

Northwest Local Schools

October 26, 2020 Regular Meeting

The Northwest Board of Education held the Regular Meeting at 7:00 P.M. in the Northwest Middle School Gymnasium. The following members were present: President James Gindlesberger, Vice-President Victor Colaianni, Mrs. Julia Barkey, Mrs. Rita Gearheart, Mr. Robert Schilling, and Treasurer Dan Levensgood.

MISSION STATEMENT

We educate, motivate and inspire each student to achieve his or her highest potential.

VISION STATEMENT

Northwest Local School District: A premier learning organization – the gateway to opportunities

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mrs. Barkey moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **approve the following resolutions:**

199.20 **Approve the minutes of the Work Session and the Regular Meeting** held on September 28, 2020.

200.20 **Approve the Northwest Local Board of Education five year forecast** as presented.

Mrs. Gearhart seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows: Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mr. Schilling, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

201.20 Mr. Colaianni moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **accept the resignation of Mackenzie Ferrell as Aide at the High School, effective immediately.** Mrs. Barkey seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows; Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mr. Schilling, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

202.20 Mr. Schilling moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **employ Laura Beedle as a Bus Aide, PM only, 0 yrs. exp., effective October 27, 2020.** Mrs. Gearhart seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows: Mr. Schilling, aye. Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

203.20 Mrs. Gearhart moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **hire Mackenzie Ferrell as a certified substitute for the 2020-2021 school year.** Mrs. Barkey seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows: Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mr. Schilling, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

204.20 Mr. Schilling moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **award the following persons supplemental contracts for the 2020-2021 school year** – contingent upon criminal record check, certification and number of student athletes:

Ryan Garrett	7 th /8 th Grade Wrestling Coach
Brian Ries	Wrestling Volunteer
Michael Stefan	Wrestling Volunteer
Paul Wellman	Wrestling Volunteer
Evan Gonzalez	Wrestling Volunteer

***RESOLUTION: WHEREAS** the Northwest Local Board of Education has offered the above positions to employees of the District who have a certificate of the type described in section 3319.22 of the revised code and no such employees qualified to fill the positions have accepted, and

WHEREAS non-teaching personnel have applied for the positions, and have been recommended by the building principal or for whom the co-curricular activity is to be supervised,

WHEREAS it is required that the Board of Education fix the compensation of the non-certificated individuals so employed at the same amount as the employees and execute a written contract for a term not to exceed one year.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Northwest Local Board of Education employ the above stated persons in the positions listed above.

Mrs. Barkey seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows: Mr. Schilling, aye. Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

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DISCUSSION

- A. SECOND NINE WEEKS LEARNING OPTIONS – there are currently 341 students online and 1,411 students in traditional classrooms.
- B. OTES 2.0 – a Covid exception was given last spring to teacher evaluations.
- C. DECEMBER BOARD MEETING- there will be no meeting in December. The Organizational Meeting will be held January 4, 2021.
- D. SUPERINTENDENT’S SEARCH- there is a survey on the Northwest website the community members can take to share their thoughts on the superintendent search.

Jill Sommers in the audience asked about the possibility of educational reform for potentially at risk students.

205.20 Mr. Colaianni moved that the Northwest Local Board of Education **adjourn the regular meeting at 7:31 p.m.** Mrs. Barkey seconded the motion and upon the roll call the result was as follows: Mr. Colaianni, aye. Mrs. Barkey, aye. Mrs. Gearhart, aye. Mr. Schilling, aye. Mr. Gindlesberger, aye. Motion carried.

President James Gindlesberger

Treasurer Dan Levensgood