

The Gallia County Local Board of Education held a regular meeting August 4, 2021 at 4:00 P.M. with the following members answering roll call: Jeff Halley, Terry Halley, Beth James, Brent Schultz, and Brandon Twyman.

### **1-2021 AGENDA**

Motion by B. James, second by J. Halley to approve the agenda for the August 4, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.

All members voted yes.

#### **Superintendent's Report**

- 1.) Supt. Kuhn detailed the paving projects taking place throughout the District. Complimented Mr. Todd Boothe on the work.
- 2.) Supt. Kuhn discussed what he had found out about adding a "Fishing Club" to extracurriculars.
- 3.) Supt. Kuhn wanted the Community to know the District is exploring additions to eliminate overcrowding at the Vinton and Addaville Elementaries.
- 4.) Supt. Kuhn reminded everyone of the New Staff Orientation scheduled for August 20, as well as, In-Service for the new school year beginning on August 23. Classes begin on August 25 with a staggered start for the kindergarten.
- 5.) Supt. Kuhn gave an update regarding work with GCLEA to fully implement OTES 2.0. It should be ready for Board approval at the regular August meeting.
- 6.) Capital Conference will be held November 7-9, 2021.
- 7.) Online instruction will be provided for grades 6-12 only, without a medical need being documented.
- 8.) Supt. Kuhn gave a detailed presentation regarding the Gallia County LSD's 2021-2022 COVID-19 Plans. This includes when masking up will be required (buses) or if a building exceeds a 7% absence rate due to COVID-19. The full plan is available on the District's website.

*Gallia County Local Support Staff President Bob Bence spoke on behalf of bus drivers and the concerns the drivers have regarding masks on the buses. Feels that the CDC does not have the authority to enforce this Federal Mandate. Asked that the District continue to investigate this.*

### **2-2021 TREASURER CONSENT AGENDA**

Items under the Treasurer Consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted under one motion, unless a Board Member requests an item be removed from the calendar for separate consideration. Motion by B. James, second by B. Schultz to approve the Treasurer's Consent Agenda for the August 4, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.

1. Approve the minutes, as per O.R.C. 3313.26, for the June 10, 2021 Special Board Meeting and the June 28, 2021 Regular Board Meeting as prepared by the Treasurer.

2. Approve the bills, payroll, and financial statements.
3. Approve the estimated June 30, 2021 advances as actual amounts. All amounts were advanced from the General Fund to the following Special Revenue Funds:

Comprehensive Literacy	\$51,124.43
Early Childhood	\$30,520.03
ESSER I	\$126,318.42
ESSER II	\$769,206.32
Expanding Opportunities	\$22,510.04
IDEA Part B	\$130,841.50
IDEA Preschool	\$599.00
Parent Mentor	\$1,992.43
School Quality Imp.	\$28,099.03
Title I	\$73,093.96
Title IV-A	\$5,311.45
Title V-B	\$1,605.99
Summer School	\$70,000.00
Rural and Small Town	\$365.38
Broadband	\$4,122.70
Improving Teacher Quality	\$29,710

4. Approve Gallia County Local School District's participation in all Federal, State, and Local Grant programs.
5. Approve a transfer in the amount of \$140,000 from the General Fund (001-0000) to the Tech Fund (001-9994).
6. Approve a transfer in the amount of \$250,000 from the General Fund (001-0000) to the Textbook Set-Aside Fund (001-9992).
7. Approve appointing T. Halley as Designate and J. Halley as Alternate for the Ohio School Boards Association Annual Meeting.
8. Authorize the Treasurer to establish the American Rescue Plan ESSER III Special Revenue Fund (507-9023).
9. Authorize the Treasurer to establish the River Valley Class of 2025 (200-9225-201) and the South Gallia Class of 2025 (200-9025-101) Agency Funds.

All members voted yes.

### **3-2021 SUPERINTENDENT CONSENT AGENDA**

Items under the Superintendent Consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted under one motion, unless a Board Member requests an item be removed from the calendar for separate consideration. Motion by B. James, second by B. Schultz to approve the Superintendent's Consent Agenda for the August 4, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.

