Conemaugh Valley School District Board of School Directors Committee and Regular Meeting November 10, 2016

Committee Meeting

The regular monthly Committee Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, November 10, 2016, in the Art/Music room of the Conemaugh Valley Elementary School. The meeting was called to order by President Todd Roberts at 6:30 P.M. A moment of silence was observed in honor of Thanksgiving. A flag salute was led by Francis Truscello, Sr. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, William Kanich, Attorney John Kuzmiak, Esq., David Lehman, and Eric Miller.

Speakers

1. A visual presentation was given by the Elementary Positive Behavior Support Team members regarding the "Blue Jay" program.

Communications

None

Executive Session

Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mrs. Ross to enter into Executive Session for Personnel Issues at 7:24 P.M.

All "Ayes". Motion Carried.

Executive Session End

Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to end Executive

Session at 8:10 P.M.

All "Ayes". Motion Carried.

Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mr. Vibostok to adjourn the Committee

Meeting at 8:12 P.M.

All "Ayes". Motion Carried.

Regular Board Meeting

The regular monthly Board Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, November 10, 2016, in the Art/Music room of the Conemaugh Valley Elementary School. The meeting was called to order by President Todd Roberts at 8:12 P.M. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, William Kanich, Attorney John Kuzmiak, Esq., David Lehman, and Eric Miller.

Minutes & Reports

Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr., to accept and place on file the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting from October 13, 2016; the Treasurer's Report for October 2016; Payment of Bills Prior to Board approval in the amount of \$440,845.68; Bills for Payment in the amount of \$49,162.52; Cafeteria Bills for Payment in the amount of \$48,936.29; Condensed Expenditure Summary Report for October 2016; Condensed Revenue Summary Report for October 2016.

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mrs. Reese to approve the following:

Policy Review #249.1- Bullying/ Cyberbullying Policy

1. The review of Board Policy #249.1-Bullying/Cyberbullying.

(Attachment A)

Policy Revision #707 – Use of Facilities

2. The addition of the impact statement and annotated impact statement to Board Policy #707-Use of Facilities.

(Attachment B)

FIRST READING WAIVE READING

Policy Revision
#618 – Student
Activity Funds

3. The revisions to Board Policy #618-Student Activity Funds, which includes the addition of an impact statement and annotated impact statement.

(Attachment C)

FIRST READING WAIVE READING

School Calendar Revisions

4. The following dates as early dismissal dates for students:

January 24, 2017 and April 12, 2017

Student dismissal times will be CVHS-11:00 am & CVES-11:45 am. Note: Teachers will remain in session for the contracted day to complete curriculum work.

Act 80 Day Application

5. To allow the Superintendent to apply for two (2) one half (1/2) Act 80 days to occur on the following dates:

January 24, 2017 and April 12, 2017

Note: The Act 80 time will be utilized by teachers to participate in PreK – 12 curriculum alignment work.

Professional Substitutes from Ignite Education Systems

6. The attached substitute teacher list from Ignite Education Services.

(Attachment D)

Support Staff Substitutes

7. The following as Support Staff Substitutes for the district:

Keyla Cramer, Maureen Helsel, & Nicholas Stahl

Refund of Real
Estate Tax
Overpayment

8. A refund of overpaid real estate taxes to Neil and Kimberly McCallay, 136 Lower Echo Road, for taxes paid from 2007 to 2015 in the amount of \$2,544.35.

Note: Cambria County assessed the property in 2007 and did not remove a dwelling that was demolished. The county recently corrected the real estate appraisal.

(Attachment E)

Refund of Real

Estate Transfer Tax 9.

A refund of Real Estate Transfer Tax to the Recorder of Deeds of Cambria County for the transfer of a property at 126 Ogden Street, Mineral Point, in the amount of \$391.51.

Note: Cambria County had the property listed as being in Conemaugh Valley School District but it is actually in the Central Cambria S.D.

(Attachment F)

Student to Swim for CV

10. Rayn Oswalt to swim with the Westmont S.D. swim team using the Conemaugh Valley name as she has for the last three seasons.

Volunteer Swim

Coach

11. Monica Berkey, Rayn Oswalt's mother, as a volunteer swim coach for Rayn.

Proposal from IES for Substitute Support Staff Workers

12. The agreement with Ignite Education Solutions to provide substitute support staff workers to CVSD as presented.

(Attachment G)

Student Activity Account Report

13. The Student Activity Account Report for October, as presented.

(Attachment H)

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

High School Carpeting

14. Motion by Mr. Stiffler, Jr., second by Mr. Rykala to approve the purchase and installation of carpeting in the High School Special Education Office, Guidance Office, Career Center, and Room 101 from Kreative Floors & More, Inc. at a cost not to exceed \$5,300.00.

(Handout)

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

High School Auditorium Curtains

15. Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to approve the purchase and installation of an Auditorium Stage Teaser, Front Curtain, Track, and Supports from Pittsburgh Stage, Inc. at a cost not to exceed \$7, 432.00.

(Handout)

Roll call vote: Nine (9) yes, Donell Jacoby, Peter Knaze, Jennifer Reese, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., Francis Truscello, Sr., and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Adjournment

Motion made by Mr. Vibostok, second by Mrs. Ross to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting at 8:19 P.M.

All "Ayes" Motion Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Donell Jacoby

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Secretary Secretary

DJ/cm