

RICHARDSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SBDM Special Called Meeting September 4, 2024

These members were present for the meeting:

***Lyndsey Thomason, principal**

***Ashley Cummings – teacher, in person**

***Savannah McDonald – teacher, virtual**

***Jennifer Basil, Jason Watts- parents, virtual**

1. The meeting was called to order at 3:45.

2. The motion was made by Ashley Cummings and seconded by Jennifer Basil to approve the agenda. There was a consensus.

3. There was no unfinished business.

4. a. Dr. Thomason presented the Title I Program Description. There was clarification that Stefanie King, Reading RTI, and Harley Stringfield, assistant in the K/1 split class, are the staff members who are at least partially funded by Title I. Jennifer Basil made the motion to accept the Program Description as printed and Jason Watt seconded the motion. There was a consensus.

b. Dr. Thomason presented the ESS Program Plan for FY24/25. HMM Read & Respond Journals and Versatile Kits will be purchased. ESS will be scheduled before and after school from September to April to benefit students identified as needing additional support. No transportation will be provided. Kindergarten Readiness Camp will be held in July of 2025. A motion to approve was made by Jason Watts and seconded by Savannah McDonald. There was a consensus.

c. Ashley Cummings made a motion to move to closed session for personnel discussion. Jennifer Basil seconded the motion.

d. Ashley Cummings made a motion to return to open session. Savannah McDonald seconded the motion.

e. Council announces the approval to hire:

i. Ricky Gerald's to be hired as a related arts teacher to fill the open music position. He has been working as a sub in that position.

5. Dr. Thomason reported that iReady Reading was completed last week. iReady Math is in process this week. This is one measurement of a student's growth, and they have been encouraged by the efforts made by these students to perform well.

6. There were no comments from the floor. Jennifer Basil made a motion to adjourn at 4:00 and Ashley Cummings seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

Paula Bennett
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