

# WADSWORTH CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

WADSWORTH, OHIO

REGULAR STATED MEETING

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2023, 7:00 P.M.

JAMES R. McILVAINE PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, 625 BROAD STREET

## AGENDA

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. **Roll Call**
- IV. **Motion for Approval and Signing of Meeting Minutes**
- V. **Student/Staff Recognition**

- A. October Students of the Month

<u>Student</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>School</u>
Connor Ross	04	Franklin Elementary School
Griffin Dunwald	04	Isham Elementary School
Aric Criss	04	Lincoln Elementary School
Emma Meisterics	04	Overlook Elementary School
Tobyn Hummer	04	Valley View Elementary School
Dominic Boarman	05	Central Intermediate School
*Colby Nicholson	08	Wadsworth Middle School
Owen Ripplinger	12	WHS Career-Technical
Tanner SirLouis	12	Wadsworth High School

\*Colby Nicholson will be recognized at the November Board of Education meeting.

- VI. **Administrative Discussion Items, Presentations, and Updates**

- A. Presentation: State Report Card, Dr. Michele Evans, Director of Instruction and Professional Development
- B. Discussion: Date of November 2023 Board of Education Meeting

C. Discussion: Student Fees

D. September 22 Staff Professional Development Day

**VII. [Public Participation](#)**

**VIII. Administrative Items**

A. Personnel Consent Items

1. Resignations

- a) Ginger Hawanchak, eff. 9/29/2023
- b) Michael Irwin, Boys Varsity Asst. Track Coach (supplemental contract)

2. Employments (Recommendations are contingent upon each individual receiving his/her license from the Ohio Department of Education prior to the start of the 2023-2024 school year, with a license effective date of July 1, 2023, if he/she does not already have the said license and successfully meeting all other pre-employment requirements of the board.)

a) Non-teaching Employees

- (1) Barbara Mick, Student Attendant, eff. 10/9/2023
- (2) Amanda Moore, Special Education Aide, eff. 10/9/2023

b) Classified Substitutes

- (1) Katy Croft, eff. 9/28/2023
- (2) Kayla Caplinger
- (3) Joseph Darcey, eff. 10/5/2023
- (4) Lisa Freno
- (5) Donna Kilbert, eff. 10/5/2023

c) Kirk Kresowaty, High School Security Monitor substitute

d) Supplemental Contracts

- (1) Kristy Doyle, WMS Cheerleading Asst. Coach (Volunteer)
- (2) Samantha Herman, Varsity Asst. Swim Coach

e) Event Workers

- (1) Pam Csaky
- (2) Danielle Gaugler

- (3) Debbie Lake
- (4) Samantha Quallich

f) Volunteers

- (1) Emily Hoff
- (2) Cheree Johnston
- (3) Juanita Kollar
- (4) Haley Mack
- (5) Amanda McFarland
- (6) Alesia Riffle
- (7) Breanna Shank
- (8) Nina Shultz
- (9) Bethany Wagoner
- (10) Angela Watters
- (11) Staci Wittig

g) WHS Formal Dance Monitors (\$50)

- (1) Dave Derrig
- (2) Danielle Gaugler
- (3) Kelly Gnap
- (4) Jackie Knorr
- (5) Debbie Lake

- 3. Recommendation to approve unpaid leave for Natalie Melchiorre from the end of her allowable sick leave through May 31, 2023
- 4. Recommendation to approve unpaid leave for Ashley Bonenfant from the end of her allowable sick leave through April 5, 2024
- 5. Recommendation to approve unpaid leave for Lindsay Rohrbach from the end of her allowable sick leave through March 1, 2024
- 6. Recommendation to approve unpaid leave for Dianna Culbertson from the end of her allowable sick leave through June 2, 2024

B. Action Consent Items

- 1. Recommendation to approve a second reading and adoption of Board of Education Policy 5512.01, Random Alcohol, Drug and Nicotine Testing of Wadsworth City School District Students
- 2. Recommendation to approve the Agreement for Admission for Tuition Pupils Pursuant to Sections 3327.04, 3327.06, 3323.14, 3317.08, and 3313.841 O.R.C. between the

Brunswick Board of Education and the Wadsworth City Schools Board of Education for the 2023-2024 school year

3. Recommendation to approve the complimentary pass resolution for the 2023-2024 school year
4. Recommendation to approve the Agreement between The Goodwill Industries of Akron, Ohio and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of September 11, 2023 through May 31, 2024
5. Recommendation to approve the Service Agreement between Cornerstone Psychological Services and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of September 29, 2023 through October 9, 2024
6. Recommendation to approve the Non-Public Title 1 Interagency Agreement between Barberton City Schools, Sacred Heart of Jesus School, and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the 2023-2024 school year
7. Recommendation to approve the Bilingual School Psychologist Services Estimate
8. Recommendation to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the Wadsworth Educational Support Personnel Association OEA/NEA and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education
9. Recommendation to approve the following Agreements of Articulation with the University of Akron:
  - a) College of Business & the Four Cities Compact
  - b) College of Business & Wadsworth City School District Board of Education

