

DARKE COUNTY GOVERNING BOARD OF EDUCATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2022

Mr. Chad Booher, President, called the Regular Meeting of the Darke County Governing Board of Education to order with the following members answering the roll call: Mr. Bateman, Mr. Besecker, Mr. Booher, Mr. James and Ms. Schmidt.

APPROVAL OF THE BOARD MEETING MINUTES:

10-99-2022

Motion by: Larry Besecker, and Seconded by Caroline Schmidt to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on Monday, September, 22, 2022. The motion was approved.

Yea: Mr. Bateman, Mr. Besecker, Mr. Booher, Mr. James and Ms. Schmidt

Nay: None

TREASURER'S REPORT:

A. Monthly Financial Reports

APPROVAL OF SUPERINTENDENT RECOMMENDATIONS:

10-100-2022

- A. It was moved by the Board to employ Andrea Strawser for 1 year as a paraprofessional for Mississinawa Valley MS ED unit, on Step 0 of the salary schedule, effective September 21, 2022, pending proper licensure and background checks for the 2022-2023 school year.
- B. It was moved by the Board to employ Karen Neu for 1 year as a paraprofessional for Mississinawa Valley MD unit, on Step 7 of the salary schedule, effective September 29, 2022 pending proper licensure and background checks, for the 2022-2023 school year.
- C. It was moved by the Board to approve the resignation of Madelyn Breig, Teacher's Assistant in the MD unit at Bradford, effective October 16, 2022.
- D. It was moved by the Board to approve the following substitute paraprofessionals for the Anthony Wayne Preschool and DCESC, effective with the 2022-2023 school year, pending proper licensure and background checks:

Kendra Harvel and Brittany Wright

- E. It was moved by the Board to approve the Interpreters of the Deaf, LLC contract for interpreter services at a rate of \$55.50 per hour plus travel fees.

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- F. It was moved by the Board to employ the following substitute teachers for the 2022-2023 school year, pending proper licensure and background checks:

Erin Ayyette	Brooke Fair	Arden Martin
Brendin Gillem	Michelle Harrison	Beverly Hughes
Caitlyn Clark	Mark Lynch	Brenda Shiverdecker
Amanda Moore	Amanda Newhart	

- G. It was moved by the Board to approve the quote from Resource Glass and Aluminum for the replacement of doors at Anthony Wayne preschool in the amount of \$34,814.00
- H. It was moved by the Board to approve the out-of-state field trip for the preschool to Wasson Nursery in Union City, Indiana on Thursday, May 4, 2022.

Motion by: Caroline Schmidt, and Seconded by Larry Besecker to approve the superintendent recommendations. Motion approved.

Yea: Mr. Bateman, Mr. Besecker, Mr. Booher, Mr. James and Ms. Schmidt

Nay: None

SUPERINTENDENT’S DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- A. Mr. Atchley gave the Board an update on items being completed at Anthony Wayne. New LED lights will be installed in the hallways this week. Tree trimming and painting has been completed. He has a meeting with the County Commissioners on Tuesday, October 11th to review the assessment of the County had done on the building.
- B. Mr. Besecker updated the Board on MVCTC. He attended the Advisory Committee meeting that included staff from MVCTC and local business leaders. He will be attending the Regular Board meeting on Tuesday, October 11, 2022.
- C. The OSBA Conference is scheduled for November 14 and 15 so the next Board meeting will be Monday, November 21, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. here at the ESC office.

APPROVAL TO ADJOURN

10-101-2022

Motion by: Larry Besecker, and Seconded by: Clyde Bateman to adjourn the meeting at 8:56 a.m.

Motion approved.

Yea: Mr. Bateman, Mr. Besecker, Mr. Booher, Mr. James and Ms. Schmidt

Nay: None.

DCESC Board President

DCESC Treasurer