



Board Briefs



March 21, 2024 Board Meeting

Minutes from the February 22, 2024 Meeting were approved.

The following Finance/Audit recommendations were approved:

- ❖ Approval of the monthly financial reports and check payment register report for February 2024.
- ❖ Approval to accept the amounts and rates as determined by the budget commission and authorizing the necessary tax levies and certifying them to the county auditor.
- ❖ Approval of the following grant applications and awards: Ohio Department of Education and Workforce in the amount of \$2,500,000.00, Ohio Career Technical Education Equipment Grant Program, Fund 499
- ❖ Approval of a proposal with the Ohio Auditor of State - Local Government Services for financial statement compilation for fiscal year 2024 at a cost not to exceed \$17,000.00.
- ❖ Approval of a program agreement with the Metropolitan Regional Service Council and participate in the Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet) program.
- ❖ Approval of a Master Service Agreement and Internet Access Service Order with the Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet) for a five-year period effective July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2029.
- ❖ Approval of a purchase order to Colonial Oil in the amount of \$150,000.00 for fuel for buses.
- ❖ Approval of an Agreement with Frontline Education for FY25 Absence & Time Solution in the amount of \$30,772.36.
- ❖ Approval of a purchase order with Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet) for the purchase of 750 Chromebooks at a total cost of \$178,500.00.
- ❖ Approval of Then and Now Certificates over \$3,000 per ORC section 5705.41
- ❖ Approval to accept the following donations:
 1. \$8,230.04 from Riverside Band Boosters toward the purchase of a new computer system.
 2. \$500.00 from SSC Controls Company to the RAVE Program.
 3. \$2,000.00 from Mentor Nissan to Riverside Softball.
 4. \$540.00 from the RBI Club to the Baseball Team for the purchase of hats.
- ❖ Approval of the course fee for the MATH 180 Pre-Algebra course through the Jefferson County ESC in the amount of \$350.
- ❖ Approval to authorize filing of complaint against the valuation of real property for Tax Year 2023 against permanent parcel number 11-B-064-A-00-019-0

The following Personnel recommendations were approved:

- ❖ Approval of a memorandum of understanding with the Riverside Local Education Association regarding school psychologists.

Resignation

- ❖ Isaiah McQueen, ELA Tutor at Riverside Campus, effective March 8, 2024.
- ❖ Ellen Boulware, Playground Assistant at Parkside Elementary, effective February 28, 2024.

- ❖ Kim Fedakowski, Study Hall Monitor at Riverside Campus, effective March 8, 2024.
- ❖ Jeanette Veselko, Playground Assistant at Parkside Elementary, effective March 22, 2024.
- ❖ Jeanette Veselko, Latchkey Assistant at Riverview Elementary, effective March 22, 2024.
- ❖ Julie Hornstein, Playground Assistant at Melridge Elementary, effective March 22, 2024.
- ❖ Julie Hornstein, AM Latchkey Assistant at Melridge Elementary, effective March 22, 2024.
- ❖ Jennafer Bockhoff, Latchkey Third Assistant & Coordinator at Parkside Elementary, effective April 18, 2024.

Transfer

- ❖ Michael Bales, from ELA Title Tutor to Long Term Teacher at LaMuth Middle School, for a staff member on leave, at a prorated salary, BA+0, Step-0, effective March 18, 2024.
- ❖ Timothy Wilson, from Transportation Operator to 12-Month T-S Evening Float Custodian, One-Year Limited Contract, Step-3, effective April 2, 2024.

