

Regular Meeting
August 16, 2021

The Board of Directors of the Louisa-Muscatine CSD met in regular session on Monday, August 16, 2021 beginning at 6:00 p.m. Board members present included Scott Wilson, Barbara Thompson, and Bryce Hoben. Carol Whittaker joined via phone at 6:40 p.m. Also present were Supt. Mike Van Sickle, Chris Parkhurst, Aimee Wedeking and Amy Lantigua.

Call to Order/Approval of the Agenda

President Wilson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and the pledge of allegiance was recited. Thompson moved and Hoben seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Community Forum

No one was present to speak at community forum.

Consent Agenda

Hoben moved and Thompson seconded to approve the consent agenda consisting of the minutes of the July 19, 2021 regular session, the bills for approval and the July financial reports. Motion carried 3-0.

Reports

Reports were given by the JH/HS Principal Chris Parkhurst, Elementary Principal Aimee Wedeking, Curriculum Director Amy Lantigua and Supt Van Sickle presented the Activities report. Board Member Thompson discussed Lion's Club's request for a specific need to which they could donate.

Change Job Title for Amy Lantigua to Director of Student Success and Curriculum

Thompson moved and Hoben seconded a motion to approve the change in job title for Amy Lantigua to Director of Student Success and Curriculum. Motion carried 3-0.

Junior High Retention

Thompson moved and Hoben seconded a motion to approve the recommendation of the retention of JH students who did not meet the requirements for advancement as outlined in the student handbook, during the 2020-21 school year. Motion carried 3-0.

L-M Athletic Hall of Fame

Hoben moved and Thompson seconded a motion to approve the recommendation of the updated L-M Athletic Hall of Fame criteria document. Motion carried 3-0.

Return to Learn/ESSER III Plan

Hoben moved and Thompson seconded a motion to approve the updated Return to Learn/ESSER III Plan. Jennifer Rader, Todd Koch and Jason Smith voiced various questions and concerns. Motion carried 3-0.

Carol Whittaker joined via phone at 6:40 p.m.

Personnel

Resignations: Thompson moved and Hoben seconded a motion to approve the following resignations: Danette Clark, HS Paraeducator and Caleb Hailey, HS Boys Track Coach. Motion carried 4-0.

Hirings: Hoben moved and Thompson seconded to approve the following hirings: Kali Hills, JH Assistant Volleyball Coach, Kassandra Veach, Elementary Full Time Substitute and Tana Fourdyce, Social Worker. Motion carried 4-0.

Informational

Informational item was to make the board aware of the shortage of bus drivers.

Adjournment

Hoben moved and Thompson seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 p.m. Motion carried 4-0.

Scott Wilson, President

Charles Domer, Secretary