

November 13, 2019

**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, November 13, 2019, at the Board Office, 2020 N. Montgomery Road, Greensburg, Indiana 47240.

Board President Lizette Bell called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

All members were present.

Under routine matters, upon a motion made by Tim Roscoe and a second by Todd Mauer minutes of meetings held October 16, 2019 were unanimously approved.

Payment of claims and payroll were ordered on a motion made by Matthew Hoeing, a second by Stephen AmRhein and passed unanimously.

On a motion by Joyce Geis and a second by Todd Mauer, the following conference attendance and field trips were unanimously approved.

Conference Attendance

Christopher Williams – North Decatur High School – Midwest Band Clinic  
December 19-20, 2019 – Chicago, IL

Lucas Hochstedler/Allison Hunnicutt – North Decatur High School  
Wind Tunnel Training – November 23, 2019 – Dayton, OH

On a motion by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Matthew Hoeing, the following resignations and leaves were unanimously approved.

### Resignations

Charlie McCoy – Director of Safety – June 30, 2020

Carrie Somers – South Decatur High School – Varsity Volleyball

### Leaves

Mallory Paswater – South Decatur Elementary  
Medical Leave – April 17-October 18, 2020

Melissa Hahn – North Decatur High School  
Medical Leave – October 18-December 2, 2020

Toni Kellems – North Decatur High School  
Medical Leave – February 10-April 6, 2020

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

### Appointments

Barbara Wolf/Pam Weisenbach – North Decatur High School  
Medical Leave for Toni Kellems

Cathy Tichenor – South Decatur High School  
Medical Leave for Kristen Ross

### Athletics – SDHS

Kendall Wildey – Varsity Boys Basketball  
Mark Koors – Boys Freshman Basketball  
Jake Shook – Junior High Boys Basketball  
Mike Cole – Junior High Boys Basketball  
Kelly Fox – Varsity Girls Basketball  
Lisa Huff – Assistant Varsity Girls Basketball  
Devin Clark – Freshman “C” Team Girls Basketball  
Tyler Ewing – Basketball Volunteer  
Kristen Hicks – Junior High Girls Basketball  
Scott Best – Junior High Girls Basketball

There were no agenda topics or written requests.

Under new business, Dr. Burns presented the extra effort award to Elizabeth Lamey and Garry Sauley.

Dr. Burns requested approval of Chris Lindroth as the Technology Director. On a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Joyce Geis, the appointment was unanimously approved.

Dr. Burns requested approval of non-certified salary increase. On a motion by Joyce Geis and a second by Matthew Hoeing, the salary increase was unanimously approved.

A resolution approving the transfer of funds from the Education Fund to the Operating Fund was unanimously approved on a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Stephen AmRhein.

Business Manager Louise Smith requested approval to continue the Section 125 plan for next year. On a motion by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Todd Mauer, the continuation of the Section 125 plan was unanimously approved.

Dr. Burns requested approval of Neola Policy Updates. On a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Chris Owens, the policy updates were unanimously approved.

Dr. Burns requested approval of the following 2020-2024 contracted bus routes.

Route #3	Charity Banks	\$229.99
Route #27	Bob Oakley	\$209.99
Route #32	Beth Miller	\$222.00
Route #35	Bob Oakley	\$210.99

On a motion by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Joyce Geis, the bus contracts were unanimously approved.

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

A donation from the NDHS Class of 1969 of \$175.00 to North Decatur High School was unanimously accepted on a motion by Todd Mauer and a second by Chris Owens.

Dr. Burns requested approval to amend the secondary student handbook for clear book bags at South Decatur Jr/Sr High School. On a motion by Chris Owens and a second by Matthew Hoeing, the amendment was unanimously approved.

South Decatur Elementary Principal Angel Hocker reported on the Veteran's Day Program, family space night, upcoming all school Thanksgiving lunch, spell bowl, try-outs for the upcoming musical, Title I night, robotic teams, testing and the Christmas Program.

South Decatur High School principal, Jim Jameson reported on the Fall play and the start of the "Why" program with staff.

The next regular Board Meeting will be on Wednesday, December 11, 2019 at Central Office beginning at 5:00 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Tim Roscoe and a second by Matthew Hoeing at 6:21 p.m.

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Stephen AmRhein, Secretary  
Board of School Trustees  
Decatur County Community Schools

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