

Official Proceedings of the GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT
Monday, May 15, 2023 - Education Center

Board Members in Attendance - Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Mrs. Caryn Friedlander, Mr. Jeff Haggerty, Mrs. Dawn Palange, Mr. Andrew Pannafino, Dr. Lisa Peterson, Dr. Michele Roby, Mr. James Ulrich, Mrs. Christina Worley - 9. Absent - 0.

Administrators in Attendance - Dr. Lisa Hess, Assistant Superintendent; Mrs. Diane Richards, Chief Financial Officer; Ms. Stephanie Seifrit, Director of Human Resources; Mr. David Argentati, Director of Pupil Services; Mr. Chris Killinger, Director of Teaching & Learning; Mrs. Kelly Price, Controller; Ms. Laura Gudikunst, Food Service Director; Mrs. Ashley Shannon-Huembes, Director of Communications & Community Relations; Mrs. Trish Seifert, Supervisor of Elementary Special Education; Mrs. Melissa Paparella, Principal, Mifflin Park Elementary; Mr. Cory Crider, Principal, Intermediate School; Ms. Carissa Harley, Associate Principal, Intermediate School; Mr. Tony Alvarez, Principal, Middle School.

Others in Attendance - Jeffrey Litts, Esq., Board Solicitor; Sharon Patton, Board Recording Secretary; Lydia Kitsch and Julian Colamarino, Student Board Representatives; professional staff and citizens.

The Meeting was **Called to Order** at 7:00pm by Mr. James Ulrich, Board President, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call. Mr. Ulrich announced that the Board held an **Executive Session** prior to the meeting for discussion of personnel and negotiations matters.

Amazing Mustang Staff Recognitions - Ms. Stephanie Seifrit, Director of Human Resources, introduced employees Josh Rosenbaum and Betty Hayles, and recognized them for going above and beyond in their contributions to the success of Mustang Nation.

Motion by Peterson and second by Roby to Approve **Minutes of the Meetings** held April 17, 2023 and May 1, 2023, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Roby and second by Palange to Approve the **Treasurer's Report** of April 30, 2023, as presented Quarterly Summary - COVID-Related Grants

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Haggerty and second by Roby to Approve **Bills Paid** in the total amount of \$4,298,199.07, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Citizens Requests

Mr. Jeffrey Wolfe spoke to the Board about CRSE.

Mr. M. Eugene Stoltzfus spoke on the topic of school security and said the Board should consider increasing security throughout the District.

Mrs. Bettyjane Stoltzfus asked about whether any further steps have been taken by the Board/District toward increasing school security since last month's meeting.

Mr. Jim Fitzpatrick said he recently met one-on-one with Mr. Bill McKay, Superintendent, regarding school safety. He complimented the Board on the steps already taken and wondered if they are sufficient to achieve the highest level of protection. He noted that he and his wife would be willing to volunteer and suggested the Board consider adding greater security measures.

There were no **Communications** received by the Board.

The Board acknowledges Administration's receipt of the following **Right-to-Know Request**:

- Mr. John Wallingford requested a listing of total meal debt by building, total number of students eligible for free & reduced meals, operating statements for 2018-2019 & 2022-2023, lunch prices for 2018-2019 & 2022-2023, and any Board policies for food services.

Reports

Board Member Representatives - Mr. Andrew Pannafino said he had sent his fellow Board members a PSBA Liaison Digest communication, which encouraged them to complete a survey.

Superintendent's Report - Dr. Lisa Hess, Assistant Superintendent, noted that these last two weeks of the school year are very busy, with various end-of-year events, concerts, award ceremonies, elementary plays, field days, field trips, the junior/senior prom, Baccalaureate and Graduation on May 25th. The last day of school is May 26, 2023.

Student Representatives' Report - Julian Colamarino reported on activities at Cumru Elementary, including the 4th Grade performance of Snow White, Field Day and a Fun Run, which will help raise money for new playground equipment.