1. Approve membership in the Family and Children First Council for the 2021-2022 school year at a cost of \$1,000.
2. Approve the declaration of “Impractical to Transport” for a GCLSD student attending the Ohio Valley Christian School.
3. Approve to enter into an agreement with the Gallia County Sheriff’s Office for the provision of School Resource Officers for the 2021-2022 school year.
4. Approve to enter into an agreement with the Holzer Health Systems for O.T. and P.T. services for the 2021-2022 school year. Costs will be \$84.00 per hour for O.T. and \$76.00 per hour for P.T.
5. Approve to enter into a contract agreement with Jeanna Haislop for the 2021-2022 school year for O.T. Assistant services at a rate of \$50.00 per session.
6. Approve a Latchkey Program for each elementary school when the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Program is not in session during the 2021-2022 school year. All costs for this school year will be paid using ESSER funds.
7. Approve the COVID-19 Return to School Plan for the 2021-2022 school year as presented by the Superintendent.

All members voted yes.

#### **4-2021 EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion by B. James, second by B. Schultz to approve to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the possible employment of a public employee and to consider collective bargaining agreements. Time was 4:58 P.M.

All members voted yes.

#### **5-2021 OPEN SESSION**

Motion by B. Schultz, second by B. James to approve to re-enter into open session. Time was 6:17 P.M.

All members voted yes.

#### **6-2021 PERSONNEL CONSENT AGENDA**

Items under the Personnel Consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted under one motion, unless a Board Member requests an item be removed from the calendar for separate consideration. Motion by B. Schultz, second by B. James to approve the Personnel Consent Agenda, with separate consideration of Transportation Supervisor, for the August 4, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.

1. Approve the following resignations:
 

Brittany Beman	Teacher	8/19/21
Amy Corbin	Teacher	8/19/21
Kayleigh Cox	Teacher	7/1/21
Shelby Klaiber	Teacher	8/19/21
Cindi Salyers	Head Cook	8/19/21
Alexa Toth	Teacher	7/30/21
Courtney Viladiu	Teacher	8/19/21
  
2. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks and with the Superintendent's recommendation, approve a two (2) year contract beginning with the 2021-2022 school year for Larry Carter as Principal. Details of the contract will be on file in the Board Office.
  
3. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks and with the Superintendent's recommendation, approve the following individuals with one year GCLEA Teaching contracts beginning with the 2021-2022 school year:
  - Patrick Brown
  - Darian Sizemore
  
4. Approve the following Memorandum of Understanding for Associate Athletic Director Positions:

*This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as "Memorandum") is entered into on this 19th day of July, 2021 by and between the Gallia County Local School District Board of Education (hereinafter referred to as "Board"), the Gallia County Local Education Association (hereinafter referred to as "Association"), Michelle Alderman (hereinafter referred to as "Mrs. Alderman"), Carey Roberts (hereinafter referred to as "Mrs. Roberts") and Karen Waugh (hereinafter referred to as "Mrs. Waugh". The Board of Education, the Association, Mrs. Alderman, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Waugh shall be hereinafter collectively referred to as "Parties".*

*WHEREAS, effective July 1, 2018, the Parties agreed to remove all Associate Athletic Director positions from the list of supplemental positions set forth in Article 24, Section H of the collective bargaining agreement between the Board and the Association (hereinafter referred to as "Agreement"); and*

*WHEREAS, despite such removal, the Parties desire to reestablish the River Valley High School Associate Athletic Director position and the South Gallia Middle School/High School Associate Athletic Director position as a supplemental position for the 2021-2022 school year in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, for mutually acceptable consideration, the Parties hereby agree as follows:*

1. For the 2021-2022 school year only, the River Valley High School Associate Athletic Director position and the South Gallia Middle School/High School Associate Athletic Director position shall be deemed Category 2 supplemental positions pursuant to Article 24, Section H of the previous Negotiated Agreement. Said supplemental positions shall be automatically abolished at the end of the 2021-2022 school year without any Board action or notice to the Parties, and the Board shall have no obligation to establish, offer, or fill any Associate Athletic Director position as a supplemental position in the future.