Employment

- ❖ Patricia Hickman, Transportation Operator, One-Year Limited Contract Step-3, effective March 18, 2024.
- ❖ Emily Graff, ELA Title Tutor at LaMuth Middle School, One-Year Limited Contract, effective March 18, 2023.
- ❖ Danielle Goff, Transportation Operator, One-Year Limited Contract Step-2, effective March 19, 2024.
- ❖ Timothy Wilson, Transportation Operator, Step increase due to employment verification from Step-0 to Step-6, retroactive to March 1, 2024.
- ❖ Abby Plassard, Long Term First Grade Teacher at Buckeye Elementary, pay increase due to confirmation of credit hours from the prorated rate based on BA+0 Step-1 to the prorated rate based on BA+15 Step-1.
- ❖ Tabitha Lette, AM/PM Latchkey Coordinator, as needed, One Year Limited Contract, effective March 4, 2024.
- ❖ Lilly Wittie, AM/PM Latchkey Coordinator, as needed, One Year Limited Contract, effective March 4, 2024.
- ❖ Samantha Leber, Latchkey Third Assistant, up to 2 hours per day, One Year Limited Contract, effective May 1, 2024.
- ❖ Allison Buttari, Latchkey Third Assistant, up to 2 hours per day, One Year Limited Contract, effective May 1, 2024.
- ❖ Ricardo Velazquez, Maintenance I, One Year Limited Contract Step-5 effective April 2, 2023.
- ❖ Kegan Moore, Latchkey Third Assistant as needed at Buckeye Elementary, One Year Limited Contract, effective April 2, 2024.
- ❖ Patricia Hickman, Transportation Assistant, 1.42 hours per day, One Year Limited Contract Step-3, effective March 20, 2024.
- ❖ John Cinicola, ELA Title Tutor at Riverside Campus, One Year Limited Contract, effective April 2, 2024.
- ❖ Austin Sternberg, Seasonal Technology Worker as needed, paid by timesheet, effective May 13, 2024.

Supplemental Contracts

- ❖ Kevin Weirich, Track - Seventh & Eighth Grade
- ❖ Ethan Putney, Track - Varsity, Corrected to split
- ❖ Clay Babcock, Track - Varsity, Split
- ❖ Marcus McCaleb, Track - Varsity, Seventh & Eighth Grade Assistant
- ❖ Tom Reilly, Outdoor Education Program - Both Sessions
- ❖ Mark Tinney, Outdoor Education Program -Both Sessions

- ❖ Edward Hoynes, Outdoor Education Program - Both Sessions
- ❖ Cathy Valaitis, Outdoor Education Program - Both Sessions
- ❖ Amanda Smith, Outdoor Education Program - Both Sessions
- ❖ Kelly Puhalsky, Outdoor Education Program - Both Sessions
- ❖ Barb Dostal, Outdoor Education Program - Session A
- ❖ Tisha Mochan, Outdoor Education Program - Session A
- ❖ Vanessa Neilsen, Outdoor Education Program - Session B
- ❖ Monica Vernon, Outdoor Education Program - Session B
- ❖ Jonathan Breech, Seventh Grade Class Trip Director
- ❖ Cassi Kallay, Soccer - Boys Head Coach

Classified Substitutes

- ❖ Jessica Rauch, General Substitute, effective March 18, 2024.
- ❖ Julie Hornstein, Substitute Playground Assistant, paid by timesheet at her regular hourly rate Step-3, effective April 2, 2024.
- ❖ Julie Hornstein, Substitute AM Latchkey Assistant, paid by timesheet at her regular hourly rate, effective April 2, 2024.

The following Buildings & Grounds/Operations recommendations were approved:

- ❖ Approval of a purchase order with North Shore Sealcoating/Asphalt for the paving of an outside basketball court and four square court at LaMuth Middle School at a total cost of \$18,060.00.
- ❖ Approval of a purchase order with Jacco & Associates for the purchase of a rooftop air handling unit for the choir room at the Riverside Campus at a total cost of \$34,750.00.
- ❖ Approval of a purchase order with Cincinnati Floor Company for the replacement of the gymnasium floor at LaMuth Middle School at a total cost of \$132,354.00. Pricing is based on cooperative purchase pricing available to Riverside as a member of Sourcewell.
- ❖ Approval of the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission Third Amended & Restated Expedited Local Partnership Program's Project Agreement and Accept the Third Amended Master Facility Plan.

This ends all official action by the Board of Education.

Next Meeting: Curriculum and Programs Committee Meeting - April 3, 2024 7:30 a.m.
 Building and Grounds Committee Meeting - April 9, 2024 7:30 a.m.
 Finance/Audit and Personnel Committee Meeting - April 11, 2024 7:30 a.m.
 Board of Education Meeting - April 18, 2024 6:00 p.m.