At Mifflin Park, he noted that the TEL team visited Mrs. Orzechowski's Kindergarten class to learn about praying mantis eggs, 3rd and 4th grade students took the PSSA's and The High School's Groovy Grinds staff delivered drinks to teachers on May 11th. At the Intermediate School, the PTO's One Big Night event was held on April 20th, students worked hard on PSSA's and a kickball tournament was held.

Lydia Kitsch noted that the Spring Concert was held on May 9th, students had the opportunity to tour the Berks Career & Technology Center on May 8th and 9th, and the 8th grade class attended a Reading Phillies game. She also shared that the Gaming Club participated in a tournament that led them to the state semi-finals. The High School, she said, was in full swing with year-end events including the Sports Awards on May 18th, the Prom on May 20th, the Senior Awards on May 22nd, the Music Awards on May 23rd, Baccalaureate on May 24th and Graduation on May 25th, with the last day of school being Friday, May 26th.

Presentations

Lydia Kitsch and Julian Colamarino were acknowledged and thanked by the Board for representing the student body, in an excellent manner, as Student Board Representatives. Lydia plans to attend Auburn University for nursing and Julian will begin his college studies at RACC and then transfer to Penn State for Business.

Erin Hulsey was recognized for being the District's nominee for the BCIU Annie Sullivan Award. Mrs. Trish Seifrit, Supervisor of Elementary Special Education, spoke to Erin's many credits.

Mrs. Ashley Shannon-Huembes, Director of Communications & Community Relations, shared information with the Board on the Class Intercom Social Media Management Tool that she plans to implement in the near future.

Mr. Chris Killinger, Director of Teaching & Learning, Ms. Johanna Reber and her students presented enthusiasm with the Board for the successful pilot program of the Amplify Science K-8 Resource.

FINANCE

Motion by Pannafino and second by Palange to Approve **Budget Transfers** for 2022-2023, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Palange to Approve **Proposed Final Budget** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year, in the amount of \$79,886,475 and setting millage at 30.1 mills (½ mill increase), as presented Reference Item: Budget Highlights

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Approve **G. H. Harris as Delinquent Per Capita Tax Collector** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Approve the **Workers' Compensation Insurance Program** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year; coverage through UPMC, with Arthur J. Gallagher & Company, Johnstown, PA as broker; annual premium is \$169,871 (8% increase)

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Approve the **Student Accident & Sports Insurance** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year, as recommended by Rhonda Mayer, Tompkins Insurance, as broker, with Alive Risk, at an annual premium of \$11,361.50; covers all sports and swim programs, and includes a rider for assault/violent crimes (no increase from prior year)

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Approve Governor Mifflin's participation in PDE's **Summer Food Service program**, to be run at the Cumru Elementary building; May 30 - August 18, 2023

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Haggerty to Approve Request to submit **delinquent 2022 Supplemental Per Capita Tax bills** to G. H. Harris for collection, as follows:

- Brecknock: 15 bills totaling \$150
- Cumru: 116 bills totaling \$1,160
- Kenhorst: 25 bills totaling \$250
- Mohnton: 18 bills totaling \$180
- Shillington: 74 bills totaling \$740

Total: 248 bills, totaling \$2,480

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Award **2023-2024 Art Supply Bids** in the total amount of \$23,649.27, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Palange to Approve the **Property Tax Rebate program for tax year 2022**; program is based on a set dollar amount limit of \$150,000 and payments will be disbursed once a year; effective for tax year 2021 payments, there will be an **increase in the tax rebate amount** provided to qualifying seniors, as follows:

Income Level	Prior GM Rebate	New GM Rebate
\$0 to \$8,000	\$390.00	\$624.00
\$8,001 to \$15,000	\$300.00	\$480.00
\$15,001 to \$18,000	\$180.00	\$288.00
\$18,001 to \$35,000	\$150.00	\$240.00

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Palange to Approve the **Food Service Budget** for 2023-2024, in the amount of \$2,572,605, as presented; Breakfast and lunch available to all students at no cost under the Community Eligible Provision (CEP); applicable prices for the 2023-2024 school year, as follows:

