

**BLANCHESTER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING

APRIL 20, 2020

7:30 P.M.

AGENDA

- I. Meeting called to order: Roll Call
 - a. Kyle Wilson – President
 - b. John Panetta – Vice President
 - c. Kathy Gephart
 - d. Jeremy Kaehler
 - e. Mike Williams

- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Adoption of Meeting Agenda
- IV. Approval of March 16, 2020 Regular Meeting Minutes
- V. Business of the Board
 - a. It is recommended that the Board approve the following...
 - i. **RESOLUTION 18-20** To temporarily amend certain board policies (See Attachment)

 - ii. **POLICY UPDATES:** (See Attachment)

 - iii. **RESOLUTION 19-20 CERTIFIED REDUCTION IN FORCE:**

WHEREAS the Superintendent has recommended to this Board that it make a reasonable reduction in the number of teaching employees; and

WHEREAS due to financial reasons cost reductions are needed for the 2020-2021 school year; and

WHEREAS Section 3319.17 of the Ohio Revised Code, and Article 17 of the collective bargaining agreement between the Blanchester Local School District Board of Education and the Blanchester Education Association authorizes the implementation of a reduction in force (RIF) due to financial reasons;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED as follows:

(1) To suspend teaching contracts in the following teaching fields as indicated; to be effective June 30, 2020:

<u>Areas of Certification/Licensure</u>	<u>Member Affected</u>
4-9 MIDDLE CHILDHOOD	1.0 FTE Julia Perry
K-12 INT. SPECIALIST	1.0 FTE Sandra Reedy

(2) To direct the Superintendent to provide written notice of this action to the affected staff member(s) and the BEA President of behalf of this Board.

iv. **RESOLUTION NO. 20-20 CLASSIFIED REDUCTION IN FORCE:**

WHEREAS the Superintendent has recommended to this Board that it make a reasonable reduction in the number of nonteaching employees; and

WHEREAS due to financial reasons cost reductions are needed for the 2020-2021 school year; and

WHEREAS Section 3319.17 and 3319.172 of the Ohio Revised Code, and Article 21 of the collective bargaining agreement between the Blanchester Local School District Board of Education and OAPSE Local #477 authorizes the implementation of a reduction in force (RIF) due to financial reasons;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED as follows:

(1) To suspend nonteaching contracts in the following classifications as indicated; to be effective June 30, 2020:

Classification

Aide
Aide
Aide
Aide
Bus Driver
Bus Driver
Bus Driver

Member Affected

Rachel Cornes
Jennifer Chapin
JoAnna Powell
Jennifer Sipple
Angela Bishop
Della Patten
Kira Kidd

(2) To direct the Superintendent to provide written notice of this action to the affected staff member(s) and the OAPSE Local #477 President of behalf of this Board.

- v. Donations of gloves and masks the Blanchester Life Squad
- vi. Donations of hand sanitizer, sanitizing spray, and sanitizing wipes to Meadowbrook Care Center
- vii. Revised 2019-2020 School Calendar pending closing of academic year by Governor Dewine due to COVID-19 (Pocket)
- viii. HVAC/R Buildings and Grounds Supervisor Salary Schedule (Pocket Attached)
- ix. MOU with Blanchester Education Association (Pocket)
- x. **RESOLUTION 20-21 approving HIGH SCHOOL FEES**

Beginning 2020-2021 School Year

- 1. General \$20.00 Grades 9-12
- 2. Online Credit Make-up:
 - a. \$300.00 for 36 lessons
 - b. \$150.00 for 18 lessons
- 3. **TECHNOLOGY FEE** Chromebooks \$100.00 for **3rd and 8th** Grade Students Only
- 4. **PRESCHOOL FEE** Increase \$50.00 to \$250.00 per month
- 5. **FACILITY RENTAL**
 - a. Outside Facilities:
 - i. \$500.00 for Youth Organizations practices/games-Season
 - b. Inside Facilities:
 - i. \$500.00 for Youth Organizations practices/games-Season
 - ii. All other events \$100.00 (4 hour maximum)

VI. Business of the Treasurer

- a. It is recommended that to board approve...
 - i. Advances
 - 1. 019-9010 Learn and Serve Grant
 - ii. New Fund
 - 1. 019-9020 Lucas Fund Grant Clinton County Foundation
 - iii. Reduction Payroll Clerk position hours to 20 hours a week for the 2020-2021 fiscal year

VII. Business of the Superintendent

It is recommended that the following personnel be employed as listed, subject to maintaining appropriate Certification/Licensure. Salary will be based upon the adopted salary schedule and will reflect the appropriate steps for training and experience.

a. Certified Staffing

ONE (1) YEAR LIMITED CONTRACTS beginning the 2020-2021 School Year (Pages 1-4)

Chanda Addington
Korina Bennett
Michael England
Katie Montgomery
Robert Reveal

Britni Ashford
Morgan Bryant
Jennifer Hartman
Sandra Reedy
Dericka Viars

TWO (2) YEAR LIMITED CONTRACTS beginning the 2020-2021
School Year (Pages 1-4)

Amanda Benza
Sara Estrada
Julie Fortner
Cassidy Rose
Jill Wilson

Tyler Curry
Melissa Fornes
Julia Inabnitt
Ryan Shafer

FIVE (5) YEAR LIMITED CONTRACTS beginning the 2020-2021
School Year (Pages 1-4)

Phillp "Tony" Blevins
Lillian McCann
Linda Miller

Elizabeth Long
Kimberly Merritt
Renea Wooddell

RESIGNATIONS

- **ERIC HEEG** High School Vo-Ag/FFA Teacher end of the 2019-2020 school year (Page 5)
- **ANNA "TORIE" MOLLETT** High School English Teacher end of the 2019-2020 school year (Page6)
- **ALEXIS STEINER** High School Vo-Ag/FFA Teacher end of the 2019-2020 school year (Page 7)

- b. Classified Staffing
 - i. **JERYL WEIS HVAC/R BUILDING AND GROUNDS SUPERVISOR, STEP 4, 3 YEAR CONTRACT Beginning 4/13/2020**

- VIII. Discussion Items
 - a. Five Year Forecast
 - b. Finance Committee Update- Jeremy Kaehler
- IX. Informational Items
 - a. Solar Array
 - b. Graduation
 - c. Next Board Meeting May 18,2020
- X. Executive Session
- XI. Adjournment

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