

CLAIRTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board of Directors
Work Session Agenda
April 19, 2022
6:00 p.m.

- I. Salute to the Flag**
- II. Questions on the Contents of the Minutes** – Special Legislative Meeting March 15, 2022 and March 23, 2022 Legislative Meeting (**P.1/P.3**)
- III. Reports**
 - Presentations:** Elementary “Student of the Month”
 - A. Administration (**Packet Enclosure**)
 - a. Middle/High School
 - b. Elementary School/Federal Programs
 - c. Special Education
 - d. Alternative Education – *Clairton Cyber/Innovation Academy*
 - e. Safety & Security / Attendance & Truancy
 - f. Technology
 - g. Athletics
 - h. Public Relations / Cyber Charter
 - B. Solicitor
 - C. Board Committee Reports
 - a. Personnel
 - b. Finance – 04/19/22
 - c. Curriculum/Technology
 - d. Building & Grounds
 - e. Athletics – 04/12/22
 - f. Recreation
 - g. Land Bank
 - h. Steel Center
- IV. Treasurer’s Report** – March 2022 (**P.10**)
- V. Bills List** – April 2022 (**P.34**)

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VI. Old Business –

VII. New Business –

Administrative Agenda

- A. Board action is requested to accept, with regret, her resignation for the purpose of retirement of Pam Tortorice, Guidance Secretary, effective June 15, 2022. Ms. Tortorice has been with the District 15 years. **(P.53)**

Discussion:

- B. Board action is requested to accept the resignation of Medina Zerishnek, Honeybear Sponsor, effective June 3, 2022. **(P.54)**

Discussion:

- C. Board action is requested to accept the resignation of Anthony Hritz, Secondary Biology Teacher, effective July 1, 2022. **(P.55)**

Discussion:

- D. Board action is requested to ratify Al'aia Brown, as a Paraprofessional Elementary; Grade 2 Assignment, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Support Professionals (CESP), effective April 26, 2022.

Discussion:

- E. Board action is requested to approve the employment of Lauren Dubinsky, as Middle School Counselor for the 2021/2022 school year at Step-9 Masters, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Association (CEA), effective April 28, 2022.

Discussion:

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- F. Board action is requested to ratify Certified Classroom Monitors or Paraprofessionals with an inactive Teaching Certificate who are willing to provide coverage and deliver preplanned assignments in classrooms be compensated at the district's day-to-day substitute rate of \$150/day, as per Act 91.

Discussion:

- G. Board action is requested to approve the rate of pay for Substitute Secretary position at \$105/day effective May 2, 2022. **(P.56)**

Discussion:

- H. Board action is requested to ratify unpaid Medical Leave of Larry Garry, Paraprofessional commencing March 23, 2022 through May 26, 2022, as per the terms of the CESP/District Agreement, as submitted. **(P.57)**

Discussion:

- I. Board action is requested to ratify unpaid Medical Leave of Terri Britton, Paraprofessional commencing April ____, 2022 until the end of the current school year, as per the terms of the CESP/District Agreement, as submitted. **(P.58)**

Discussion:

- J. Board action is requested to approve Anthony Hritz use of allotted sick days for the June 2022 birth of his child, as submitted. **(P.59)**

Discussion:

- K. Board action is requested to approve the first reading of Policy #610 – Purchases Subject to Bid/Quotation updated to reflect new amounts as required per PA School Code Sections 24 P.S. §7-751 and 24 P.S. §8-807.1; recommended for audit purposes, as submitted. **(P.60)**

Discussion:

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- L. Board action is requested to approve the first reading of Policy #611- Purchases Budgeted updated to reflect new amounts as required per PA School Code Sections 24 P.S. §7-751 and 24 P.S. §8-807.1; recommended for audit purposes, as submitted. **(P.63)**

Discussion:

- M. Board action is requested to approve a disciplinary agreement made March 30, 2022 by and between the Clairton City School District and Student “A” charged with violations of the District’s Code of Student Conduct, as submitted.

Discussion:

- N. Board action is requested to approve a disciplinary agreement made March 31, 2022 by and between the Clairton City School District and Student “B” charged with violations of the District’s Code of Student Conduct, as submitted.

Discussion:

- O. Board action is requested to approve a disciplinary agreement made March 31, 2022 by and between the Clairton City School District and Student “C” charged with violations of the District’s Code of Student Conduct, as submitted.

Discussion:

- P. Board action is requested to approve a disciplinary agreement made March 31, 2022 by and between the Clairton City School District and Student “D” charged with violations of the District’s Code of Student Conduct, as submitted.

Discussion:

- Q. Board action is requested to approve a disciplinary agreement made March 31, 2022 by and between the Clairton City School District and Student “E” charged with violations of the District’s Code of Student Conduct, as submitted.

Discussion:

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- R. Board action is requested to conduct a comprehensive Extended School Year (ESY) for grades K-12, as mandated by Chapter 14 regulations. The program will be held Monday – Thursday from July 5 through July 29, 2022. Field Trip Fridays. Staff clerical days are June 30 and July 29. Expenses to be paid by ESSER II grant funds.

Discussion:

- S. Board action is requested to conduct K-8th Grade Summer Camp “Mission XCELL8” from July 5 through July 29, 2022. Field Trip Fridays. Staff clerical days are June 30 and July 29, as submitted. Expenses to be paid from ESSER II grant funds.
(P.64)

Discussion:

- T. Board action is requested to conduct Summer Credit Recovery Classes for HS students through the District Cyber School Platform from July 5 through Friday, July 29 from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., as submitted. Expenses to be paid from ESSER II grant funds. ***(P.65)***

Discussion:

- U. Board action is requested to conduct a “Rising Freshman Academy” sponsored by the Will Allen Foundation for incoming freshman from July 5 through July 29, 2022.
(Hand Carry)

Discussion:

- V. Board action is requested to appoint Michael Rhoads, CEO USS Corporation, as a local business representative to serve on the Clairton City School District Professional Education Plan Steering Committee within the Future Ready Comprehensive Planning (FRCP), in accordance with PA Statute 24§12-1205.1 (b).

Discussion:

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- W. Board action is requested to approve Dr. Tamara Allen-Thomas, Debra Maurizio, Thomas McCloskey and John Wilkinson to attend the AASA Learning 2025 National Summit held June 28, 2022 – June 30, 2022 at the Washington Hilton in Washington, DC. Registration fees and travel expenses are to be paid by the Grable Foundation.

Discussion:

- X. Board action is requested to approve renewal of Affiliation Agreement for Internship/Practicum Pre-Clinical and Student Teaching between Robert Morris University and Clairton City School District for students enrolled in the University's Pennsylvania Department of Education's approved Education Preparation Programs, as submitted. **(P.67)**

Discussion:

Information Items:**A. Field Trip Requests:**

- a. **Clairton Middle School – Grades 7/8** – 45-60 students and 5-6 chaperones to go to Carnegie Museum of Art & Natural History, Pittsburgh, PA on Thursday, April 21, 2022. Entrance fees to be paid by The Miller Foundation. Transportation requested to be provided by the District.
- b. **Elementary Leadership** – 15 students and 2 chaperones to participate in Clairton City “Clean-Up Day” on Friday, April 29, 2022.
- c. **Elementary**– (K-2) 195 students and 12 chaperones (3-5) 187 students and 13 chaperones to attend “Science on the Road” by Carnegie Science Center in the Clairton MS/HS Gymnasium May 3, 2022.
- d. **Senior Class** – 40 students and 3 chaperones to go to Zone 28, Harmarville, PA on Friday, May 20, 2022 for end of year team building. Transportation requested to be paid for by ESSER II Grant funds.
- e. **Kindergarten** – 65 students and 6 chaperones to go bowling at Princess Lanes, Weyman Road, Pittsburgh, PA and stop at McDonalds, Lebanon Church Road, West Mifflin, PA on Thursday, Wednesday, May 26, 2022. Fees to be paid by Kindergarten Incentive Account. Transportation is requested and to be paid for by ESSER II Grant funds.
- f. **7th & 8th Grade** – 130 students and 6+ chaperones to go to Clairton Park for an “end of year Field Day” on Wednesday, June 1, 2022. (Rain Date: June 2, 2022)

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B. Fund Raiser Requests:

- a. **3rd Grade Science** – approved an online “Donor’s Choose” fundraiser commencing April 1, 2022 through April 30, 2022. Created an Amazon Donor’s Choose project to get 65 kites for the science classes to create (STEAM) and learn about wind and weather.
- b. **Elementary Leadership** – approved a “Tape up Mr. Williams” fundraiser commencing April 1, 2022 through April 30, 2022. Students can buy strips of duck tape to tape Mr. Williams to the wall during the afternoons of PSSA testing in May. Proceeds to benefit Elementary Leadership student activities.

Business Administrator’s Agenda

- A. Board action is requested to consider application for inclusion in the Delinquent Real Estate Tax Property Acquisition Program (Board Policy#606) of 173 parcels owned by Kurt Price, as submitted. **(P.71)**

Discussion:

- B. Board action is requested to accept an unrestricted donation of \$2,805.54 from Clairton High School Class of 1964.

Discussion:

- C. Board action is requested to approve Resolution 03-22 of the Board of School Directors of the Clairton City School District approving District participation in a Renovation Project for the Steel Center for Technical and Career Education. **(P.74)**

Discussion:

Discussion Items:

- A. Two properties have filed Applications for Real Estate Taxation:
1. 764-C-81 by a charitable organization
 2. 879-H-58 by the Redevelopment Authority of Allegheny County
- No action is required by the District, as the County will make the determination.
- B. LERTA, *Mr. Roger Tachoir*

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Information Items:

A. Delinquent Tax Collections:

Delinquent Taxes	2021-2022	2020-2021	2020-2021 Total
February	15,645	16,469	
Year to Date	116,503	195,932	356,287
Total Year Budget	297,831	225,615	578,500

- B. PA/Sun Coach Lines and ETS Transportation - No new hires. Employment requirements are currently being met for bus drivers and monitors listed. **(P.76/P.77)**
- C. Updated Procurement Procedure Attachment for Policy #626 **(Enclosure)**
- D. 501 Mitchell Update
- E. 2022-2023 Budget

Athletic Agenda

- A. Board action is requested to approve Brian Boyd as Assistant Baseball Coach for the 2022 Baseball season, to be paid in accordance with the terms of the agreement between the District and the Clairton Education Association (CEA).

Discussion:

- B. Board action is requested to approve _____ as Football Varsity 2rd Assistant the 2022/2023 school year effective July 1, 2022, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and the Clairton Education Association (CEA).

Discussion:

- C. Board action is requested to approve _____ as Football Varsity 3rd Assistant for the 2022/2023 school year effective July 1, 2022, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and the Clairton Education Association (CEA).

Discussion:

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VIII. Adjourn

*The Board of Directors of the Clairton City School District will meet
For the Legislative Meeting on Wednesday, April 27th
at 7:30 p.m. in the HS Library of the CEC*