Adult Meals: Breakfast, \$2.45; Lunch, \$4.25

A La Carte: Priced, as necessary

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Worley to Approve **Five (5) year Agreement with BusPatrol**, effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year, to install side cameras on school buses at a cost of \$1,500/bus, for purposes of working with municipal police departments to cite any vehicle that illegally passes a stopped school bus with its arm activated, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Adams to Approve **Lease Agreement with Great American Financial Services Corp.**, for a mail machine and folder/sorter, at a cost of \$375/month for 63 months, effective June 1, 2023 (a 14% reduction from prior lease)

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Pannafino and second by Roby to Adopt **Resolution in Support of SB180 and HB180: School Meals for All**, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

PERSONNEL

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Appoint Mrs. Caryn Friedlander as **Treasurer** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Appoint Ms. Sharon Patton as **Board Recording Secretary** for the 2023-2024 fiscal year; rate is \$100/meeting (\$30/mtg increase)

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Haggerty to Approve the following items collectively:

- **2023 Extended School Year staffing**, as presented
- **2023 Summer Zone staffing**, as presented
- **2023 Summer Operations/IT staffing**, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Approve Request of **Mrs. Jillian Lynch** (Brecknock, STEM) to complete a **secondary level Principal Internship**; 180 hours for the Fall semester of the 2023-2024 school year, as required by Indiana University of Pennsylvania's principal certification course of study; time will be spent in both secondary buildings, with Tony Alvarez and Steve Murray serving as Mentors

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Adams to Approve **Student Teaching/Observations** for May, 2023, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Approve the following **Retirements**

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| Argentati, David | - Director of Pupil Services; effective July 19, 2023;
30 years of service |
| Baker, Linda | - Brecknock, Grade 2; effective for the end of the
2022-2023 school year; 34 years of service |
| Dennis, Angela | - High School, LRC Coordinator; effective for the
end of the 2022-2023 school year; 30 years of
service |

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| Pasko, Sherry | - GMIS, Lunch Aide; effective April 24, 2023;
21 years of service |
| Phillips, Lynne | - Cumru, 10-month Secretary; effective June 9, 2023;
26 years of service |
| Strain, Michele | - Cumru, Grade 2; effective for the end of the
2022-2023 school year; 31 years of service |

MOTION CARRIED. *(Mr. James Ulrich thanked all of these retirees for their many years of dedicated service to the District).*

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Approve the following **Resignations**

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| Caprioli, Linda | - Brecknock, Lunch Aide; effective for the end of the
2022-2023 school year |
| Heller, Karen | - Cumru, 2nd Shift Custodian; effective May 19, 2023 |
| Magguzu, Amelia | - Mifflin Park, Paraprofessional; effective for the end
of the 2022-2023 school year |
| Richards, Diane | - Chief Financial Officer; effective June 30, 2023 |
| Seifert, Trish | - Supervisor of Elementary Special Education; effective
May 26, 2023 |
| Sweigert, Jennifer | - Brecknock, Grade 1; effective for the end of the
2022-2023 school year |

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Adams to Approve the following for **Employment***

**All employments are approved pending the successful and satisfactory completion of new hire documentation, acceptable clearance results, and meeting all employment requirements*

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| DeFelice, Elizabeth | - Middle School, Intro to Foreign Language;
effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year;
TPE BS Step 3 (replacing Sasha Becker - assignment
change) |
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| Folk, Jamie | - Middle School, STEM; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; Professional contract, Masters +18 Step 18 (replacing Lauren Moulin - resignation) |
| Gerhart, Allison | - High School FCS; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; Professional contract, M+45 Step 18 (replacing Nicole Belick - resignation) |
| Rothrock, Jenna | - Middle School, English; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; TPE, BS Step 1 (replacing Leah Vey - resignation) |
| Rueter, Phillip | - High School, Learning Support; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; TPE, Masters Step 1 (replacing Kassie Kesneck - assignment change) |
| Shuman, Amy | - Brecknock, elementary teacher; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; Professional contract, Masters Step 8 (replacing Linda Baker - retirement) |

