Varsity Girls Track

*Luke Skinner*

Head PMS Track Coach Boys/Girls

*Lucinda Blanch*

Assistant PMS Track Coach Boys

*Cullar Kenneth*

Assistant PMS Track Coach Girls

*Nick Blanch*

#### LACROSSE

Head Girls Lacrosse Coach

*Mara Banfield*

Head Boys Lacrosse Coach

*Dennis Schweers*

#### BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

Head Varsity Softball Coach

Jim Serich

Asst. Varsity Girls Softball

Monica Kurjan

Head Varsity Baseball Coach

Rich Murray

Asst. Varsity Baseball Coach

Ryan Gesacion

Ninth Grade Baseball Coach

*Daniel Klase*

JV Boys Baseball Coach

Mark Wesolowsky

#### TENNIS

Boys Tennis Coach

Jimmy Leslie

#### RESIDENT EDUCATOR

Mentor of 1st and 2nd yr resident

Pam Angelilli



**Approval to Amend the Educational Service Center of Eastern Ohio (ESCEO) Contract for 2021-2022 – Resolution #2021-181**

Mr. Polis moved and Mr. Warren seconded with all members present voting aye to amend the Educational Service Center of Eastern Ohio (ESCEO) contract for the 2021-2022 school year to include Communications/Marketing Director and Home Schooling. Motion passed 5-0.

**Approval of Classified Employees for FY22 – Resolution #2021-182**

Ms. Colucci moved and Dr. Dinopoulos seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the following classified employees for the 2021-2022 school year. Motion passed 5-0.

Holly Kollar - PMS/McKinley Secretary

Samuel Brothers - Groundskeeper/Maintenance (effective September 1, 2021)

**Approval of One-time Stipend to Teachers – Resolution #2021-183**

Ms. Colucci moved and Dr. Dinopoulos seconded with all members present voting aye to approve a one-time \$225.00 stipend for the following teachers to set up their classroom during non-contractual day. Motion passed 5-0.

| <b>Teacher Name</b> | <b>Building</b> |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Alicia Williams     | Middle School   |
| Nick Henry          | Middle School   |
| Kelly Lidle         | Middle School   |
| Deanna Alberini     | Middle School   |
| Nancy Moon          | Middle School   |
| Marilyn Murray      | Middle School   |
| Kristi Martin       | Middle School   |
| Susie McNally       | Middle School   |
| Bruce Daley         | Middle School   |
| Hannah Berni        | Middle School   |
| Haley Shaffer       | Middle School   |
| Julie Kelliher      | Middle School   |
| Andrea Tekac        | Middle School   |
| Stephanie Beaudis   | Middle School   |
| Wendy Butch         | Middle School   |
| Sharon DiMuzio      | Middle School   |
| Allie Anzeveno      | Middle School   |
| Gina Chiaro         | Literacy Coach  |
| Julie Rinehart      | 7 - 12          |
| Teresa Smith        | 7 - 12          |
| Ann Marie Hurdley   | 7 - 12          |
| Madison Kasten      | 7 - 12          |
| Ryan DiPietro       | 7 - 12          |
| Heather Ramsey      | 7 - 12          |

