

Board Minutes
November 16, 2021

The Johnson County Board of Education met in regular session on Tuesday, November 16, 2021 in the board office at 6:00 p.m. Chris Fields, Kevin Brantley, Alvin P. Moorman, Donald Smith, and Marty Thompson were present. Chairman Fields called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone. Mr. Moorman gave the invocation and Mr. Brantley led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

The following business was transacted:

1. The proposed agenda was approved on a motion by Mr. Smith, second by Mr. Moorman; unanimous approval.
2. The October 19, 2021 board meeting minutes were approved on a motion by Mr. Thompson, second by Mr. Moorman; unanimous approval.
3. The October 2021 financial report was approved on a motion by Mr. Brantley, second by Mr. Thompson; unanimous approval.
4. The following field trip and fund-raising requests were approved on a motion by Mr. Smith, second by Mr. Moorman; unanimous approval:
 - JCMS Jr. BETA, Convention, Savannah, GA Dec. 1- 3, 2022
 - JCHS, Seniors, Six Flags, Atlanta, GA May 6 – 7, 2022
 - JCHS Girls Basketball, Calendar donations, Nov. 18 – Dec. 17, 2022
 - JCHS Girls Basketball, Candy Bars, Nov. 18 - Feb. 1, 2022
 - JCHS Girls Basketball, Ad sale, Nov. 18 – Feb. 1, 2022
5. Mr. Charles Howard, JCES Principal, shared information on a new process his staff is using to highlight positive behaviors and “influencing the right thing”. He introduced Mrs. Traci Copeland to the board. She is the JCES Teacher of the Year, as well as, the District Teacher of the Year. He applauded her dedication to her students. He went on to say, “when you are in her classroom there is never a doubt that she loves what she does and genuinely loves children. Mrs. Traci is a great mix of compassion and stern”. Congratulations Mrs. Copeland.
6. Mr. Dexter Mack, JCMHS Assistant Principal, presented his state of the school for Johnson County Middle School. He reviewed data in detail and next steps for the middle school.
7. Dr. Christopher Watkins, Assistant Superintendent, informed the board the new Social Worker, Mrs. Savannah Dollar, would be starting on November 1, 2021. He also congratulated Mrs. Copeland on her accomplishment of Teacher of the Year.
8. Mr. Charlie Lindsey, Associate Superintendent, updated the board on the following:
 - Planning phase of new System Website, tentative February 2022
 - Drainage study for the football field
 - Bleacher renovation (paint) at the football field

- Scoreboard and Brag Board renovations
 - JCES renovation plans in progress and have been submitted
9. On a motion by Mr. Smith, second by Mr. Thompson; unanimous approval was given to go into executive session to discuss or deliberate upon the appointment, employment, compensation, hiring, disciplinary action or dismissal or periodic evaluation or rating of a public officer or employee. After discussion, a motion was made to come out of executive session by Mr. Brantley, second by Mr. Thompson, unanimous approval.
10. Superintendent Morris presented personnel recommendations. The recommendations below were approved on a motion by Mr. Smith, second by Mr. Brantley; unanimous approval.

To Hire:

Mashenka Clapp, Substitute Teacher
Jamarcus Hill, Substitute Teacher


Resignations:

Sheena Newsome

11. The meeting was then adjourned at 6:52 p.m.

**JOHNSON COUNTY BOARD
OF EDUCATION**

By: 
Chairman

Attest: 
Superintendent