

Monroe County Board of Education

Regular Meeting

April 17, 2018

Monroe County Board of Education Office

I. Roll Call

- a. Mr. Lively called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
- b. All members were present with the exception of Charles Sams.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III Approval of Agenda/Adjustments

- a. Mr. Lively announced that Item C under Personnel should be voted separately, number 12 on the Substitute Cook list should be removed, and number four should be removed from the Substitute LPN list. Mrs. Sabol asked that number two on the Substitute Secretary list be voted separately and that Molly Wickline on the RIF list be voted separately. Item V, Recognitions, should be removed until the following meeting. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve with the adjustments. The vote to approve was unanimous.

IV. Public Comments

- a. None.

V. Recognitions—Removed from Agenda

VI. Superintendent's Report

- a. Mrs. Basile shared a Spring Calendar of Events and Ceremonies with board members.
- b. Mrs. Basile talked about Math Pathways for JMHS and whether to stay with the integrated math pathway (Math I, Math II, Math III, and Math IV) or go back to the traditional pathway (Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II, Trigonometry). Information was shared from WVDE regarding ACT and summative assessment scores for both math pathways. WV students in the integrated pathway scored an average 20.9 on the ACT and those on the traditional pathway scored an average 18.7. Students on the integrated pathway are outscoring those on the traditional pathway, according to WVDE data.
- c. Mrs. Basile shared results of the Smart Asset Data study. A study of WV counties was

completed to look at which property tax payers get the most “bang” for their bucks. Monroe County is ranked 9th highest in the state. The ratings are based on property tax rates paid, crime rates, and school rankings. Monroe County has a tax rate of 0.43%; the crime rate per 100,000 people is high and places us forty-fifth in the state, and the school system is ranked as eleventh in the state. The county overall index value is 91.67, ranking the entire county 9th. The data shows the county is ranking in the top area of the state, which is impressive for a small, rural county.

VII. Treasurer’s Report

- a. Mr. Berry shared information showing year to date revenues and expenses. Mr. Lively inquired about the standing for the year. Mr. Berry stated the county is a little ahead of this time last year and is showing a positive trend. Mrs. Fisher made the motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report and the vote to approve was unanimous. Mr. Berry also shared a copy of the Audit Report.

VIII. Consent Items

- a. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve the Consent Items as written. The vote to approve was unanimous.
- b. Consent Items included Minutes from April 10, 2018, Payment of Bills; and Transfers and Supplements.

IX. Old Business

- a. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to reconvene the Proposed Levy Rates Meeting at 6:11 p.m. The vote to approve was unanimous.
- b. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the proposed levy rates. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve the Levy Rates and the vote to approve was unanimous.
- c. Mrs. Fisher made the motion to adjourn the Levy Rates meeting at 6:12 p.m. The vote to approve was unanimous.

X. New Business

- a. Mrs. Basile recommended the moving of the scheduled meeting on May 15, 2018, to Mountain View School. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.
- b. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of Out of State Travel for the third grade at MVS. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.
- c. Mrs. Mustain presented the proposed calendar for fiscal year 2019. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.
- d. Mrs. Nelson presented information for the new math textbook adoptions for 2018-2019. The elementary teachers recommended Houghton Mifflin Harcourt math textbooks, Go Math, at a

total cost of \$97,300.90 to be funded through the excess levy. The middle school teachers recommended Pearson enVisionmath2.0 textbooks at a total cost of \$38,472.10, to be funded through the excess levy. The high school teachers recommended Cengage Learning Big Ideas Math, at a total cost of \$39,912.75, to be funded through the levy. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.

e. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Student Absence Request for the Robotics Team. Mrs. Fisher made the motion to approve. The vote to approve was Fisher, yes; McFall, yes; Lively, yes; Sabol, abstain.

f. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Student Absence Request for the Livestock Judging Team. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.

g. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Out of State Travel Request for the Kindergarten classes at MVS. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.

h. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Excused Early Release from April 13, 2018, for Fraley, Fraley, and Hunter. Mrs. Fisher made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was unanimous.

XI. Personnel Items

a. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Personnel List, including the RIF and Transfer List, with the exceptions noted above. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve, and the vote to approve was unanimous.

b. Personnel Items included Hires of Kamali Connell as Science Teacher for PMS, effective with the 2018-2019 school year; and Nicole R. Williams, Emily K. Atkins and Lorrie L. Lyons as Substitute LPN's. Samantha D. Walker was removed as a Substitute Cook. James Taylor was granted a Medical Leave of Absence from May 15, 2018, through June 30, 2018.

c. Professionals approved for Reduction in Force were Lindsay Miller and Kamali Connell. Professionals approved for Transfer were Crystal Pitzer, Judy Ann Meadows, Danielle Clarkson, Autumn Dunbar and Corey Miller.

d. Service Personnel approved for Reduction in Force were Gerry Phillips, Teresa Fisher, and Mary Ann Beasley. One Service Personnel approved for Transfer was Jackie Burwell.

e. Professional Rehires for 2018-2019 are Autumn Dunbar, Britney M. Greer, Janet Jennings, Katherine Mann, Amanda Phillips, Lee Triplett, Lori Feamster, Travis Allen, Christopher Blume, Mitchell Boone, Danielle Clarkson, Nellie Cottle, Christina Allen, Hannah Deskins Boone, Jessica Bostic, Kamali Connell, Karsyn Dusold, Courtney Elmore, Seth Elmore, William Shawn Hill, Cynthia Sue Lee, Kenneth R. Lester, Megan McGhee, Stephanie Morris, Benjamin Neal, Robin Pack, Jared Sams, Rebecca Wikle, Ashley Williams, Denise Ward, and Erin Sowers.

c. Service Personnel Rehires for 2018-2019 are Sarah Blankenship, Harold Dean Boggs, David J. Taylor, Carl D. Dunbar, Benjamin E. Belcher, Joseph W. Hoke, Jamie Amos, Connie Dunbar, Victoria Dunn, Kimberly Cody, Caren B. Steele, Christina Walker, Kathy Sizemore, and Donna Boothe.

d. Substitute Professional Rehires for 2018-2019 are Theresa Ballengee, Donna Boothe, Stacey Bostic, Angela D. Bowden, Kayla Bradley, Rodney Browning, Iwona Broyles, Brian Carter, Jeanne Connolly, Kim Cook, Mary Cecilia Conte, Becky Crabtree, Rebecca Dillon, Kimberly Fraley, Christopher Gill, Beth Greenlee, Janet Haag, Liesolette Heil, Jim Higginbotham, Scott Ingleton, Gabriella Jackson, Pam Jackson, Travis Jackson, Lisa Jennings, Jessica Johnson, Angela Ladner, William Todd Longanacre, Don Lowe, James A. Lucas, Kenny Mann, Harry Moloney, Carl Mouser, Larry J. Mustain, Rhonda Nicewonder, Karuna Pala, Connie Parker, Sarah Patton, Joyce Pritt, Crystal Ramsey, Kendra Ratliff, Roberta Reed, John Sauvage, Suzanne Shelton, Debbie St. Clair, Irene Stover, April Street, Jennifer Swetnam, Lucy Taylor, Connie Sue Thomas, Hazel Toler, Bill Tuggle, James Heath Utterback, Jeannette Vickers, Roberta Wallace, Barbara Walters, Jeffrey White, Gregory Whitlow, Martha Wilson, Barbara Wyrick, Karen Zutaut, and Thessa Jackson.

e. Rehired as Substitute Aides are Patricia Beasley, Carol Dolin, Delores Dempsey, Elizabeth Mann, Leslie Young, Teresa Vermeal, Vanedra Mustain, Edna Weikle, Irene Stover, April Broyles, Samantha Bostic, Crystal Gammon, Ann Soukup, Donna Sanderson, Samantha McDonald, Donna Jones, Debbie Hawkins, Heather Hubbard, Patricia Kirby, Victoria Dunn, and Marieta Woods.

f. Rehired as Substitute Bus Operators are Patricia A. Allen, Shannon Bostic, Michael Biggs, Dakota Belcher, Justin Taylor, Samuel Bostic, T. Randall Mills, and Teresa Vickie King.

g. Rehired as Substitute Mechanics are Bobby R. Dunbar and Eddie D. Allen.

h. Rehired as Substitute Clerks are Patricia Beasley and Angela Ladner.

i. Rehired as Substitute Cooks are Vanessa Booth Atwell, Pam Fox, Leslie Young, Victoria Dunn, Heather Hubbard, Samantha Bostic, Mary Ann Beasley, Donna Sanderson, Teresa Fisher, Melinda Stover, Patricia Kirby, Gerry Phillips, Patricia Burgess, Lois Gail Pack, and Shelva J. Wills.

j. Rehired as Substitute Custodians are Rick Morrow, Edna Weikle, Steven Tiller, Donna Jones, April Broyles, Patricia Kirby, and Debra J. Harman.

k. Rehired as Substitute LPN's are Amber N. Cozort, Jessica A. Boothe, and Vicki R. Dent.

l. Rehired as Substitute Secretaries are Kimberly Cook, Heather Chandler, Deanna Bradley, Kendra Ratliff, Mary Ann Hinkle, and Shirley Huffman.

m. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the Resignation for Leslie D. Ferguson as Cheer Coach for PMS. Mrs. Sabol made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was Sabol, yes;

McFall, yes; Fisher, yes; Lively, abstain.

n. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the rehire of Ella Wickline as a Substitute Secretary. Mrs. Fisher made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was Fisher, yes; McFall, yes; Lively, yes; and Sabol, abstain.

o. Mrs. Basile recommended approval of the RIF of Molly Wickline. Mrs. McFall made the motion to approve and the vote to approve was McFall, yes; Fisher, yes; Lively, yes; and Sabol, abstain.

XII. Discussion Items

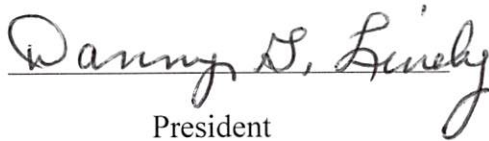
- a. None

XIII. Public Comments

- a. None.

XIV. Adjournment

- a. Mr. Lively adjourned the meeting at 6:49 p.m.



President



Secretary