

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Buckeye Local Board of Education – Regular Meeting
Held October 19, 2021 – 6:30 P.M. – Zoom & Braden Jr. High

REGULAR MEETING

MEMBERS PRESENT

Shannon Pike, President
Tina Stasiewski, Vice President
Gregory Kocjancic
David Tredente
Mary Wisnyai

MEMBER ABSENT

Also present were Superintendent Patrick Colucci and Treasurer Kassandra Brand

CITIZENS PRESENT

Ryan Marcy, Stephanie Marcy, Tim Claypool, Stephanie Claypool, Elmer Anthony, Jody Anthony, Lisa Randolph, Ben Randolph, Tomieka Baird, Bethany Irish, Taryn Prince, Kelley Loudon, Mary Ann Kline, Bill Kline, Anthony Oquendo, Anthony Pascarella, Lindsay Pascarella, Becca Viancourt, Holly White, Jerry L. Smith, Judy Smith, Michelle Petro, Chad Miller, Ryan Whelpley, Megan Shetler, Mark Mathews, Janet Mathews, Christy Vencill, Kristen Bush, Lori Stright, David Stright, Tonya Evans, Sarah Anderson, Trisha Patton, Donna Geddes, Matt Geddes, Kayla Wilson, Ryan Wilson, Sal Lalli, Dusty Sarai, Shannon Hamalainen, Nathan Hamalainen, Kirk White, Melissa Ernst, Christi Evans, Kelly McCumber, Andy McCumber, Tom McCumber, Gary Patton, Robert Taylor, Michelle Taylor, Nicole Deligianis, Cheryl Wickstrom, Christine Batanian, Michelle Sardella, Nicole Bisbee, LiAnna Murphy, Stephanie Hutchinson, Shelley Terry, Jessica Pocci

MEDITATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

COMMUNICATION/SPECIAL REPORTS

None.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION RELATED TO AGENDA ITEMS

The following individuals expressed their views/concerns about mask mandates:
Kayla Wilson, Ryan Wilson, Anthony Pascarella, Becca Viancourt, Anthony Oquendo, Mark Mathews, Megan Shetler, Michelle Petro, Bethany Irish

CORRESPONDENCE

Emails from the following individuals expressing their views/concerns about mask mandates: Mary Ann Kline, Bill Kline, Sherri Hommes, Cheryl Wickstrom

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TREASURER’S REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

77.21 It is the recommendation of the Treasurer that the Board approve the following items:

Mr. Tredente moved and seconded by Mrs. Stasiewski to approve the following:

Approval of Minutes

Approve the September 21, 2021 Regular BOE meeting minutes and the September 30, 2021 Special Meeting minutes as presented to the board on October 14, 2021.

Financial Reports

Approve bills paid in September and the financial reports as presented to the board on October 14, 2021.

Then and Now Certificate

Be it resolved upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and Treasurer the following be approved:

WHEREAS, Section 5704.41 requires the fiscal officer of a school district certify the amount required to make an expenditure has been lawfully appropriated and is in the school district’s treasury, free from any previous encumbrances before the expenditure is made,

WHEREAS, there are exceptions to the requirement, and

WHEREAS, the exceptions are: an invoice that exceeds a purchase order by \$3,000, “then and now” certificates, and blanket certificates in the amount of \$50,000 or more;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BUCKEYE BOARD OF EDUCATION:

To approve the following Then and Now Certificate:

PO Number 220515, Vendor: SYSCO Food Services, Description: Cafeteria Food & Supplies, Amount: \$14,581.01.

Student Activity Appropriations Adjustments

Approve the Student Activity appropriation adjustments in the amount of \$35,295.00.

Fund 022 Appropriation

Approve the FY22 District Agency Fund 022 appropriation as follows:
District Agency Fund 022: \$462,377.48

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TREASURER’S REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS (CONTINUED)

Transfer of Funds from Fund 022 to the General Fund (Fund 001)

Authorize the treasurer to transfer \$462,377.48 from District Agency Fund 022 to the general fund as approved by the Tax Commissioner on September 29, 2021.

