

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
SPRINGFIELD LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF  
MARCH 18, 2020**

The Board of Education of the Springfield Local School District met at Springfield High School & Jr. High, March 18, 2020, for the Regular Meeting. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. Board members present were Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry and Mr. Lance. The Superintendent, Treasurer, Business Manager, Director of Curriculum and Special Services Director were also present.

Pledge of allegiance recited.

- 20-031**  
**Approval of Minutes**
- Mr. Petry made a motion that the Board approve the minutes of the regular meeting of February 18, 2020. **(Exhibit 1)**.  
Second by Mr. Lance. Ayes: Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hofer, Mr. Lance, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Hess. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.
- 20-032**  
**Payment of Bills**
- Mr. Hess made a motion that the Board approve bills for payment for the month of February, pending audit. **(Exhibit 2)**.  
Second by Mrs. Dodson. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.
- 20-032**  
**Payment of Bills**  
**(Then & Now)**
- Mr. Lance made a motion that the Board approval a resolution for payment of bills per ORC Section 5705.41(D). **(Exhibit 3)**.  
Second by Mr. Hess. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.
- 20-033**  
**Financial Reports**
- Mrs. Dodson made a motion that the Board approve the financial reports from the Treasurer for February 2020. **(Exhibit 4, 5, & 6)**.  
Second by Mr. Lance. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.
- 20-034**  
**Personnel**
- Mrs. Dodson made a motion that the Board accept/approve the following personnel items:
1. **Retirement** resignation of classified employee, Dave Johnson Sr. effective May 1, 2020.
  2. **Retirement** resignation of classified employee Pat Loggins effective June 1, 2020.
  3. **Retirement** resignation of Secretary to the Superintendent, Paulette Ryan effective June 1, 2020.
  4. **Resignation** of varsity track assistant coach, Damon Rupert effective March 10, 2020.
  5. **Approve** a three-year administrative contract for David Jurmanovich, Spring Hill Elementary Principal.
  6. **Approve** a three-year administrative contract for Danielle Starkey, Springfield High School & Jr. High Assistant Principal.
  7. **Approve** a three-year administrative contract for Jeff Miller, Schrop Intermediate Assistant Principal.
  8. **Approve** a reduction of the following certified positions due to financial reasons effective the 2020-21 school year:
    - 2 High School and Jr. High Tutors (2 FTE)
    - High School and Jr. High Biology (.5 FTE)
    - District Librarian (1 FTE)
    - Schrop Intermediate 4th Grade (1 FTE)
    - Schrop Intermediate 6th Grade (1 FTE)
    - Schrop Intermediate Reading Intervention Specialist (1 FTE)
    - Elementary Instrumental Music (1 FTE) Note: Elementary vocal music will remain intact

9. **Approve** a release from employment with Springfield Local Schools due to a reduction in force for financial reasons the following certified employees effective the 2020-21 school year:

- Kimberly Borcoman
- Diane Fennell
- Emma Goubeaux
- Kelly Porter-Santamaria
- Lyndsey Thompson

Second by Mr. Hess. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-035  
Public Notice**

Mr. Petry made a motion that the Board authorize and direct the Treasurer to place a notice in the Suburbanite for a public meeting on the issue of the re-employment of Paulette Ryan as Secretary to the Superintendent. The notice shall appear in the April 17, 2020 edition.

Second by Mrs. Dodson. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-036  
Service Contract  
NEONET**

Mr. Hess made a motion that the Board approve a service contract with Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEONET) to provide internet and connectivity services to all district locations for a period of five years subject to E-Rate funding. **(Exhibit 7)**.

Second by Mrs. Dodson. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-037  
Resolution Accepting  
Amounts & Rates**

Mr. Hess made a motion that the Board approve a resolution accepting the amounts and rates as determined by the budget commission and authorizing the necessary tax levies and certifying them to the county fiscal officer. **(Exhibit 8)**.

Second by Mrs. Dodson. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-038  
Resolution  
COVID-19**

Mrs. Dodson made a motion that the Board approve a resolution regarding educational programming, student services, and student and staff safety during the period of time that the Springfield Local School buildings are closed. **(Exhibit 9)**.

Second by Mr. Lance. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-039  
Donations**

Mr. Lance made a motion that the Board accept the following donation:

- **Donors Choose project** -27 new books to Mrs. DiLauro's classroom library at Schrop Intermediate School.

Second by Mr. Petry. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

**20-040  
Adjournment**

Mrs. Dodson made a motion for adjournment.

Second by Mr. Hess. Ayes: Mr. Hofer, Mrs. Dodson, Mr. Hess, Mr. Petry, and Mr. Lance. Mr. Hofer declared the motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 6:46 P.M.

Certified that the above minutes is a true record of proceedings of the Regular Meeting held March 18, 2020.