High School AP Exam Proctors

Deirdre Bieber, Linda Fox, Holly Lang, Karen Stump

High School Credit Recovery Teachers 2023

Blair, Emma (Biology)
 Snyder, Shana (English)
 Mitzel, Gary (Math)
 Verbeke, Nathanael (English)
 Voit, Ralph (Math)

Substitutes

Eagle, Kristyna
 Mugar, Susan
 Pride, Deb

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Haggerty to Approve the following **Status Changes**

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| Becker, Sasha | - Middle School, Long-term Substitute, Foreign Language to High School, Long-term Substitute, French; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year |
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Clark, Alison	- High School, English to Mifflin Park, Librarian; temporary assignment for the 2023-2024 school year (covering for Corinne Brumbach - Child-Rearing Leave)
Cruz, Ileana	- Middle School, Full-time Paraprofessional to High School, Full-time Paraprofessional; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (replacing Wendy Yourkavitch)
Jones-Garman, Koryn	- Mifflin Park, Long-term Substitute to Mifflin Park, Learning Support, effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; TPE, BS Step 1 (replacing Tabitha Knause - resignation)
Kesneck, Kassie	- High School, Learning Support to High School, English; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (covering for Alison Clark - assignment change)
Latchum, Devon	- Brecknock teaching assignment will be Grade 2; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (replacing Alesha Capogna - resignation)
McCoach, Kaitlyn	- GMIS, Long-term Substitute to GMIS, Grade 5; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year; TPE BS Step 2 (replacing Amanda Phillips - assignment change)
Murray, Kim	- High School, Guidance Counselor to High School, Career Coach; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (new position)
Phillips, Amanda	- GMIS, Grade 5 to GMIS, Instruction & Student Data Specialist; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (replacing Emily Byrne - resignation)
Reigel, Sarah	- Middle School, Learning Support to GMIS, Learning Support; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (new position)

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| Russo, Sabina | - Mifflin Park teaching assignment will be Grade 1; effective for the start of the 2023-2024 school year (replacing Kimberly Dell - retirement) |
| Weber, Charles | - Supportive Substitute to Brecknock, Full-time, 2nd shift Custodian; effective June 12, 2023 (replacing Ty Blimline - resignation) |

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Approve the following **Leaves of Absence**

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| Brumbach, Corinne | - Child-Rearing Leave; effective for the 2023-2024 school year (Mifflin Park, Librarian) |
| Eagle, Kristyna | - Rescinding of Sabbatical Leave for the first semester of the 2023-2024 school year (previously approved in April, 2023) |
| Leisawitz, Jessica | - Family Medical Leave; effective April 23, 2023 through TBD (Cumru, Grade 4) |
| Murray, Amber | - Family Medical Leave; effective September 19 - 28, 2023 (GMIS, Psychologist) |
| Shockey, Kirstin | - Family Medical Leave; effective May 9 - 16, 2023 (Cumru, Reading Specialist) |

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Friedlander and second by Roby to Approve the following **In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests**

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| Carey, Shannon | - California University of PA, Course #6200: Assessment & Prescriptive Teaching; May 8 - June 23, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,548; reimbursement \$1,548 (High School, Learning Support) |
| Carey, Shannon | - California University of PA, Course #6000: Special Education Foundations & Collaboration; June 26 - August 11, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,548 reimbursement \$1,548 (HS, Learning Support) |

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| Hudzik, Zoe | - Kutztown University, Course #505: Perspectives on Instructional Technology & Learning; May 30 - July 3, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,548; reimbursement \$1,548 (High School, Spanish) |
| Rush, Nicole | - Liberty University, Course #670: Curriculum & Methods of Early Childhood Education; May 15 - July 7, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,695; reimbursement \$1,548 (GMIS, ESL) |
| Rush, Nicole | - Liberty University, Course #518: Education Research & Assessment; May 15 - July 7, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,695; reimbursement \$1,548 (GMIS, ESL) |
| Rush, Nicole | - Liberty University, Course #501: Advanced Child Development; May 15 - July 7, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,695; reimbursement \$1,548 (GMIS, ESL) |

