



Board Briefs



November 21, 2024 Board Meeting

Minutes from the October 22, 2024 Work Session and the October 24, 2024 Board Meeting were approved.

The following Finance/Audit recommendations were approved:

- ❖ Approval of the monthly financial reports and check payment register report for October, 2024.
- ❖ Approval of a revised Inter-district Service Area Contract between the Riverside Local School District and the Educational Service Center of Northeast Ohio for the 2024-2025 school year for consultant services and interpreter services.
- ❖ Approval of the termination of a service contract with the Educational Service Center of the Western Reserve effective June 30, 2025 in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 3313.843.
- ❖ Approval of a Service Change Form with psi AFFILIATES, INC./psi ASSOCIATES, INC. to add an additional part time health aide to Riverview Elementary School for the 2024-2025 school year.
- ❖ Approval of a purchase order to World Fuel Services, Inc. in the amount of \$120,000.00 for fuel for buses.
- ❖ Approval of Then and Now Certificates over \$3,000 per ORC section 5705.41:
 1. to Lake Erie Gymnastics in the amount of \$5,400.00 for November 2024 through February 2025 Varsity training.
 2. to Gardiner in the amount of \$3,080.94 for repairs to the Media Center at Buckeye Elementary.
 3. to Emmanuel Ventures in the amount of \$1,730.00 for Transportation Services on 9/30/2024.
 4. to the Treasurer, State of Ohio in the amount of \$11,428.00 for LGS Audit from 5/31 through 10/19/2024.
 5. to the ESC NEO in the amount of \$18,676.00 for tuition in the Positive Education Program for August and September, 2024.
 6. to the ESC WR in the amount of \$15,900.00 for Personalized Learning Professional Development services by Jake Miller.
 7. to the ESC WR in the amount of \$3,474.45 for an additional 1:1 Broadmoor Aide for the 24/25 school year.
 8. to the ESC WR in the amount of \$4,098.15 for special needs transportation for August, September and October, 2024.
 9. to the ESC WR in the amount of \$13,481.76 for OT and PT services provided in August, September and October, 2024.
 10. to AI for All LLC in the amount of \$60,000.00 for Artificial Intelligence TechCred Courses for employees.
- ❖ Approval of to accept the following donations:
 1. \$2,250.00 from Parkside PTO for Parkside Elementary library books.
 2. \$14,700.00 from RLEEF to the RLEEF Activity Fund.
 3. \$380.00 from AMSCO for FabLab printer ink.
 4. \$865.00 from Parkside staff and families to the David Baker Memorial Fund.
- ❖ Approval of the Five-Year Forecast for November 2024 and authorize the treasurer to file with the Ohio Department of Education & Workforce.

The following Personnel recommendations were approved:

- ❖ Approval to establish substitute teacher requirements in accordance with House Bill 33 of the 135th General Assembly as codified in Ohio Revised Code 3319.102 beginning with the 2024-2025 school year per the attached resolution.
- ❖ Approval of payment of Science of Reading stipends to educators who have completed the applicable professional development requirements under Ohio House Bill 33 of the 135th General Assembly. The cost of these stipends will be reimbursed to the Riverside Local School District by the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce.

Miles Andersen	\$1,200.00
Karina Baldwin	\$1,200.00
Michael Bales	\$1,200.00
Chelsea Balint	\$1,200.00
Kari Basista	\$1,200.00
Ashley Brandehoff	\$400.00
Jonathan Breech	\$1,200.00
Jordan Brunstetter	\$1,200.00
Jody Calhoun	\$1,200.00
Mary Beth Carter	\$1,200.00
Barbara Dostal	\$400.00
Heidi Franz	\$1,200.00
Kellie Galante	\$1,200.00
Daniel Kaczmarek	\$400.00
Kelly McCabe	\$1,200.00
Kelly Oblaczynski	\$1,200.00
Megan Schanz	\$1,200.00
Richard Schmidt	\$1,200.00
Katie Terman	\$1,200.00
Taylor Valaitis	\$1,200.00
Alexandra Vires	\$1,200.00

Retirement

- ❖ Nicholas Orlando, Part-time Tutor at LaMuth Middle School, effective May 1, 2025.
- ❖ Nicholas Orlando, Educational Assistant at LaMuth Middle School, effective May 1, 2025.

Resignation

- ❖ Leslie Crowe, Transportation Operator, effective October 28, 2024.
- ❖ Jessica Beigh, Educational Assistant at Riverview Elementary, effective October 10, 2024.

Transfer

- ❖ John (Jack) Cinicola, from ELA Tutor, General fund at Riverside Campus to Math Tutor, Title fund at LaMuth Middle School, One-year Limited Contract, effective October 28, 2024.
- ❖ Shawn Webster, from Maintenance to Skilled Crafts, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-8, effective November 18, 2024.
- ❖ Molly Wheeler, from Educational Assistant at Riverview Elementary to Special Needs Assistant at Riverview Elementary, Step-1, effective November 18, 2024.

