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March 7, 2023

The Board of School Trustees of the Centerville-Abington Community Schools met at 7:00 p.m. in the Spencer Administration Building. The following members were present: Todd Dooley, Todd Duke, Brad Lambright, Andy Wandersee, and Renee Westover. The public observed the meeting via in-person. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Renee Westover to approve the consent items as presented. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Mr. Osting presented students who excelled in winter sports for celebrations. Mr. Day also introduced members of the wrestling team.

Todd Duke opened the floor to community comments.

No one present chose to speak.

Todd Duke closed the floor to community comments.

Old Business:

There was no old business.

New Business:

Dr. McCoy, Jill Miller, and Meagan Gillman presented an update on Special Education numbers and a recommendation for special education positions for consideration. They said special education enrollment is increasing with 257 students in 2020, 268 students in 2021, and 291 students in 2022. As of March 1, 2023, approximately 16 percent of the student body receives special education services. The JH and HS are expected to gain 20 special education students in the next two years. Due to this increase and a retirement at the junior high, they are recommending that the half-day resource room teacher be increased to a full-time resource room teacher for the JH and HS. They are also recommending an additional teaching assistant be added to support SPED services at the junior high and high school. Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Todd Dooley to approve the half-time teacher to a full-time teacher and the addition of a teaching assistant at JH and HS. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Mr. Stevenson presented the 2023 summer school estimates for consideration. He said this the same as last year except the JH will no longer offer any summer band classes, CAE is requesting two teachers instead of one for IREAD-3, and the high school is hoping to offer two sessions of Algebra 1. Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Renee Westover to approve the 2023 summer school



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estimates. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Dr. McCoy presented a temporary contract for long-term substitutes for consideration. This is for long-term substitute teachers who have a teacher's license. Motion by Renee Westover, second by Andy Wandersee to approve the temporary contract for long-term substitutes. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Andy Wandersee left the meeting.

Dr. McCoy presented an additional fundraiser for consideration. He said this is for the BPA to host a 5k run/walk to raise funds for the National Leadership Conference in Anaheim, California. Motion by Renee Westover, second by Brad Lambright to approve the additional fundraiser. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 4-0. Documentation follows.

Andy Wandersee returned to the meeting.

Mr. Stevenson presented an update on support services. He said Kerlin has received the two new buses from Thomas and they are getting them ready at their shop. One is a 72-passenger bus and one is a 48-passenger bus, which will be a new special education bus. No action required.

Dr. McCoy presented an update on the building projects. He said Thor is still trying to find someone familiar with the trophy case installation to complete it. They will be putting in the smoke detectors over Spring Break. The final grading on the west side of CAE will be completed when it is dry. The tire swings will also be installed once the ground dries up. He said they are meeting with the door hardware manufacturer on Friday. The metal panels are about halfway complete. The foundation for the transportation center is 85 percent complete. The building is still set to be delivered on March 15. No action required.

Additional Items:

Todd Duke congratulated deputy treasurer Jennifer Robertson, who earned her certification designation as Assistant Chief Business Officer from IASBO.

Todd Duke presented an additional employment report. Motion by Renee Westover, second by Brad Lambright to accept the additional employment report. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Todd Duke presented an additional professional development request. Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Renee Westover to accept the additional professional development request. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.



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Todd Duke presented an appeal that was sent to the School Board for consideration. Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Todd Dooley to uphold the rulings found by the school corporation. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Documentation follows.

Dr. McCoy said the 2024-25 calendar has been released by Fayette County Schools, so he has begun discussions with CEA. He also said they are discussing parent-teacher conferences.

Motion by Andy Wandersee, second by Brad Lambright to adjourn the meeting. Todd Duke adjourned the meeting at 7:36 p.m. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

Todd Duke, President

Renee Westover, Secretary



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