

PRAIRIE HEIGHTS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

July 20, 2020 6:30 p.m.

Administration Office 0305S 1150E, LaGrange, IN

MINUTES

The Prairie Heights Community Schools Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, July 20, 2020. The meeting was held in the Prairie Heights Middle School Cafeteria. Those in attendance were as follows: Mr. Reed, Bob Ledgerwood, Jim Courtright, Mike Howe, Brook German and Kirk Perkins. Also in attendance were: Andy Arndt, Alecia Pfefferkorn, Dustin Holden, Jeremy Swander, Gaylon Wisel, Brooke Cheesman, Amy Lash, Brad Jones, Brent Byler, Julie Nichols, Julie Deveau, Andrew Scheidler, John Wylie, Damon Witherspoon, Karen Eagleson, Christine Orr, Brett Smith, Stacy Smith, Sheila McCrea, Alice Bremer, Amanda Gunthorp, and Shannon Schlosser. The meeting was called to order by President Bob Ledgerwood at 6:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of Silence.

A motion was made by Mike Howe to approve the following Consent Items:

- □ Approval of the June 15, 2020 minutes.
- □ Approval of June 25 & July 10, 2020 payrolls.
- □ Approval of July 2020 claims.
- □ Approval of Employment:
 - a) Kyle Long PHHS Teacher
 - b) Christine Orr CFO
 - c) Andrew Hopwood PHMS Teacher
 - d) Nate Fultz PHMS Teacher
 - e) Tomos O'Sullivan PHMS Soccer Coach
 - f) Andrew Hopwood PHMS Football Coach
 - g) McKenzie Kain Volunteer Girls Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach
 - h) Tyler Randol Girls Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach & 8th Grade Football Coach
- Mr. Reed approved a resignation from Beth Davis (PHHS Teacher), Karen Eagleson (CFO), Tim Tropp (JV Boys Basketball Coach), and Chandler Sailor (Volunteer HS Volleyball Coach and Freshman Boys Basketball Coach).
- □ Mr. Reed approved the employment of Taylor Alford (PHES Instructional Assistant), Terri Leedy (PHES Instructional Assistant) and Jeff Holden (Part-time Maintenance).

The motion was seconded by Kirk Perkins and approval was 4-1.

Motions were then made on the following Action Items:

- □ Brook German moved to extend Administrator contracts one year. Jim Courtright seconded the motion and approval was 5-0.
- Mike Howe moved to approve the Student Assistance Program Contract and MOU with Bowen Center.
 Brook German seconded the motion and approval was 5-0.
- □ Brook German moved to approve the 2020-2021 "Back to School Plan". Mike Howe seconded the motion and approval was 5-0.

Adjournment was at 7:10 p.m.

Documents were signed.