**IX. Items of the Treasurer**

A. Action Item

1. Recommendation to accept the September financial reports as presented and subject to audit

**X. Legislative Update**

**XI. Board Member Items**

**XII. Executive Session**

WHEREAS, a public board of education may hold an executive session only after a majority quorum of this board determines by a roll call vote to hold such a session and only at a regular or special meeting for the purpose of the consideration of any of the following matters:

- A. To consider one or more, as applicable, of the check marked items with respect to a public employee or official:
  - 1. Appointment
  - 2. Employment ✓
  - 3. Dismissal
  - 4. Discipline
  - 5. Promotion
  - 6. Demotion
  - 7. Compensation
  - 8. Investigation of charges/complaints (unless public hearing requested)
- B. To consider the purchase of property for the public purposes or for the sale of property at competitive bidding
- C. Conferences with an attorney for the public body concerning disputes involving the public body that are the subject of pending or imminent court action
- D. Preparing for, conducting or reviewing negotiations or bargaining sessions with public employees concerning their compensation or other terms and conditions of their employment
- E. Matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or rules or state statutes
- F. Specialized details of security arrangements where disclosure of the matters discussed might reveal information that could be used for the purpose of committing or avoiding prosecution for a violation of the law

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Wadsworth City Board of Education, by a majority of the quorum present at this meeting, does hereby declare its intention to hold an executive session on **A2 and E** as listed above.

### **XIII. Adjournment**

In accordance with State and Federal law, the District will provide reasonable accommodations to persons with disabilities who wish to attend and/or participate in school events. Such individuals should notify the Superintendent if they require a reasonable accommodation.

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**Agenda Detail Sheet**

**VI. Administrative Discussion Items, Presentations, and Updates**

- D. September 22 Staff Professional Development Day:** On Friday, September 22, we held a staff professional development day. You can view the offerings provided to certified and classified staff by clicking [here](#).

**VIII. Administrative Items**

**A. Personnel Consent Items**

**2. Employments**

**a) Non-teaching Employees**

**(1) Barbara Mick:** Ms. Mick is being recommended to fill the Valley View Elementary School student attendant position that is required due to the needs of a student, per the student's individual educational program (IEP). This is a new position.

**(2) Amanda Moore:** Ms. Moore is being recommended to fill the Isham Elementary School special education aide position that was left open when Ms. Jennifer Swain moved to another position within the district.

**B. Action Consent Items**

- 1. Board of Education Policy, 5512.01, Random Alcohol, Drug and Nicotine Testing of Wadsworth City School District Students:** The Board of Education Policy 5512.01, Random Alcohol, Drug and Nicotine Testing of Wadsworth City School District Students being recommended for a second reading and adoption is revised to address the increase we have seen in the number of students who have been caught providing an adulterated sample when they are tested, per the said policy. The revisions are meant to incentivize students to provide their own test samples, even if the students know they may test positive, as the goal with our testing program remains to get help to students who need it.
- 3. Complimentary Pass Resolution:** The complimentary pass resolution being recommended for approval is necessary for audit purposes.

4. **Goodwill Industries Agreement:** The agreement between the Goodwill Industries of Akron, Ohio and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of September 11, 2023 through May 31, 2024 being recommended for approval will allow students, per their individual education programs (IEPs), to obtain vocational training in an employment setting through The Goodwill Industries of Akron, Ohio.
5. **Cornerstone Psychological Services Service Agreement:** The Service Agreement between Cornerstone Psychological Services and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of September 29, 2023 through October 9, 2024 being recommended for approval will allow Cornerstone Psychological Services to provide services to Wadsworth City School District employees through an employee assistance program.
6. **Non-Public Title I Interagency Agreement between Barberton City Schools and Wadsworth City Schools - Sacred Heart of Jesus:** The Non-Public Title I Interagency Agreement between Barberton City Schools and Wadsworth City Schools - Sacred Heart of Jesus School for the 2023-2024 school year being recommended for approval is required by law and details the responsibilities of each party in providing Title I services to students at Sacred Heart of Jesus School who qualify.
7. **Bilingual School Psychologist Services Estimate:** The Bilingual School Psychologist Services Estimate being recommended for approval will allow for Mira Narouze, psychologist, to complete a multi-factored evaluation of a student in Arabic.
8. **Wadsworth Educational Support Personnel Association OEA/NEA Memorandum of Understanding:** The Memorandum of Understanding between the Wadsworth Educational Support Personnel Association OEA/NEA and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education being recommended for approval changes the years of experience an employee will receive if they are in a position included in the *WESPA Collective Bargaining Agreement* and they move to a new job at a lower pay range. The change may help us fill jobs that are traditionally harder to fill if an employee decides to leave a position that is at a higher pay range.
9. **University of Akron Articulation Agreements:** The Agreements of Articulation between the University of Akron College of Business and the Wadsworth City School District, one (1) of which is on behalf of the Four Cities Compact, being recommended for approval detail the conditions of articulation and articulated courses and credits for business and/or marketing programs at Barberton High School (Four Cities Compact) and Wadsworth High School.