Employment

- ❖ Meghan Ables, Educational Assistant at LaMuth Middle School, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-0, effective December 2, 2024.
- ❖ Brandon Hanley, Night Custodian at Riverside Campus, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-0, effective December 2, 2024.

- ❖ Michael Yentz, Mid-day Custodian at LaMuth Middle School, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-5, effective November 25, 2024.
- ❖ Barbara Dolan, Instructional Services for home placed students as required per their IEP to be paid at her contractual hourly rate, effective the 2024-2025 school year.
- ❖ William Sowers, Special Needs Assistant at Riverside Campus, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-0, effective December 2, 2024. Pending Educational Aide permit.
- ❖ Linda Daniels, Night Custodian at Buckeye Elementary, retroactive step advancement of Step-7, effective November 1, 2024.
- ❖ Sharon Swartzwelder, Transportation Operator, increase in hours from 6.0 hours per day to 7.08 hours per day, Step-11, effective January 6, 2025.
- ❖ Hai Nhu Nguyen, Educational Assistant at Buckeye Elementary, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-0, effective date pending Rapback enrollment.
- ❖ Lori Clark, Educational Assistant at Melridge Elementary, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-0 effective date pending background check, Educational Aide permit and Rapback enrollment.

Supplemental Contracts

❖ Geoffrey Noreika	Wrestling - Girls Head Coach	\$3,344.00	
❖ Brock Marut	Wrestling-7th/8th Grade	\$2,926.00	
❖ Jeff Marut	Wrestling-7th/8th Grade	\$3,344.00	
❖ Amanda Latta	Gymnastics Volunteer		
❖ Kathy Babcock	Indoor Track - Boys Head Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Lisa Wade	Indoor Track - Girls Head Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Alyssa Keim	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Jamel White	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Robyn Selent	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Richard Marinelli	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Alex Kyer	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Jacob McDonald	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Marcus McCaleb	Indoor Track - Assistant Coach	Volunteer	
❖ Kathy Babcock	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Jill Schar	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Lisa Wade	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Matthew Grendel	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Robyn Selent	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Jennifer Kilgore	8th Grade Trip Chaperone	\$628.00	
❖ Shannon Borris	Audio/Visual-LaMuth	\$384.00	Prorated supplement payout due to position change 11/1/2024
❖ Meghan Ables	Audio/Visual-LaMuth	\$867.00	Prorated supplement for the remainder of the 24/25 school year

Classified Substitutes

- ❖ Educational Assistant - Jill Chapek, effective October 29, 2024
- ❖ Educational Assistant - Lori Clark, effective date TBD, pending background check, aide permit and Rapback enrollment
- ❖ Educational Assistant - Kimberly Hansen, effective November 11, 2024
- ❖ Special Needs Assistant - Kimberly Atchley, effective October 29, 2024
- ❖ Special Needs Assistant - Kimberly Hansen, effective November 11, 2024
- ❖ Secretary - Rebecca Halfhill, effective November 22, 2024
- ❖ Secretary - Nicholas Orlando, effective October 25, 2024
- ❖ Transportation Operator - Leslie Crowe, effective October 29, 2024
- ❖ Transportation Operator - Dawn Howell, effective date TBD, pending background check & Rapback enrollment

The following Curriculum & Programming recommendations were approved

- ❖ Approval allowing the Riverside High School student athletes to train through the winter months and prepare for the outdoor track season. Along with weekday workouts, athletes will be competing in high level competitions at SPIRE Institute in Geneva and local colleges.

Board of Education Business

- ❖ Approval of the Riverside Local School District Board of Education will send out by email a communication to the Riverside Local School District to inform about the progress, planning, and direction of the Board of Education. The Board of Education designates Scott Fishel to meet with the Director of Marketing and Communications on Monday, November 25, 2024 to formulate the email communication. The email will be sent on Monday, November 25, 2024.
- ❖ Approval to postpone, indefinitely, the discussion of the process of sending out email communications to the public regarding the progress, planning, and direction of the Board of Education.
- ❖ Approval to enter into executive session for the purpose to consider confidential information related to the marketing plans, specific business strategy, production techniques, trade secrets, or personal financial statements of an applicant for economic development assistance.
- ❖ Approval to enter into executive session for the purpose to discuss security arrangements and matters required to be kept confidential by state or federal law.

This ends all official action by the Board of Education.

Next Meeting: Finance/Audit & Personnel Committee Meeting - December 12, 2024 7:30 a.m.
Building and Grounds Committee Meeting - December 17, 2024 7:30 a.m.
Board of Education Meeting - December 19, 2024 6:00 p.m.