

February 10, 2021

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF
THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
DECATUR COUNTY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

The Board of School Trustees met in regular session on Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at the Board Office, 2020 North Montgomery Road, Greensburg, IN 47240

Board President Joyce Geis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. All members were present.

Under routine matters, upon a motion made by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Todd Mauer minutes of meetings held January 13, 2021 were unanimously approved.

Payment of claims and payroll were ordered on a motion made by Chris Owens, a second by Lizette Bell and passed unanimously.

On a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Stephen AmRhein, the following field trip was unanimously approved pending COVID restrictions that may be in place at that time.

Field Trip

South Decatur High School Music Department – Disney World
Orlando, FL – October 8-13, 2021

On a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Lizette Bell, the following resignation was unanimously approved.

Resignation

Kelsey Slaughter – District Dyslexia Specialist

On a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Todd Mauer, the following appointments were unanimously approved.

Samantha Grote – North Decatur Elementary – Certified Teacher

Kindra Carpenter – North Decatur Elementary – Educational Assistant

Breanna Morris – North Decatur High School – Virtual Life Skills – 5 hours/week

Ariel Watt – North Decatur Elementary – Homebound – 7 ½ hours/week

Doug Mohr – Medical Leave for Krista Evan

Athletics
North Decatur

Christian McKinney – Elementary Boys Basketball

Ashley Dillon – Girls Varsity Track

Andrew Hocker – Assistant Varsity Track

South Decatur

Devin Clark – Varsity Volleyball

There were no agenda topics or written requests.

There was no old business.

Under new business, Dr. Burns requested approval of the 2021/2022, 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 school calendars. Dr. Burns stated he received input from the teachers and the teachers association. On a motion by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Chris Owens the calendars were approved by a vote of 6-1 with Matthew Hoeing voting against the motion.

Board President Joyce Geis made the following motion: On behalf of the Board of Trustees of Decatur County Community Schools, I move to non-renew Nick Flowers' contract as the assistant superintendent of the school corporation, effective at the end of

the contract period. I further move that the Superintendent issue to Nick Flowers written notice of the board's decision to non-renew his administrator contract with the school corporation. On a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Todd Mauer the non-renewal was unanimously approved.

The following donations to North Decatur Jr/Sr High School were unanimously accepted on a motion by Chris Owens and a second by Lizette Bell. \$180 in gift cards from First Christian Church, \$1,815 each from Bohman CPA Group and Heritage Industrial Contracting for new volleyball poles, \$1,500 from Napoleon State Bank to athletics, \$3,750 from First Federal Savings & Loan for athletic letter jackets, \$900.72 from Knights of St. John to special education, \$2,000 from Kaywin & Ann Lindsay for the Lindsay Scholarship fund, \$1,020 from Heritage Industrial Contracting to athletics for new locker room time clock, and \$2,000 from an anonymous donor for guidance assistance.

Disposal of obsolete equipment was unanimously approved on a motion by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Chris Owens.

A resolution approving the transfer of funds from the Education Fund to the Operating Fund for the calendar year 2021 was unanimously approved on a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Matthew Hoeing.

Student fundraisers were unanimously approved on a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Chris Owens.

Dr. Burns requested approval to void outstanding checks that have been outstanding longer than 2 years as of December 31, 2020. Todd Mauer made a motion for approval and Chris Owens made a second to the motion. Discussions were held

regarding any contact attempt. Mathew Hoeing made a motion to table this request and a second was made by Nicholas Messer. The request was tabled by a vote of 6-1 with Todd Mauer voting against the motion.

The next regular Board Meeting will be on Wednesday, March 10, 2021 at Central Office beginning at 6:00 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Stephen AmRhein at 6:12 p.m.

Matthew Hoeing, Secretary
Board of School Trustees
Decatur County Community Schools

APPROVED BY:
