
WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Lewisberry, PA

October 20, 2022

The West Shore School Board met in regular session at 6:50 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, Bruhn, Fourhman, Gensler, Harrison, McGowan, Ryan, and Vogelsong. Solicitor: Say.

Opening Ceremonies

The opening ceremonies were led by Cedar Cliff High School's JROTC Color Guard comprised of Seniors Hyon Kim, Ben Kruleski, Alex Wells with Junior Ellen Firth. Cedar Cliff High School's Octet, comprised of Seniors Olivia Coffey, Blythe Green, and Mattea Kollas with Juniors David Kulp and Tristan Metherell as well as Sophomores Portia Green, Ana Sobieray, and Andrew Wickenheiser sang the National Anthem.

Minutes

Motion: It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mr. C. Kambic that the minutes of the meetings held September 8, 2022, September 12, 2022 and September 15, 2022, be approved. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

Treasurer's Report

Motion: It was moved by Mrs. Crocenzi and seconded by Mr. F. Kambic that the Treasurer's Report for the month ending September 30, 2022, showing invested and available funds of \$77,343,917.23, be filed subject to audit. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

Communications

Dr. Stoltz indicated the latest legal update from the solicitor's office was available for Board members and provided an update on the Health and Safety Plan.

Mrs. Tierney announced the West Shore Foundation silent auction is open for bids.

Mr. F. Kambic previewed the Finance Committee report found in the Information Items.

Mrs. Crocenzi provided an update from the York Adams Academy and highlights from building visits to Newberry and Rossmoyne Elementary Schools.

Mr. Guistwhite announced the groundbreaking at Fairview and Old Trail Intermediate Schools. He also featured Administrator Appreciation Month.

		<p>Mr. C. Kambic thanked Lower Allen Township for their recent safety presentation and all first responders for their efforts to keep the community safe.</p> <p>Dr. Stoltz gave a Shout Out to Newberry Elementary School’s Parent Teacher Organization’s support for Unity Day, highlighted Mr. Chad Weaver’s participation in Safety Day, and featured opportunities for career exploration.</p>
Recognition by the Board		<p>Cedar Cliff High School Senior Evan White shared some of his school experiences with the Board.</p> <p>Red Land High School Senior Jesse Strine shared some of his school experiences with the Board.</p> <p>The Board recognized Justin Weaver, Cedar Cliff High School Science Teacher, for winning the Donald Keys Excellence in Science Teaching Award for the Pennsylvania Science Teachers Association.</p>
Opportunity for Students to Speak on Business Items		No students addressed the Board.
Recognition of Public – Business Items		Danielle Gross, Etters, expressed thanks for the District’s forward looking approach to cybersecurity.
Bills for Approval	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. F. Kambic and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the bills for approval, as attached to these minutes. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Personnel	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. C. Kambic and seconded by Mr. Stoltenburg that the Board of School Directors approves Item 7.b.1. Resignation(s) – Support; Item 7.b.1A. Resignation(s) – Professional; Item 7.b.2. Resignation(s) – Extra Duty; Item 7.b.2A. Request(s) for Extended Absence - Support; Item 7.b.2B. Alteration(s) to Employment Status – Professional; Item 7.b.2C. Alteration(s) to Employment Status – Support; Item 7.b.3. Appointment(s) - Support; Item 7.b.3A. Appointment(s) - Extra Duty; Item 7.b.3B. Appointment(s) - Professional; Item 7.b.4. Recognition - Professional Employee Status; Item 7.b.5. Approval - Supplemental Time; Item 7.b.6. Non-Bargaining Unit Vacation Leave Adjustment; Item 7.b.7. Memorandum(s) of Understanding-Professional; Item 7.b.8. Approval –Bus Drivers. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Budgetary Transfers	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. F. Kambic and seconded by Mr. C. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves budgetary transfers as presented. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

Approval of High Hotels, LTD Tax Assessment Appeal Settlement		It was moved by Mrs. Moyer and seconded by Mr. F. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves the High Hotels, LTD Tax Assessment Appeal Settlement as presented and authorizes the District administration and solicitor to take all steps necessary to effectuate this settlement and to resolve this pending tax assessment appeal case. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Revised Board Policy 218.4 Terroristic Threats	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. Stoltenburg and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves revisions to Board Policy 218.4 Terroristic Threats;
Revised Board Policy 606: Tax Collection		approves revisions and renumbering of Board Policy 606: Tax Collection; and authorizes submittal to PSBA to be placed in Board Policy Manual format. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Staff Attendance at Professional Meetings	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Moyer and seconded by Mr. F. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves the requests for staff attendance at professional meetings as presented. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Fairview Intermediate – ASA #5	Motion:	It was moved by Mr. Stoltenburg and seconded by Mrs. Tierney that the Board of School Directors approves the attached Additional Services Authorization with K & W. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Proposals to Provide Construction Materials Testing and Inspection Services	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mr. C. Kambic that the Board of School Directors accepts the proposal from Hillis-Carnes Engineering Associates for services at Fairview Intermediate and the proposal from Kleinfelder, Inc. for services at Old Trail Intermediate as attached and directs the Administration to approve and execute contracts using the Standard Short Form Agreement Between Owner and Architect pending final review by the solicitor. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
ACE - Roof Repairs	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mr. Stoltenburg that the Board of School Directors approves the attached quotation and scope of work from Houck Services, Inc. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Agreement for West Shore Connect	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Moyer and seconded by Mr. C. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves the attached Agreement with the Carlisle Area School District for enrollment of one student at West Shore Connect. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.
Agreement of Lease - 486 Lewisberry Road	Motion:	It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mr. F. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves the attached Agreement of Lease for 486 Lewisberry Road, New

Cumberland, Pennsylvania 17070. Motion carried on a roll call vote 8-1, with Mrs. Moyer voting in the negative.

Contract for Services – School Based Therapy (Folium) Motion: It was moved by Mrs. Tierney and seconded by Mr. F. Kambic that the Board of School Directors approves the 2022-2023 agreement for school-based therapies to be provided by Folium, Inc., d/b/a Laurel Life Services as attached. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

CAIU Letter of Commitment – Cybersecurity Solution Motion: It was moved by Mrs. Moyer and seconded by Mr. Stoltenburg that the Board of School Directors approves the attached Cybersecurity Letter of Commitment from the CAIU for the 2022-2023 school year through the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried on a roll call vote 9-0.

Information Items Dr. Stoltz and Mr. Bruhn, Cumberland Perry Area Vocational Technical School Administrative Director, previewed planning ideas for a potential expansion of the Career and Technical Center.

The Facilities Committee Report was shared with the Board.

The Finance Committee Report was shared with the Board.

Opportunity for Students to Speak No students addressed the Board.

Recognition of Public Joei Askey, Lewisberry, thanked teachers and staff for supporting marginalized communities such as LGBTQIA+.

Yvonne Brown, Mechanicsburg, shared her thanks for the district's efforts in supporting LGBTQIA+ students.

Jay Hess, Etters, expressed concerns about pushback against LGBTQ+ and highlighted the importance of supporting student mental health.

Lori James, Mechanicsburg, expressed concern about the nature of some in school displays that create the potential of student harm.

Heather Keller, New Cumberland, expressed support for informational bulletin boards and concerns about comments considered homophobic.

Blair Lawrence, New Cumberland, expressed support for LGBTQIA+ students and informational bulletin boards.

MaryBeth Quinn, Camp Hill, complimented the teachers and educational program at Highland Elementary School.

Tyler Shott, New Cumberland, expressed concern about bullying and encouraged the District to avoid bringing sexuality in to schools.

Kristi Spangler, Mechanicsburg, expressed concerns about what is being shown on an informational bulletin board in schools.

Alison Shipp, Camp Hill, advocated for “equality for all” and the need for parental involvement while expressing concerns about displays in public schools.

Danielle Gross, Etters, thanked staff members for helping make everyone feel like they belong.

Margie Adelman, Camp Hill, expressed support for age appropriate inclusive materials and trusting teachers to do their jobs in schools. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Dan Almoney, Etters, expressed pride in the district’s efforts to support unity. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Kristi Alwine, Mechanicsburg, does not want books banned, expressed concern about the district advertising programs that promote changes to one’s body and expressed concern about a specific staff member. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Brandi Brandel, Camp Hill, expressed concerns about the lack of spelling instruction, the potential of a COVID vaccine mandate, the posting of posters from outside agencies, and bullying caused by differences in opinions. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Nikki Byer, Etters, expressed support for making schools friendly and safe for all students and support for the art of teaching. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Jackie Cullen, Camp Hill, expressed support for encouraging inclusion within the schools and concerns about efforts to encourage censorship. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Pamela Cullen, New Cumberland, expressed support for creating inclusive spaces within the schools and concerns about some of the comments made at last week’s board meeting. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Deb Gray, Camp Hill, expressed support for the protection of free expression and the right for LGBTQ+ and BIPOC to see themselves represented in school libraries. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Jennifer King, New Cumberland, expressed support for maintaining an inclusive school environment with evidenced based practices. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Donna Laudenslager, Etters, expressed support for diverse, inclusive West Shore School. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Claire Maulhardt, New Cumberland, expressed support for schools being inclusive spaces with expanding diversity of thought and equity for all. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Bitsy McCann, Camp Hill, highlighted this week's visit to Cumberland Perry Area Career and Technical Center and encouraged the district to continue supporting minorities as loudly as we support the majority. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Aileen Minium, New Cumberland, expressed concerns for the graphic content of fliers found hanging in schools, the use of tax dollars to promote these materials, and the loss of common sense in decision making. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Sue Morrow, Etters, expressed her desire to be an advocate of all students and her disdain for using students as political pawns. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Kim Patterson, Etters, expressed support for inclusion and trusting teachers to do their jobs. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Lorrie Quick, Goldsboro, expressed concerns about vaccine mandates and the potential effects of what is in some vaccines. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

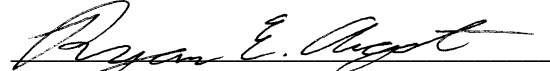
Jill Titus, Etters, expressed concerns with the proposal to have the School Board approve every lesson used in school. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Birgit Wolaver, Etters, expressed concerns that the "Arts of PA" program is being integrated into the regular education program. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Kate Wolfe, Lemoyne, expressed support for age appropriate inclusive materials and believes we should trust teachers to do their jobs. These comments were shared with the Board in advance.

Adjournment

There being no further business, President Guistwhite declared the meeting adjourned. (8:49 p.m.)


Dr. Ryan E. Argot, Secretary