

The Forbes Road School Board met in a special session on July 6, 2020, at 7:01 pm via a virtual conference. Members of the Board present were: Kathy Baker, Brian Barton, Margaret Bolinger, Sean Fraker, Dulce Hall, Lori Kendall (7:05 pm) Kirby Shoemaker. Board members absent were: Cassie Broadwater and Melissa Lane. Others present were: Superintendent Maria Scott-Bollman, Solicitor Patrick Fanelli, Randy Gelvin, Heidi O'Neal, Kristie Hohman, Josh Wakefield, Leann Smith, Nichole Parson, Becky Ayers, Kayla Cromer, Michele Grace, Cindy McClain and Kristen Early.

General Information

There were no public comments.

Personnel

On a Baker/Kendall motion, approval was given to accept, with regret, the resignation of Devon Lybarger as band and choir director effective July 1, 2020. Motion carried unanimously.

Miscellaneous

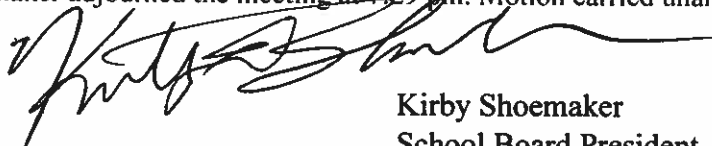
On a Baker/Kendall motion, approval was given for soccer recreation nights to be held on Mondays 6-8 pm for grades 7-12 beginning July 13, 2020. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Baker/Hall motion, approval was given to find, as a matter of fact, pursuant to the Governor's Emergency Declaration and the authority granted to the Board by Section 520.1 of the Public School Code, that the District is not currently able to provide for the physical attendance of all pupils or usual hours of classes when school resumes this fall and to declare that online at-home instruction if necessary shall be considered as regular instructional time for the duration of the Emergency Declaration. Accordingly, the Board hereby makes the following emergency-related temporary provisions, directing administration as follows:

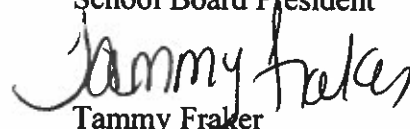
1. to develop a school calendar for the 2020-2021 school year that keeps the schools of the district in session such days and number of days per week as is necessary and appropriate to accommodate the pending emergency;
2. to develop an appropriate class schedule for the 2020-2021 school year, reducing the number of total hours of instruction as necessary in order to accommodate the pending emergency;
3. to assure that all proposed modifications to the school calendar and class schedule remain in compliance with the School Code;
4. to prepare or modify the District's Health and Safety Plan to incorporate the school calendar and class schedule modifications;
5. to submit to the Secretary of Education any appropriate evidence of this Board's findings and directives herein, along with other appropriate evidence of these temporary provisions.

Motion carried on a roll call vote with board members voting as follows: Baker (yes), Barton (yes), Bolinger (yes), Fraker (yes), Hall (yes), Kendall (yes), and Shoemaker (yes). Board members Broadwater and Lane were not present to vote.

On a Hall/Baker motion, Board President Shoemaker adjourned the meeting at 7:29 pm. Motion carried unanimously.



Kirby Shoemaker
School Board President



Tammy Fraker
School Board Secretary