FY22 Amended Appropriations

Approve the following fiscal year 2022 amended appropriations:

- General Fund 001: \$19,591,360.86
- Scholarship Fund 007: \$6,903.80
- Student Wellness and Success Fund 467: \$ 386,128.83
- ESSER Fund 507: \$3,964,610.39

Amended Certificate of Estimated Resources

Authorize the treasurer to request an Amended Certificate of Estimated Resources from the County Auditor.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mr. Tredente, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Kocjancic, Mrs. Wisnyai, and Mrs. Pike
Motion carried

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT

Board Policies – First Reading

Review the following board policies:

Po0169.1	Po5516
Po1530	Po5630.01
Po1617	Po6114
Po2271	Po7300
Po2370.01	Po7450
Po3217	Po8330
Po4217	Po8462
Po5111	Po8600
Po5111.02	Po8651
Po5200	Po8740
Po5350	

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78.21 It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the following items:

Mr. Kocjancic moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to approve the following:

Terms of Supplemental Employment

Approve the agreement clarifying the terms of supplemental employment with Mr. Jon Butchko, as presented to the board on October 15, 2021.

Accept Gifts

Accept the following donations to the Buckeye Local School District:

1. A Kids Only Early Learning Center, Student of the Month donation, \$250.00
2. Edgewood Dairy Queen, 36 gift cards for Student of the Month, \$144.00
3. Demshar Eaton CPA, Student of the Month donation, \$50.00
4. Glotzbecker’s Service Center, Student of the Month donation, \$100.00
5. Greg Sweet Auto Group, Student of the Month donation, \$100.00
6. Lowe’s of Mentor, donation to Kingsville Elementary of COVID sanitation supplies valued at \$6,000
7. Melaragno HVAC & Construction, Student of the Month donation, \$200.00
8. Tony’s Deli, 36-\$10 gift cards for Student of the Month, \$360.00

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mr. Kocjancic, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Tredente, Mrs. Wisnyai, and Mrs. Pike
Motion carried

PERSONNEL

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the following Personnel items:

79.21 Mrs. Wisnyai moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to approve the following items:

Certified Staff:

Certified – Appointments

1. Tonya Tiscenko, Title I tutor, Ridgeview Elementary, 4.0 hours per day plus 1.75 additional hours as needed, \$24.52 per hour, effective September 29, 2021.
2. Eileen Pitt, ESSER tutor, Ridgeview Elementary, 4.0 hours per day plus 1.75 additional hours as needed, \$24.52 per hour, effective September 29, 2021.
3. Jennifer Myers, Title I tutor, Ridgeview Elementary, 21 hours per week, M/W/F, \$24.52 per hour, effective October 4, 2021.

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PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

4. Sandra Schmude, Title I tutor, Kingsville Elementary, 4.0 hours per day plus 1.75 additional hours as needed, \$24.52 per hour, effective October 20, 2021.
5. Richard Piaser, Home Instruction tutor, Ridgeview Elementary, 5 hours per week, \$24.52 per hour, effective October 15, 2021.

Certified – Change in Assignment

1. Rachel Howell, Title I tutor, Ridgeview Elementary, from 4 hours per day plus 1.75 hours as needed to ESSER tutor, 7.50 hours per day, effective September 20, 2021.
2. Raeann Eldred, Title I tutor, Kingsville Elementary, from 4 hours per day plus 1.75 hours as needed to Academic tutor, 7.50 hours per day, effective September 2, 2021.

Certified – Change in Salary, Effective August 24, 2021

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>		<u>To</u>	
Cari Agardi	M+10	\$63,741	M+20	\$65,142
Susan Phillips	M+20	\$68,645	M+30	\$70,045
Beth Popely	M+20	\$72,147	M+30	\$73,548
Kevin Santee	M+20	\$73,022	M+30	\$74,423
Gregory R. Stolfer	B+10	\$51,133	B+20	\$51,834
*Jennifer Swiger	B	\$55,686	B+10	\$56,387
*4 extended days		\$ 1,204.02		\$ 1,219.18

Certified – FMLA

Abigail Benjamin, teacher at Ridgeview Elementary, effective October 8, 2021 for no more than 12 work weeks in a 12-month period.

