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Franklin Local School District Board of Education

April 21, 2022

Opening Report

The Franklin Local Board of Education held its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, April 21, 2022 at the Central Office. All members were present.

PUBLIC HEARING:
None

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS:
Spotlight on Students and Staff:

Assistant Superintendent Rob Preston and Board of Education members recognized and presented Certificates of Accomplishment and Philo Electric Pride Pins to the following:

Teri Mosebrook (*RES Intervention Specialist MD Unit*) on being recognized by CORAS as Franklin Local School District's Outstanding Elementary Teacher!

Kierston Harper (*12th Grade at PHS*) for receiving the Muskingum County's Franklin B. Walter All-Scholastic Award!

Jessi Fuller (*8th Grade ELA Teacher at PJHS*) receiving Exemplary Educator at the MVESC Recognition Ceremony.

Misty Henderson (*5th Grade ELA Teacher at DFE*) receiving Outstanding Educator at the MVESC Recognition Ceremony.

Darbi Henderson (*12th Grade at PHS*) for being nominated as an Outstanding Student at the MVESC Recognition Ceremony.

Mr. Preston and the Board then recognized student athletes and coaches who received post-season recognition.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:
None

BOARD GOALS:
Clear and Concise Communication Within the Community and School:

Theresa Gause, FLCS Principal presented on what is new at FLCS. Teachers Marree Bendgen, Kelly Mock, and Trevor Tom along with a FLCS student presented a Power Point presentation on events taking place this school year at FLCS.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Scott Paul discussed the recent appeal of reassessment submitted to the Ohio Department of Taxation by the Rockies Express Pipeline. The Administration has been working with several offices to make our voices heard on this issue.

The Board reviewed the monthly financial report and investment activity, fund balances, list of bills paid, and the Green Financial Sheet.

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The Board waived the reading and approved the minutes from the March 23, 2022 regular meeting.

The Board approved ALR Insurance Services as the district's insurance broker, membership in the Ohio School Benefit's Cooperative, Medical Mutual as the district's third-party administrator for medical and dental claims, and Medical Mutual of Ohio as the medical provider network (SUPER MED).

The Board approved acceptance of three donations.

The Board approved agreement with the Auditor of State-Local Government Services Division to prepare the General-Purpose Financial Statements for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2023.

Superintendent's Report

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Personnel

Resignations:

The Board approved Greg Haberfield's (*PHS Boys' Basketball Coach*) resignation.

The Board approved Katie Phillips' (*Speech-Language Pathologist*) resignation effective August 31, 2022.

The Board approved Carla Jasper's (*Bus #24 Driver*) resignation, effective April 12, 2022.

The Board approved Craig Hill's (*Bus #4 Driver*) resignation, effective August 31, 2022.

The Board approved the amended date of retirement for Randy Pyle (*Bus #20 Driver*) from May 31st to Sept. 1, 2022.

Hires:

The Board approved the following for classified sub positions, as noted, pending satisfactory completion of backgrounds and required certifications: Willard Foster, Renee Wiseman and Jody Wilson.

The Board approved Willard Foster for bus training.

The Board approved the transfer of Jamie Dady (*FLCS PS Aide*) to Aide at RES, effective at the start of the 2022-2023 school year.

The Board approved a list of contract renewals for non-certificated employees per the negotiated agreement.

The Board approved to non-renew all existing (2021-2022) supplemental and pupil activity (extra-curricular) contracts for the Franklin Local School District at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

The Board approved a one-year supplemental or Pupil Activity (extra-Curricular contract for the following coach, contingent upon having a valid Pupil Activity Permit (PAV) from the State of Ohio:

Jason Trout-Varsity Boys' Basketball Coach for the 2022-2023 school year.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Board approved a 3-year contract with Muskingum County Sheriff's Department for School Resource Officers.

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The Board approved an addition to the PHS Course of Study for the 2022-2023 school year.

The Board approved a MOU and Data Sharing Agreements with James A. Rhodes State College for College Credit Plus post-secondary opportunities for students at PHS for the 2022-2023 school year.

The Board approved a MOU with Hocking College for College Credit Plus post-secondary opportunities for students at PHS for the 2022-2023 school year.

The Board approved the renewal of our lease with Pitney Bowes for our postage meter.

The Board approved childcare tuition waiver for employees whose children attend the FLSD Safe Kids in Local Latchkey (S.K.I.L.L.) program.

The Board approved unpaid leave for two employees.

The Board approved declaring outdated Pole Vault equipment to be obsolete and/or not needed for school use and dispose of equipment in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code.

The Board approved a quote proposal for DFE back staff lot paving from Birkhimer Asphalt Contractors.

The Board approved a MOU with United Steel Workers Union, effective April 1, 2022 that upon completion of initial CDL Bus Driver Training requirements and certification new employees shall receive a payment of (\$250.00) upon completion of their first work day with

FLSD. New Bus Drivers will then receive an additional payment of (\$250.00) upon completion of working regularly for one full school year.

The Board approved a resolution to designate the week of May 2-6, 2022 as Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week (May 3 is Teacher Appreciation Day).

SUPERINTENDENT OTHER:
None

OLD BUSINESS:
None

NEW BUSINESS:

The Vocational Update was given by Susan Lent.

The Legislative Update was given by Jim Swingle and Treasurer Scott Paul. Including updates on federal nutrition requirements changing in FY2023 which will require students to start paying again for lunches. House Bill 583 was also discussed concerning extending the substitute teacher flexibility.

The Curriculum update was provided by Dustan Henderson, Director of Instruction. Mr. Henderson presented an update discussing the summer school program. Mr. Henderson also gave an update on our driver's education program.

Director of Special Services, Kara Harris informed the Board that one of our PJHS gifted students placed 1st in the state in the stock market game.

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The Maintenance of Facilities Update was presented by Rob Preston, Assistant Superintendent:

- PJHS Project
- PJHS office project
- DFE project
- Auditorium project
- Track project will begin this summer

The next monthly Board meeting will be held Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at the Central Office.