

VALLEY VIEW LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

MAY 8, 2023

The Board of Education met in a regular session on May 8, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. in the Valley View High Cafeteria, 6027 Farmersville Pike, Germantown, OH 45327.

ROLL CALL

By call of roll, the following members were present: Mrs. Izor, Dr. Smith, Mr. Rudd, Mr. DeGroat and Mr. Skidmore.

Also in attendance were Carson Kinder, student representative, Mr. Joe Scholler, Superintendent, and Mrs. Valorie Hill, Treasurer.

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE

The Board President led the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- A. Friends in Education 2023 Award from VVTA and Recognition by the Board of Education:
 - a. Angi Smith (Sonshine in a Bag)
 - b. Julie Smith (Sonshine in a Bag)
- B. Presentation – Amelia Carter (4th grade) – “Forget Me Not Pot” (Valley View Representative to the Regional level Invention Convention)
- C. Valley View Performing Arts Committee – Update – None given

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Rana McCormick	129 S. Plum Street
Michael John McCormick	129 S. Plum Street
Jen Rupert	136 Gibraltar Drive
Jimmy Rowland	10017 Carlisle Pike, Germantown
Laura N. Boyd	160 Megan Lane, Germantown
Kathy Yohn	6174 Conservancy Road
Melissa Shirley	309 Bending Branch Lane, Miamisburg
Tommy Baudenistel	5409 S. Clayton Road
Carly Hill	10 Elm Street, Germantown

2023-052: MINUTES

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. DeGroat to approve the minutes of the following Board of Education Meetings: April 10, 2023 – Regular Board Meeting and April 13, 2023 – Special Board Meeting.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

Erick Depew presented current progress on the building project.

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FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

2023-053: FINANCIAL REPORTS

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. DeGroat to approve the Financial Statements for the month ending April 30, 2023.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-054: 5 YEAR PLAN

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the 5-year Forecast and Notes & Assumptions.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-055: DONATIONS

A motion was made by Mr. DeGroat and seconded by Mrs. Izor to approve the donation of mulch, with an estimated value of \$2000, and a floor scrubber, with an estimated value of \$12,990, from the YMCA of Greater Dayton to Valley View Local School District.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-056: DONATIONS

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the following prize donation for the Family Literacy Night:

Lions Club	\$250
Alley Way Café	\$25 gift card
Jerry's Meat Market	\$25 gift card
Farmersville pool	\$70 pool pass
Germantown pool	\$85 pool pass
Germantown Chiropractic Health & Wellness	\$30 Amazon gift card
The Farmer and the Deli	2 treat baskets (est. \$50)
Rebecca Pitcher	OSU swag (est. \$50)
Germantown Public Library	3 books/finger puppets (est. \$60)

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

OLD BUSINESS

2023-057: RESOLUTION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the resolution that Valley View Local Schools will not be providing career-technical education to students in the 7th and 8th grade for the 2023-2024 school year.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

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NEW BUSINESS

2023-058: GRADUATE LIST APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve and enter into the Official Board Minutes the names of the 2023 graduate as verified by the High School Principal.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-059: CURRICULUM APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the recommendation for the K-5 math curriculum.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-060: ADMINISTRATOR SALARY SCHEDULE

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the amended Administrators Salary Schedule.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-061: CLASSIFIED SALARY SCHEDULE

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the amended Classified Salary Schedule.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-062: RESOLUTION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the Resolution to suspend teaching contract(s) through transfer.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2023-063: RESOLUTION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mrs. Izor and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the changes to the Preschool, Primary/Intermediate Schools, Junior High, and High School Handbook.

2023-64: AMENDMENT APPROVAL

A motion to amend this resolution with updates to the Student Leadership section of the High School Handbook to list the student board representatives under High School Student Leadership Positions was made by Dr. Smith and seconded by Mr. Rudd.

Call on motion to amend: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

Call on resolution motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2023-065: PERSONNEL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve personnel action as recommended.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

ESTABLISH OF AN ADHOC COMMITTEE TO STUDY SAFETY RESOLUTION ISSUES AND IMPLEMENTATION

Mr. Rudd, as Board President, established an adhoc committee to study safety resolution issues and, along with Dr. Smith, will publicly share progress of who was brought in, what was learned, and any recommendations that were given.

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

Mr. Scholler discussed a desire to have a dedicated school resource officer in each building at the beginning of the next school year, as well as assembling a safety team task force. The task force will include law enforcement officers, individuals with security backgrounds, and other stakeholders to assess all safety concerns at Valley View Local Schools. Mr. Scholler thanked the local police chief and officers for their presence at Valley View Schools and Valorie Hill for putting together the 5-year forecast and her hard work in the treasurer's office. Lastly, Mr. Scholler announced the new date of June 1 at 6:00 P.M. for the next Board of Education meeting.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

2023-066 BOARD PRESIDENT REMOVAL

A motion was made by Mr. DeGroat and seconded by Mrs. Izor to remove Mr. Tim Rudd as President of Valley View Board of Education.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes; Mr. Skidmore, no. Mr. Rudd, no. Dr. Smith, no.
Motion Failed (2 yes, 3 no)

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2023-067 ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Skidmore and seconded by Mr. Rudd to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 P.M.

Call on motion: Mrs. Izor, yes; Dr. Smith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. DeGroat, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)



Treasurer



Board President