In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests - Masters Plus

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| Beears, Brian | - BCIU, Mindfulness for Educators & Their Students; July 10 - August 20, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$475; reimbursement \$475 (Brecknock, Music) |
| Beears, Brian | - BCIU, Discovering the Root Causes of Disruptive Classroom Behavior; July 8 - August 19, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$475; no reimbursement (Brecknock, Music) |
| Cooper, Cecilia | - Vandercook College of Music; Course #7403: Musical Theatre Preparation & Production; June 5 - July 28, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,080; reimbursement \$1,080 (Mifflin Park, Music) |
| Faust, Katie | - BCIU, Be Trauma-Informed - When Behavior Plans Don't Work; May 1 - 31, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$475; no reimbursement (Brecknock, Kindergarten) |

Faust, Katie	- BCIU, Multiple Intelligences in the Classroom - Strategies, Techniques & Material; May 5 - 30, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$475; no reimbursement (Brecknock, Kindergarten)
Greene, Jordan	- Fresno Pacific University, Course #911: History & Philosophy of Sports & Physical Education; Summer, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$460; reimbursement \$460 (Cumru, Phys Ed)
Greene, Jordan	- Fresno Pacific University, Course #923: Teaching Lifetime Fitness; Summer, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$460; no reimbursement (Cumru, Phys Ed)
Lynch, Jillian	- Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Course #798: Principal Internship, Part II; Fall, 2023; 6 credits; tuition \$3,096; no reimbursement (Brecknock, STEM)
Martin, Stephanie	- Kutztown University, Course #503: Special Education - Anatomy of the Eye; May 30 - July 3, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,548; reimbursement \$1,548 (Mifflin Park, Grade 3)
Martin, Stephanie	- Kutztown University, Course #540: Library & Learning Technology - Management of Information & Technology Centers; May 30 - July 3, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,548; reimbursement \$1,548 (Mifflin Park, Grade 3)
O'Connor, Casey	- Lehigh University, Course #404: Cultural & Linguistic Diversity; July 3 - August 12, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$1,830; no reimbursement (Cumru, Reading Specialist)
Redford, Karen	- University of LaVerne, Course #719: Understanding Diversity & Ethnicity; Summer, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$405; reimbursement \$405 (High School, Spanish)

Redford, Karen - University of LaVerne, Course #713: Motivating Students Who Don't Care; Summer, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$405; no reimbursement (High School, Spanish)

In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests - Administrators

Pagan, Nicole - Neumann University, Course #755: School Business Management; May 7 - June 30, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$2,247 (Breckock, Interim Principal)

Pagan, Nicole - Neumann University, Course #778: Introduction to Statistics using SPSS; July 5 - August 16, 2023; 3 credits; tuition \$2,247 (Breckock, Interim Principal)

Total: \$19,298

MOTION CARRIED.

CURRICULUM/INSTRUCTION

Motion by Roby and second by Friedlander to Ratify Receipt of the roster for the **Graduating Class of 2023**, as presented
MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Roby and second by Friedlander to Approve the following items collectively:

- Authorize Governor Mifflin's submission of the following **Federal Programs applications**: Title I, Part A; Title II, Part A; Title III; Title IV
- Authorize Administration to **apply for five (5) full Act 80 days and three (3) half Act 80 days for the 2023-2024 school year**, for the purpose of providing appropriate Curriculum articulation, other Curriculum--related activities, and Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Authorize Administration to **apply for three (3) additional Act 80 days for the 2023-2024 school year to support a staggered start for the incoming Kindergarten class only**, over the dates of August 21, 22 & 23, 2023 ($\frac{1}{3}$ of class each day)
- Authorize Administration to submit application to the PA Department of Education for **2023-2024 Flexible Instructional Days**, as presented
- Authorize Administration to submit the **Pre-K Counts re-bid grant application** for school year 2023-2024, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Roby and second by Friedlander to Approve Request of the **High School TSA TEAMS** (4 members and Advisor) to travel to the Kentucky International Convention Center, Louisville, Kentucky for the **National Engineering Competition**; Thursday, June 29 - Sunday, July 2, 2023; no cost to the District, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

PUPIL SERVICES

Motion by Palange and second by Roby to Approve the following items collectively:

- **Waiver of Expulsion Hearing Agreement** for Student #809813, as presented
- **Waiver of Expulsion Hearing Agreement** for Student #806746, as presented
- **Waiver of Expulsion Hearing Agreement** for Student #820818, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Palange and second by Adams to Approve **Renewal Agreement with the Caron Foundation** to provide Student Assistance Program (SAP) services for the 2023-2024 school year, at a cost of \$80,460, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

PROPERTY

Motion by Peterson and second by Worley to Approve the following items collectively:

- Ratify **Horst Change Order #05-R3** for additional shut-off valves installed on the water supply lines entering and leaving the water meter pits; cost of \$5,563.16, as presented
- Ratify **Horst Change Order #11-R1** for tree and vegetation removal at the new high school entry from Waverly Street; cost of \$9,542.92, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Peterson and second by Palange to Approve **Cedar Change Order #12** for a temporary generator to be used during occupancy while waiting for delivery/installation of the procured Kohler generator; change order covers the occupancy through November, 2023 (the anticipated delivery month of the Kohler generator); cost of \$19,527.61, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Peterson and second by Worley to Approve the **Operations Department Capital Project listing** for items through the end of 2023, as presented

- GMSD Capital Reserve Items 2023
- GMSD Capital Reserve GMACC FFE

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Peterson and second by Roby to Approve Proposal for an “As the Seasons Change” themed **exterior mural at Brecknock Elementary**, as presented, **with the provision that the mural be installed as a non-permanent fixture**

MOTION CARRIED.

POLICIES

Motion by Palange and second by Adams to Approve **Second Reading of Revision to Policy #101 - Mission Statement/Vision Statement/Belief Statements**, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Peterson and second by Palange to Approve the following **Buildings & Grounds Use Requests**

Rhoback	Nick Singleton Content Photo Shoot GMSD Stadium 5-12-23; 7:00am - 12:00pm No Charge
First Student	First Student Driver Training High School LGI 5-30-23 - 6-02-23; 7:30am - 4:00pm No Charge
Cumru Township	Cumru Township Zoning Hearing Board GMIS Cafeteria 5-31-23; 5:30pm - 9:00pm No Charge

Reading United

Reading United Soccer League

GM Multipurpose Field

6-13-23 - 8-03-23

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 5:30pm - 9:30pm

Fields & times assigned by Athletic Director

Rental Fees Apply

Evolution Baseball

Evolution Baseball Practice

JV Baseball Field

8-08-23 - 10-24-23; Tuesdays, 5:30pm - 7:00pm

Fields & times assigned by Athletic Director

Rental Fees Apply

Evolution Baseball

Evolution Baseball Practice

JV Baseball Field

8-26-23 - 9-30-23; Saturdays, 11:00am - 1:30pm

Fields & times assigned by Athletic Director

Rental Fees Apply

Evolution Baseball

Evolution Baseball Practice

JV Baseball Field

8-12-23 - 8-19-23; Saturdays, 12:30pm - 2:30pm

Fields & times assigned by Athletic Director

Rental Fees Apply

MOTION CARRIED.

Prior to Adjournment, Board members expressed the following:

Dr. Lisa Peterson shared a note she received from Julian Colamarino and the rest of the Groovy Grinds team, thanking the Board for their help and support in getting their high school business up and running.

Mr. Andy Pannafino noted that an AED has now been placed in the Education Center's main lobby and also said that it was with regret that he accepted Mr. David Argentati's retirement as Director of Pupil Services for the District. He said that Mr. Argentati wore many hats and has done an outstanding job.

Mrs. Christina Worley complimented Mr. Bill McKay, Superintendent, on his well-written article regarding the teaching profession that recently appeared in the Reading Eagle. She also inquired about the free COVID test kits that had been provided to the District and asked where the remaining kits were being stored. It was confirmed for her that the kits are kept in each building's nursing office.

Motion by Peterson and second by Roby to **Adjourn the Meeting** at 8:16pm.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Sharon L. Patton", written in black ink. The signature is fluid and elegant, with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

Sharon L. Patton
Board Recording Secretary