
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

**MINUTES OF MAY 31, 2016, 2016 5:30 PM
BERKSHIRE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**SPECIAL MEETING
BERKSHIRE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

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In order to permit the fair and orderly expression of such comment, the Board shall provide a period for public participation at every public meeting of the Board and publish rules to govern such participation. These rules are available at each Board meeting. Anyone desiring to speak is asked to make this request in advance. Participants must be recognized by the presiding officer. Comments shall be directed to the presiding officer; not to Board members individually. Board Bylaw 0169.1



PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Roll Call: Mr. Wadsworth, Mr. Boyd, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Raikes, Mr. Manfredi-present

Motion made by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Wadsworth to approve the current agenda.

Discussion: None

Roll Call: Mr. Boyd-aye, Mrs. Brown-aye, Mrs. Raikes-aye, Mr. Manfredi-aye, Mr. Wadsworth-aye

All Ayes

Motion Carried.

Certified:

Motion made by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Wadsworth to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Superintendent has recommended that a limited teaching contract be suspended pursuant to a reduction-in-force for financial reasons.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education suspends the employment of Thad Youngen as Physical Education Teacher at Berkshire High School in accordance with State Law (for financial reasons) and Article IX, Section F – *Reduction-in-Force* of the Agreement between the *Berkshire Education Association and the Berkshire Local School District Board of Education*, effective June 30, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the suspension of Mr. Youngen's employment is being made pursuant to a reduction-in-force due to financial reasons.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Discussion: None

Roll Call: Mrs. Raikes - Aye, Mr. Manfredi – Aye, Mr. Wadsworth - Aye, Mr. Boyd – Aye,

Mrs. Brown- Aye

Motion Carried

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Board Member Discussion:

None

Open Public Participation:

None

Adjournment

A motion made by Mrs. Raikes, seconded by Mr. Boyd to adjourn the meeting at 5:40 p.m.

Mr. Boyd-aye, Mrs. Brown-aye, Mrs. Raikes-aye, Mr. Manfredi-aye, Mr. Wadsworth-aye

All Ayes

Motion Carried.

Mrs. Kim Brown

President

Mrs. Beth McCaffrey

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