

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 4, 2024

The special meeting for general business purposes of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors scheduled for 7:00 pm in the Auditorium of the Freeport Area High School, 625 South Pike Road, Sarver, Pennsylvania, was called to order by Mr. Gary Risch, Jr., Board President, at 7:04 p.m.

Roll call:

Ms. Davies	Present
Mr. DiGiacobbe	Present
Mr. Haven	Present
Mr. Huth	Present
Ms. Maxwell	Present
Mr. Risch	Present
Mr. Ritter	Present
Mr. Selinger	Present
Ms. Zembrzusi	Present

Administrators present were Mr. Magness, Superintendent; Mr. Robb, Program Director; and Mr. Walker, Director of Finance and Operations. Also participating was District solicitor Mr. Daniel Conlon.

The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The Board held its Committee Meeting prior to moving to the noticed Special Meeting for general business purposes.

Mr. Risch asked for comments on any Special Meeting agenda item. No public comments were offered.

Personnel

It was moved by Mr. Haven, and seconded by Mr. Huth,

- a. To accept the resignation of Cassidy J. Hack, Educational Assistant, effective August 1, 2024.
- b. To accept the resignation of Zachery A. Bernard, full time Custodian, effective September 4, 2024.
- c. To accept the resignation of Kaycee A. Reesman, Educational Assistant, effective September 11, 2024.
- d. To accept the resignation of Deborah J. Pastoria, part-time Cafeteria Worker, effective September 13, 2024.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. Selinger, and seconded by Ms. Maxwell,

- e. To approve the request of Employee No. 4027 for Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) Leave.
- f. To approve the request of Employee No. 4179 for Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) Leave.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. Haven, and seconded by Ms. Davies,

- g. To approve the employment of Jerry D. Cressler and Barbara S. Woomer as part-time Cafeteria Workers, at an hourly wage rate of \$12.75, effective September 5, 2024, and contingent on satisfactory completion of all pre-employment requirements.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Ms. Davies, and seconded by Mr. Selinger,

- h. To approve the employment of Mallory E. Busch as an Educational Assistant for the 2024-2025 school year, at an hourly wage rate of \$14.00, effective September 5, 2024, and contingent on satisfactory completion of all pre-employment requirements.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. Selinger, and seconded by Mr. DiGiacobbe,

- i. To approve the employment of Molly F. Vantine as an Educational Assistant for the 2024-2025 school year, at an hourly wage rate of \$13.00, effective September 5, 2024, and contingent on satisfactory completion of all pre-employment requirements.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. Haven, and seconded by Ms. Maxwell,

- j. To approve the employment of the individuals listed on the attachment as Professional Learning Mentors and New-Teacher Mentors for the 2024-2025 school year, with salaries in accordance with contracted terms of remuneration approved by the Board.

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. Huth, and seconded by Mr. Selinger,

- k. To approve the employment of the paid and volunteer individuals listed on the attachment for the District's 2024-2025 Athletics Programs, with salaries in accordance with contracted terms of remuneration approved by the Board and contingent on satisfactory completion of all pre-employment requirements.


Motion carried unanimously.

Reports

Mr. Haven presented the Building Committee's report on its August 28, 2024, meeting. The Board President solicited each Director's comments on the April 2024 HHSDR Feasibility Study. The following members of the public in attendance provided their comments: Jackie Gaughan of South Buffalo Township, Dan Lucovich of Buffalo Township, Mark Wyant of Buffalo Township, Morgan Kaminski of Buffalo Township, and Robert Palmiter of Freeport Borough.

Adjournment

There being no further business, it was moved by Mr. Selinger, and seconded by Mr. DiGiacobbe, that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. Mr. Risch declared the meeting adjourned at 9:14 p.m.



Board President



Board Secretary