2. The Board shall employ Mrs. Alderman under a supplemental contract to serve as the Associate Athletic Director of the River Valley High School for the 2021-2022 school and pay him 100% of the Category 2 supplemental salary specified in Article 24, Section H of the previous Negotiated Agreement. Said supplemental contract shall automatically non-renew and terminate at the end of the 2021-2022 school year without any Board action or notice to Mrs. Alderman, and Mrs. Alderman shall have no right to continue in said supplemental position beyond the 2021-2022 school year.

3. The Board shall employ Mrs. Roberts (1/2 salary) and Mrs. Waugh (1/2 salary) under supplemental contracts to serve as the Associate Athletic Directors of the South Gallia Middle School/High School for the 2021-2022 school and pay them one hundred percent (100%) of the Category 2 supplemental salary specified in Article 24, Section H of the previous Negotiated Agreement. Said supplemental contracts shall automatically non-renew and terminate at the end of the 2021-2022 school year without any Board action or notice to Mrs. Roberts or Mrs. Waugh and they shall have no right to continue in said supplemental positions beyond the 2021-2022 school year.

4. The Parties expressly and knowingly acknowledge and agree that this Memorandum shall not create any past practice with respect to any matter, including but not limited to an obligation for the Board to establish, offer, or fill any Associate Athletic Director position, or any other position containing similar job duties, as a supplemental position in the future.

5. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the employment of John Reed as Band Director for the 2021-2022 school year.

6. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following supplemental positions for the 2021-2022 school year at the River Valley Middle School:

Jerry Brammer	Asst. JH Football (Split Salary)
Camron Hess	Volunteer Asst. JH Football
Chris Hill	H.C. 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade JH Football
Janet McGuire	H.C. 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball
Beth Mota	H.C. 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball
Melissa Santos	JH Cheerleading Coach (Fall)
Darin Smith	H.C. JH Cross Country (Split Salary)
Jeff Ward	JH Cross Country (Split Salary)

7. Pending receipt of proper certifications and background checks, approve the following supplemental positions for the 2021-2022 school year at the South Gallia High School:
 

Carson Conley	Asst. Varsity Football
Michael Moore	National History Day
Chrissy Sanders	Volunteer Cross Country
  
8. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following supplemental positions for the 2021-2022 school year at the South Gallia Middle School:
 

Matt Bess	National History Day
Dafney Davis	H.C. JH Cross Country (Split Salary)
Chrissy Sanders	H.C. JH Cross Country (Split Salary)
Chris McComas	Volunteer Asst. MS Football
Jacob Sanders	Volunteer Asst. MS Football
  
9. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve a one year supplemental contract for Larry Carter as Tech Coordinator for Southwestern Elementary.
  
10. Approve the following Split Salary supplemental contracts for BLT Co-Chairs for the 2021-2022 school year at Vinton Elementary:
 

Eileen Brown	Ashley Davies
Shannon Short	Christi Cpurlin
  
11. Approve a supplemental contract for Kelli Davis as District LPDC Chairperson for the 2021-2022 school year.
  
12. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute teachers for the 2021-2022 school year:
 

Carson Conley	Aaron Ferguson
John Milhoan	Kathy Nino
Shelly Sizemore	Toni Wright
  
13. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute bus drivers for the 2021-2022 school year:
 

Kenny Osborne	Brenda Sanders
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14. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute aides for the 2021-2022 school year:
 

Kendra Cox	Savannah Farley
Andrea Green	Hollie Haner
  
15. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute cooks for the 2021-2022 school year:
 

Kendra Cox	Debra Elkins
Savannah Farley	Andrea Green
Hollie Haner	Cindi Salyers

16. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute custodians for the 2021-2022 school year:

Robert Goucher            Andrea Green  
Hollie Haner                Josh Henry  
Jeremy Lee

17. Pending receipt of proper certification and background checks, approve the following as substitute secretaries for the 2021-2022 school year:

Kendra Cox                 Savannah Farley  
Hollie Haner

All members voted yes.

**7-2021 DIED FOR LACK OF A MOTION**

**8-2021 ADJOURN**

Motion by B. James, second by B. Schultz to adjourn. The time was 6:20 PM

All members voted yes.

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President

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Treasurer