

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The following represents the action taken at the October 19, 2020 meeting of the Board of Education which was conducted in the Board Room located within Washington Intermediate School.

SUCCESS STORY

Starting the weekend of October 16th, Aramark is making sure that students will have meals on wheels. Students who are blended learning will now have the opportunity to take home a larger pack of meals that will provide food for the entire weekend. Upon request, remote learners will have a larger weekend pack delivered to their home via school bus.

We are pleased and thankful for the effort and support our Aramark and Pekin bus partners are providing.

APPROVE TREASURER'S REPORTS AND WARRANTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

Approved the Treasurer's Report and Warrants for September in the amount of \$3,431,772.42 of which \$1,880,025.79 is payroll.

REPORTS

- Quarterly Budget Monitoring Report (Mr. Glayn Worrell, Business Manager)
- School Opening Plan Update (Mr. Leonard Ealey, Assistant Superintendent)

APPROVE MINUTES

The Board of Education approved minutes from the September 28, 2020 Board of Education meeting.

ACCEPT GIFTS

The Board of Education is pleased to acknowledge receipt of the following gift:

- L.E. Starke Primary School is pleased to acknowledge the receipt of a monetary donation in the amount of \$1,000 from Richwoods Christian Church for the purchase of school supplies, extra clothing, water, books, and PPE for students.

ACCEPT FY2020 AUDIT AS PRESENTED

The Board of Education accepted the FY2020 audit as presented by Phillips, Salmi & Associates.

PERSONNEL

EMPLOY

- Employ Susana Plumier for the 2020-2021 school year for the position of 6.5 Hr. Special Education Paraprofessional at an annual salary of \$14,558 + IMRF to be pro-rated for the 2020-2021 school year.

SEPARATE

- Accept the resignation of Joice Ayres, Special Education Paraprofessional, effective October 16, 2020.

APPROVE

- Approve an Intermittent Family Medical Leave of Absence for Shawn Muth, Special Education Paraprofessional, effective September 24, 2020 for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year.

- Approve an Intermittent Family Medical Leave of Absence for Donna Brantley, Learning Center Paraprofessional, effective October 5, 2020 for the 2020-2021 school year.
- Approve Collin Martin and Thomas McKibben as Substitute Teachers for the 2020-2021 school year.
- Approve Aeromie Dockins and Catherine Rigdon as Substitute Paraprofessionals for the 2020-2021 school year.

APPROVE MEMO OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING CERTIFIED STAFF EVALUATION

The Board of Education approved a Memorandum of Understanding regarding temporary modifications to certified staff evaluation procedures as presented.

APPROVE MEMO OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING TEMPORARY SICK LEAVE BANK

The Board of Education approved a Memorandum of Understanding regarding a temporary Covid-19 sick leave bank for the 2020-2021 school year.

APPROVE MEMO OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING TEMPORARY REMOTE WORK DURING QUARANTINE

The Board of Education approved a Memorandum of Understanding regarding temporary remote work during quarantine during the 2020-2021 school year.

BOARD OF EDUCATION UPDATES

Remote Learner Survey

In accordance with our school opening plan, all families with remote learners have been asked to complete a survey indicating whether or not their child(ren) plan to return to in person instruction after October 30. The survey was made available on October 16 and will close on October 23.

Tentative November Reports

- Finance Committee Update: Tentative Levy Scenarios
- District Report Card*
- Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR)/School Designations*

*The annual state test...Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR) was cancelled last spring, therefore, IASB has informed us that the 2020 District Report Card will use the school designations assigned last year on the 2019 School Report Cards.

Tentative November Items for Action

- Establish a Hearing Date for the 2020 Levy

BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 19 (Monday)	Board of Education Meeting (6:45 p.m.)
November 3 (Tuesday)	Election Day State Holiday – No School
November 5 (Thursday)	Parent Conferences
November 6 (Friday)	Parent Conferences
November 11 (Wednesday)	Veterans Day – No School
November 12 (Thursday)	Communications Committee Meeting (4:00 p.m.)
November 16 (Monday)	Board of Education Meeting (6:45 p.m.)
November 25 (Wednesday)	Special Holiday – No School
November 26 (Thursday)	Thanksgiving – No School
November 27 (Friday)	Special Holiday – No School