

Conemaugh Valley School District
Board of School Directors
Committee and Regular Meeting
October 8, 2020

Committee Meeting

The regular monthly Committee Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, October 8, 2020, in the Art Room of the Conemaugh Valley Elementary School and on Zoom. The meeting was called to order by President, Todd Roberts at 6:31 P.M. A moment of silence was observed. A flag salute was led by Rebecca Castiglione. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, Attorney John Kuzmiak, Eric Miller, and Jeffrey Miller.

Speakers

1. Paula McCleester – CV Athletic Director – Spoke about the Varsity Football Game with Meyersdale on Saturday, October 10, 2020. (Handout)
2. Jeffrey Miller – CVHS Principal – Spoke about a possible Football Playoff scenario. (Handout)

Executive Session

Motion by Mr. Markiewicz, second by Mrs. Richards to enter into Executive Session for Personnel Issues at 7:07 P.M.

All “Ayes”. Motion Carried.

Executive Session End

Motion by Miss Ribblett, second by Mr. Rykala to end Executive Session at 7:43 P.M.

All “Ayes”. Motion Carried.

Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Rykala to adjourn the Committee Meeting at 7:43 P.M.

All “Ayes”. Motion Carried.

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Regular Board
Meeting

The regular monthly Board Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, October 8, 2020, in the Art Room of the Conemaugh Valley Elementary School and on Zoom. The meeting was called to order by President, Todd Roberts at 7:43 P.M. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, Attorney John Kuzmiak, Eric Miller, and Jeffrey Miller.

Communications None

Minutes

Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Stiffler, Jr. to accept and place on file the minutes from the Regular Board Meeting from September 10, 2020.

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr.

Motion Carried.

Minutes

Motion by Miss Ribblett, second by Mrs. Ross to accept and place on file the minutes from the Special Board Meeting from September 23, 2020.

Roll call vote: Eight (8) yes, Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. One (1) Abstention: David Rykala.

Motion Carried.

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Reports

Motion by Mrs. Richards, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to accept and place on file the Payment of Bills Prior to Board approval for September 2020 in the amount of \$716,961.59; Cafeteria Bills for September 2020 \$210,380.10; The Hot Lunch Receipt Ledger for September 2020; the Treasurer's Report for September 2020 in the amount of \$4,405,206.59; the Condensed Expenditure Summary Report for September 2020; the Condensed Revenue Summary Report for September 2020; PLGIT Investment Holdings Account for September 2020; Athletic Account Reconciliation for September 2020-No Activity.

Roll call vote: Eight (8) yes, Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. One (1) Abstention: David Rykala.

Motion Carried.

Hire – Professional
Employee

1. Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Miss Ribblett to approve the hiring of Jennifer Byers as a professional employee, Elementary Teacher, at a salary of \$27,500.00 and benefits as per the collective bargaining agreement. Note: This hire is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork and will begin with the 2020-2021 school year.

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Daniel Markiewicz, Hannah Ribblett, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Stiffler, Jr. to approve the following:

Hire – PT
Support Staff-
Custodian

2. The hiring of Louis Vigna as a Part-Time Custodian at a salary of \$8.25 per hour with benefits as per the collective bargaining agreement. This hire is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

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Extra-Curricular Hire-
High School
Breakfast Monitor

3. The hiring of Samantha Brown as High School Breakfast Monitor at a salary of \$335.00. This hire will begin with the 2020-2021 school year and continue through the 2021-2022 school year with a 3% increase in salary each year.

Resignation –
Professional
Employee

4. The resignation of Amy Peruso-Lytle as Elementary Learning Support Teacher effective October 9, 2020, with permission to post the position.

(Attachment A)

New Vehicle
Purchase

5. The purchase of a 2020 Ford F-350 truck with plow for the maintenance department as quoted by Suppes Ford at a cost of \$38,491.00.

(Attachment B)

Student Activity
Account Report

6. The Student Activity Account Report for September 2020.

(Handout)

Volunteer
Coach

7. Cassidie Shultz as a volunteer coach for the Jr. High Cheerleading Team for the 2020-2021 school year. This approval is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

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Professional
Substitutes
Through Ignite
Education Solutions

8. The attached slate of professional substitutes through Ignite Education Solutions.

(Attachment E)

Student
Placement

9. The educational placement of a CV student at the Greater Johnstown Career and Technology Center for the 2020-2021 school year at a cost of \$10,583.31. Note: This placement is due to the fact that the student attends a specialized program at Westmont Hilltop School District in the morning.

(Attachment F)

Hire – Support
Staff Substitute

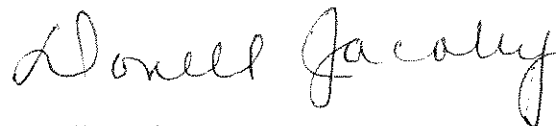
10. The hiring of Rich Cowan as a Support Staff Substitute at a rate of \$8.25 per hour. This hire is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Adjournment

Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Mr. Markiewicz to adjourn the meeting at 7:49 P.M.

All "Ayes". Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,



Donell Jacoby
Board Secretary