Certified – Extracurricular and Special Fee Assignments:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Alissa Zappitelli	IAT Chairperson - Braden	8/31/2021	\$1,050.69
Olajuwon Cooper	Boys Circle - Braden	8/31/2021	\$ 525.35
Sally Bradley	Girls Circle - Braden	8/31/2021	\$ 525.35
Sally Bradley	Friends of Rachel	8/31/2021	\$ 525.35
Heidi Johnston	Student Council - Braden	8/31/2021	\$ 875.58
Rebecca Deak	Braden Teen Institute	8/31/2021	\$ 525.35
Dennis Mitchell	Robotics	8/31/2021	\$1,751.15

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PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

Classified Staff:

Classified – Change in Assignment:

1. Nicole Bisbee, SMEA, Ridgeview Elementary, from 2 hours per day to 3 hours per day, Step 1 of 5, \$14.80 per hour, effective September 27, 2021.
2. Christine Batanian, from SMEA at Ridgeview Elementary to SMEA at Braden Middle School.
3. Kelsey Cole, from cafeteria service personnel at Braden to cafeteria cook at Edgewood High School, 4.75 hours per day, effective October 4, 2021.

Classified – Appointments

1. Aaron Chambers, custodian floater for District, step 1 of 6, \$17.92 per hour, effective October 11, 2021.
2. Tina Gaggiano, bus driver, 6 hours per day, step 6 of 6, \$20.06 per hour, effective October 18, 2021.

Classified - Salary Adjustments

1. Cathe Dickey, bus aide, from step 1 of 5, \$15.80 per hour to step 1 of 5, \$14.80 per hour.
2. Susan Holloman, bus driver, from step 6 of 6, \$20.06 per hour to step 3 of 6, \$19.27 per hour.

Classified Resignation:

Leeandra Holcomb, SMEA, Kingsville Elementary, effective October 5, 2021.

Classified – Substitutes

1. Ashley Cropek - cafeteria
2. Steve DiGiacomo - custodian
3. Nina Farina - administrative assistant
4. Josh Goodenow - custodian
5. Darla Helfer - cafeteria
6. Marguerite Kister - administrative assistant
7. Andrew Shumate - student worker
8. Debbie Turner - cafeteria, custodian

All personnel appointments are contingent upon possessing or obtaining the appropriate certification/licensure, validation, and/or permit as required by law and board policy, as well as satisfactory physical examination, criminal background check and/or current CPR training where applicable.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mrs. Wisnyai, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Kocjancic, Mr. Tredente, and Mrs. Pike
Motion carried

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BOARD RESOLUTIONS

For consideration of the Board of Education:

80.21 Mr. Tredente moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to approve the following item:

Approve the resolution to amend Board Policy 8450.01 as presented in **Exhibit A**.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Ms. Stasiewski, Mrs. Wisnyai, and Mrs. Pike
Nayes: Mr. Kocjancic and Mr. Tredente
Motion carried

81.21 Mr. Tredente moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to approve the following item:

Approve the resolution to authorize increased safety measures to mitigate against the continued spread of COVID-19 as presented in **Exhibit B**.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mrs. Pike
Nayes: Mr. Kocjancic, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Tredente, and Mrs. Wisnyai
Motion failed

VISITOR PARTICIPATION RELATIVE TO NEW ITEMS

None

OTHER BUSINESS – FYI

Board Member Gregory Kocjancic announced that the Buckeye Band Boosters will present the Haunted Woods at Brant's Apple Orchard on October 16, 23, and 30 from 7-11 pm.

82.21 EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Kocjancic moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to enter into executive session at 7:58 P.M.

1. For consideration of appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee, or official and/or other legal matters.
2. Consideration of the purchase of property or sale of property for purposes, at competitive bidding, if premature disclosure of information would give an unfair competitive or bargaining advantage to a person whose personal, private interest is adverse to the general public interest.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mr. Kocjancic, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Tredente, Mrs. Wisnyai, and Mrs. Pike
Motion carried

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EXECUTIVE SESSION (CONTINUED)

Executive session ended at 8:37 P.M.
Open session reconvened.

83.21 ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Kocjancic moved and seconded by Ms. Stasiewski to adjourn this regular meeting at 8:37 P.M.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Mr. Kocjancic, Ms. Stasiewski, Mr. Tredente, Mrs. Wisnyai, and Mrs. Pike
Motion carried

Attest: _____

SHANNON PIKE
PRESIDENT

KASSANDRA BRAND
TREASURER