

LINCOLN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS
Ypsilanti, Michigan
BOARD OF EDUCATION / REGULAR MEETING
August 10, 2020
6:00 p.m.
Virtual (COVID-10) Meeting Google Meets

OFFICIAL MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Jennifer Czachorski, Vice President
Jennifer LaBombarbe, Secretary
Thomas Rollins, Treasurer
Connie Newlon, Trustee
Allie Sparks, Trustee

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT

Robert Jansen, Superintendent
Adam Blaylock, Human Resources Director
Karensa Smith, Curriculum & Instruction Director

OTHERS PRESENT

Due to live stream the individual names of viewers in attendance is unknown.

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Vice President Czachorski called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m. in a virtual meeting in Google Meets due to COVID-19.

2.0 ROLL CALL

Roll call showed all Board Members were present with the exception of Laura VanZomeren and Yoline Williams.

3.0 ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

A quorum was established.

4.0 PLEDGE TO FLAG

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by Board and audience members.

5.0 ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

It was moved by LaBombarbe and seconded by Newlon that we accept the agenda as presented.

Ayes: 5

Nays: 0

Motion carried 5-0

6.0 SUPERINTENDENT AND STAFF REPORTS/CORRESPONDENCE

6.1 Superintendent's Report

- Welcomed Principals back after Summer break!
- Welcome Abby Smith as the new Bishop Principal.
- Emergency contact cards will now be done electronically.

6.2 Human Resources Report

- Human Resources is working on staffing and meeting with union representatives to navigate the new school year

7.0 PUBLIC COMMENT

- Sherry Smith submitted the following question: I would like to know if the Big 10 are cancelling their seasons, will we as a district be rethinking our views for sports programs?
- Gordon Elsner submitted the following question: I believe that the board should not approve this plan. The plan does not seem very well thought out. I see that elementary students are only having 1.5 hours of instructional time per a day. With no instructional time for Social Studies or Science, how is this acceptable. I didn't see anything in the plan about getting students back to full time this year. From the looks of the plan to have instructional time, parents are required to take time off of work. If you have a question teachers are allowed up to 2 days to respond. There was no schedule for middle school student, so we have no idea what that even looks like. I think those items need to be addressed before this plan should be approved.
- Mike Weathers submitted the following questions: On behalf of the Lincoln Education Association, I would like to thank the Board of Education for approving the plan presented at last week's meeting and your support in creating a safe environment for all members of the Lincoln community. I would also like to thank Superintendent Bob Jansen and many others in district leadership for working collaboratively with the LEA in navigating these difficult conditions. I feel very fortunate to work for a district that values us as people, respects our input, and makes our safety a top priority. We will continue to roll up our sleeves and work together to get through this and we look forward to better days ahead in the near future.

8.0 BOARD REPORTS/CORRESPONDENCE

- 8.1 Board Executive Committee Report
 New Board Executive Committee will meet on August 8, 2020 virtually.
- 8.2 Board Performance Committee Report
 The Board Performance Committee plans to meet September 21, 2020, as regularly scheduled.
- 8.3 Board Planning Committee Report
 Board Planning met virtually on August 10, 2020, to discuss Bond update, finance and MSP Security Grant. They will meet next on September 14, 2020.
- 8.4 Board Finance Committee Report
 Next Board Finance Committee is scheduled to meet on October 17, 2020.
- 8.5 Reports and Correspondence
 No reports

9.0 OLD BUSINESS

- 9.1 Minutes of Previous Meeting
- 9.1.1 Regular Meeting July 20, 2020
- 9.1.2 Special Meeting August 3, 2020
 Enclosed are the minutes of the July 20, 2020, Regular Meeting and August 3, 2020 Special Meeting.

It was moved by LaBombarbe and seconded by Sparks that we approve the minutes of the July 20, 2020, Regular Meeting and the August 10, 2020 Special Meeting as presented.

Ayes: 5

Nays: 0

Motion carried 5-0

- 9.2 Personnel Transactions

| ACTION ITEMS | | | | |
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| Name | Position/Building | Effective Date | Status | Major/Step |
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| Tasha Rogowski | Noon Supervisor/Childs Elementary | 6/30/2020 | Resignation | |
| Janessa Young | School Social Worker/Model Elementary | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | MA/Step 1 |
| Marielle Bellow | Special Education Teacher/Brick Elementary | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | BA/Step 2 |
| Sarah Pelc | Teacher Young 5/Childs Elementary | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | BA/Step 1 |
| Connie Henry | Secretary/Lincoln High School | 7/27/2020 | Resignation | |
| Tammy Hoops | Paraprofessional/Model Elementary | 8/17/2020 | Resignation | |
| Taylor Hudson | Kindergarten Teacher/Childs Elementary | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | BA/Step 1 |
| Donovan Steudle | Teacher Business & Marketing/Lincoln High School | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | BA/Step 1 |
| Vickey Priest | Teacher 5th grade/Brick Elementary | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | MA/Step 5 |
| Theodora Robinson-Jones | ELA Teacher/Lincoln High School | 8/24/2020 | New Hire | BA/Step 3 |
| Abigail Smith | Principal/Bishop Elementary School | 8/10/2020 | Transfer | |

It was moved by LaBombarbe and seconded by Sparks that we approve the August 10, 2020, Personnel Transactions Summary as presented.

Ayes: 5

Nays: 0

Motion carried 5-0

10.0 ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by LaBombarbe and seconded by Rollins that we adjourn the meeting at 6:39 p.m.

Ayes: 5

Nays: 0

Motion carried 5-0