
WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Lewisberry, PA

October 13, 2022

The West Shore School Board met in regular session at 6:37 p.m. with President Guistwhite presiding.

The following members were present: Crocenzi, C. Kambic, F. Kambic, Kapranos, Moyer, Stoltenburg, Thomas, and Tierney.

Administrators present: Stoltz, Whye, Argot, Boone, Sanders, Fourhman, Harrison, and Ryan.
Solicitor: Say.

Communications

Dr. Stoltz indicated we are seeing a small number of COVID cases. No changes are being recommended to the plan.

Recognition by the Board

Mrs. Tierney highlighted Wednesday's Facility Committee meeting and featured the West Shore Foundation Gala as well as the Foundation's support for the upcoming visit by Floyd Stokes, part of the District's One District, One Book initiative.

Dr. Stoltz previewed the development of a Curriculum Committee.

Mr. F. Kambic informed the Board of the evening's Finance Committee and gave Shout Outs to the Cedar Cliff Class of 1966 as well as Red Land High School Senior Noah Weaver, golf team manager.

Mr. Guistwhite added his appreciation for the work done by the Class of 1966 for their efforts to design and donate a new Cedar Grove at Cedar Cliff High School.

Mr. F. Kambic shared notes from the recent District Advisory Committee.

Dr. Stoltz gave a Shout Out to all of the staff in all of the departments who have recently had special "National" days or "National" weeks.

Opportunity for Students to Speak on Business Items

No students addressed the Board.

Recognition of Public – Business Items

No Community members addressed the Board.

Personnel	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. C. Kambic and seconded by Mr. Stoltenburg that the Board of School Directors approves Item 5.a.1. Reinstatement(s) – Professional; Item 5.a.2. Retirement(s) - Support; Item 5.a.3. Resignation(s) – Professional; Item 5.a.4. Resignation(s) – Support; Item 5.a.5. Resignation(s) – Extra Duty; Item 5.a.6. Request(s) for Family and Medical Leave - Professional; Item 5.a.7. Alteration(s) to Employment Status – Administrator; Item 5.a.8. Alteration(s) to Employment Status - Professional; Item 5.a.9. Alteration(s) to Employment Status - Support; Item 5.a.10. Appointment(s) - Professional; Item 5.a.10A. Appointment(s) – Administrator; Item 5.a.11. Appointment(s) - Support; Item 5.a.12. Appointment(s) - Extra Duty; Item 5.a.13. Approval - Supplemental Time; Item 5.a.14. Approval - Methodist Home 2022-2023 After-School Tutors; Item 5.a.15. Approval – Bus Drivers; Item 5.a.16. Memorandum(s) of Understanding-Professional; Item 5.a.17. Request(s) for Preapproval of Graduate Credits; Item 5.a.18. Approval - Substitute Lists. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
West Shore School District Exoneration of Real Estate Taxes	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Moyer and seconded by Mrs. Crocenzi that the Board of School Directors grants exoneration of school taxes for a total tax at face of \$2,101.06. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Principle Valuation & Advisory Group Services	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. F. Kambic and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the attached contract with Principle Valuation & Advisory Group to provide valuation services for the property located at 1081 Limekiln Rd, New Cumberland. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
TBX Employee Benefits Enrollment Services	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Crocenzi and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the contract with TBX Employee Benefits, LLC to provide enrollment services for the district’s staff. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Disbanding the St. Beale Memorial Scholarship Fund	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. F. Kambic and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the closure of the St. Beale Memorial Scholarship Fund and donate the proceeds to the West Shore Foundation. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Rossmoyne Elementary Stormwater Facilities	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mrs. Crocenzi that the Board of School Directors approves the attached Standard Stormwater Facilities and Best Management Practices (BMP) Maintenance and Monitoring Agreement. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

Appointment of Director of Human Resources and Employment Agreement	Motion: It was moved by Mr. F. Kambic and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the attached appointment and Employment Agreement for Mrs. Evangeline L. Unti, Director of Human Resources. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Information Items	Dr. Stoltz previewed the October 20 Board agenda. Mrs. Boone previewed the 2023-2024 General Fund Budget Timeline and provided the monthly financial updates.
Opportunity for Students to Speak – General Items	No students addressed the Board.
Recognition of the Public– General Items	Denise Dugan, New Cumberland, expressed concerns about maladministration of the District and provided multiple copies of a petition. Danielle Gross, Etters, provided general support for inclusivity. Lori James, Mechanicsburg, expressed concerns for a lack of oversight on instructional materials. Allison Shipp, Camp Hill, expressed concerns about how LGBT issues are promoted within. Kirsten Cohick, Lewisberry, expressed concerns about banning books and highlighted her students’ positive experiences in the district. These comments were shared with the Board in advance. Harry Derrick, Etters, expressed concerns about teachers and students being used as political pawns. These comments were shared with the Board in advance. Hal and Kathy DeWittie, Lewisberry, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance. Jennifer Graf, Camp Hill, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance. Deb Lettich, Lewisberry, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance. Sue Morrow, Etters, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Deanna Rayner, Camp Hill, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Angela Smith, New Cumberland, expressed her support for protecting children's and teen's rights to read. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Sue Smith, New Cumberland, supporting Board members in their volunteer efforts to discuss, research, and reflect on decisions that come before the Board. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Kristi Spangler, Mechanicsburg, expressed concerns about inconsistencies in honoring religious exemptions. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Ann Stewart, New Cumberland, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

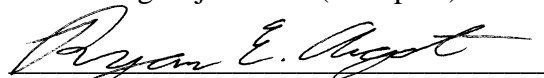
James and Martha Uber, York Haven, supporting the Board in its stand against a ban on books in the school system. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Joy Verner, Camp Hill, expressed concerns about banning books. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Laura Whitaker, New Cumberland, expressed concerns that there may be an attempt to get the Board to censor certain instructional materials. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Adjournment

There being no further business, President Guistwhite declared the meeting adjourned. (8:30 p.m.)



Dr. Ryan E. Argot, Secretary