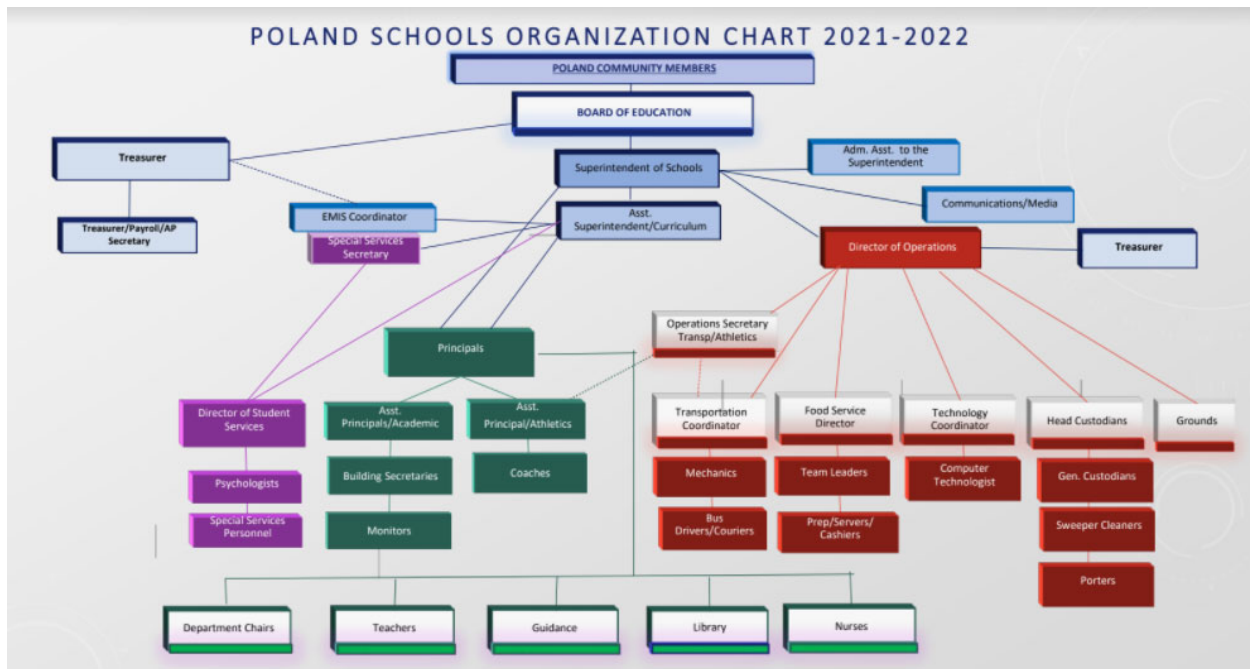
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| Lisa DiTommaso      | 7 - 12 |
| Sue Holub           | 7 - 12 |
| Mark Brungard       | 7 - 12 |
| Debbie Paine        | 7 - 12 |
| Alaina McMahon      | 7 - 12 |
| Janice Hohloch      | 7 - 12 |
| Lori Moncilovich    | 7 - 12 |
| Abby Aebischer      | 7 - 12 |
| Emily Garwood       | 7 - 12 |
| Amy Close           | 7 - 12 |
| Andrew Mamula       | 7 - 12 |
| Ken Cullar          | 7 - 12 |
| Jill Marconi        | 7 - 12 |
| Korisa Walton       | 7 - 12 |
| Angela Zedaker      | 7 - 12 |
| Richard Murray      | 7 - 12 |
| Ryan Williams       | 7 - 12 |
| Stephanie Vagas     | 7 - 12 |
| Melissa Lunevich    | 7 - 12 |
| Pat Williams        | 7 - 12 |
| Julianna Wellington | 7 - 12 |
| Lindsay Ignazio     | 7 - 12 |
| Rich DiNunzio       | 7 - 12 |
| Pam Angellili       | 7 - 12 |
| Luke Skinner        | 7 - 12 |
| Holly Lefore        | 7 - 12 |

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| Phyllis Jeswald   | McKinley School |
| Erica Donahue     | McKinley School |
| Nanette Ungaro    | McKinley School |
| Suzanne James     | McKinley School |
| Kaite Leko        | McKinley School |
| Anne Marian       | McKinley School |
| Jen Hudak         | McKinley School |
| Mary Hemon        | McKinley School |
| Mark Wesolosky    | McKinley School |
| Nick Blanch       | McKinley School |
| Abby Senatore     | McKinley School |
| Tracey Kaschak    | McKinley School |
| Stephanie Edgerly | McKinley School |
| Melissa Kountz    | McKinley School |
| Marsha Walkama    | McKinley School |
| Holly Wilson      | McKinley School |
| Michelle Landers  | McKinleySchool  |
| Renee Gesacion    | McKinley School |
| Maggie Schuster   | McKinley School |
| Alyssa Patrick    | McKinley School |
| Katie Cirelli     | McKinley School |
| Kendra Gura       | McKinley School |
| Karen Vasko       | McKinley School |
| Kim Aikens        | McKinley School |
| Susan Flasco      | McKinley School |
| Carmel Massarelli | McKinley School |

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| Tina Bonarigo | McKinleySchool |
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**Approval of the Poland Schools Revised Organizational Chart – Resolution #2021-184**

Dr. Dinopoulos moved and Mr. Polis seconded with all members present voting aye to approve the 2021-2022 revised Poland Schools Organizational Chart. Motion passed 5-0.



## INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- Supt. Hockenberry – Clarified the 20-day mask mandate for K-6 are 20 student days.
- Mr. Riddle – Gave an update on Village meeting he attended regarding North Property.
- Dr. Dinopoulos – Questioned the status of the business plan the board should have received regarding North property.
- Mr. Polis – Requested to add discussion of North Property to the next work session agenda.

## REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS

**Foundation Liaison** – Mr. Polis – The foundation met in August. Welcomed Superintendent Hockenberry to Foundation. Emily Denney was named Student Ambassador to the Foundation and two (2) new Trustees, Mrs. Zedaker and Mr. Kibler.

**Legislation Liaison** – Mr. Riddle – No report.

**Student Achievement Liaison** – Dr. Dinopoulos – No report.

At 7:38 p.m., Mr. Warren moved and Ms. Colucci seconded with all members present signaling aye to enter into executive session to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal

of a public employee or official and matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or rules or state statutes.

**Reconvene and Adjournment – Resolution #2021-185**

At 8:59 p.m., Mr. Polis moved and Mr. Warren seconded with all members present voting aye to reconvene and adjourn the meeting. Motion passed 5-0.

Meeting adjourned.

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Treasurer

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President

8/23/2021