



FREEPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Happenings

*During the Regular Meeting of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors held on Wednesday, **December 13, 2023**, the following agenda items were **approved**:*

Personnel

The resignation of Jennifer B. Harris, Educational Assistant, effective November 29, 2023.

The employment of the following individuals for the District's Athletics Programs during the 2023-2024 school year:

Claire S. Crytzer	<i>7th Grade Volleyball Coach</i>
Benjamin A. Edwards	<i>Volunteer Girls Lacrosse Coach</i>
John A. Radvan III	<i>Volunteer Softball Coach</i>
Graycen D. Vitale	<i>Volunteer Head Girls Lacrosse Coach</i>

Other Business

The submission of PlanCon Part J - *Project Accounting Based on Final Costs* for the Freeport Area Middle School Project to the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

A Homestead/Farmstead Contract with Government Software Services, Inc., for data processing services to be provided during the 2023-2024 fiscal year.

A proposal from Andrew M. Smith, dba Hooch Excavation, for snow removal services to be provided during the 2023-2024 school year.

A proposal from Mailki Mechanical Snow & Ice Management, for snow removal services to be provided during the 2023-2024 school year.

A Lease and Operating Agreement with Small Impressions Childcare, Inc., for the lease of space in the Kelly Building from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024.

The District's 2023-2024 membership in the ABC CREATE (Alle-Kiski Best Practices Collaborative Community Robotics Education and Technology Empowerment) Program.

The renewal of the District's annual membership in the Alle-Kiski Strong Chamber for 2024.

Joint purchasing agreements with other school districts or intermediate units in Pennsylvania for purchases for the 2024-2025 school year and a resolution authorizing Administration to enter into the Allegheny Intermediate Unit's joint purchasing program.

Accepting a Henninger Award Grant in the amount of \$2,500 for the Buffalo Elementary School.

Accepting two Bots IQ grants, each in the amount of \$250, from the Pittsburgh Chapter of the National Tooling & Machining Foundation to be used to cover the cost of transportation and items for the High School robotics team.

A letter of intent for acceptance of a Mobile Science and Mathematics Education Program Grant to provide Merlyn Mind's AI-powered voice assistant technology.

Accepting \$1,000 from First National Bank of Pennsylvania in recognition for the High School's placing second in student participation in the First National Bank Financial Literacy Challenge, with the funds to be used for High School athletics programs.

Finance

The November financial reports, lists of bills for payment, and a list of budgetary transfers.

Next Meeting

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 – Regular Meeting

The Board of School Directors will not hold a Committee Meeting in January.