Claymont City Schools
Board of Education
Regular Meeting
November 16, 2020
5:30 p.m.

The Claymont City School District Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, November 16, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. in the Administrative Office with Mr. Beckley presiding. The meeting was broadcasted through YouTube on the District's website and the video is posted under Minutes on the Treasurer's page on Claymont's website.

ROLL CALL: Present – Mr. Beckley, Mrs. Sproul (by zoom), Mr. Miles, Mr. Trimmer. Absent – Mr. Fawcett.

Visitors and Personnel – The following personnel were present: Brian Rentsch, Superintendent; Kim Beckley, Treasurer; and Jodie Miles, Assistant Superintendent/Curriculum Director.

20-102 BOARD DISCUSSION

Mr. Beckley shared information about Boardsmanship 101. The main purpose of the Board of Education is to hire a Superintendent and Treasurer and serve as policy makers. The hope is to enlighten the public of the Board's role. He asked Mr. Miles to give a presentation at the next board meeting in December.

20-103 ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

Special Education & Preschool Report – *Mrs. O'Connor*: As presented.

Principals' Reports - *Ms. Conn (High School)*: As presented.
Mr. Watkins (Middle School): As presented.
Mrs. DiDonato (Intermediate): As presented.
Mr. Page (Elementary): As presented.
Mr. Seibert (Primary): As presented.

Curriculum Report – *Mrs. Miles*: As presented. Mrs. Miles commended staff for their efforts with remote instruction. As of now, testing is still moving forward. LETRS trainings and initiatives are still happening.

Director of Operations Report – *Mrs. Lint*: As presented.

Mr. Beckley gave a special thank you to staff members for all the work they are doing.

Superintendent Report – *Mr. Rentsch* discussed the following:

- First goal is to stay in school. This is difficult with staff quarantines and bus drivers, cooks, and aides moving buildings to help cover schools. Hoping to be able to come back after Thanksgiving until Christmas break.
- We are moving forward with winter sports, following OHSAA guidelines.

- Reviewed current enrollment numbers with a grand total of 1,828 students.
- Shared the PowerPoint presentation that was given during a webinar relating to the proposed equitable funding formula that will be voted on in the State legislature. The new funding model is enrollment driven with State/Local shares based on property values and resident income.
    - Mr. Miles commented that we are moving in the right direction to make people want to be at Claymont with the new stadium and what teachers are doing.
    - Mr. Rentsch added that Leader in Me is paying dividends.

Five-Year Forecast Presentation – *Mrs. Beckley* presented the Five-Year Forecast, as well as a presentation drawing special attention to parts of the forecast. The forecast, along with its assumptions, and the presentation are available on the district's website.

20-104 COMMENDATIONS

Stadium Project Donations
Campbell Family - $250
Ember Home Care - $25,000
The Pocock Family: Dean, Almeda, Alan, Bill, Cliff, Linda - $1,000
Northside Auto Repair, Ltd. - $1,000
Butch & Marla Watkins - $100
Twin City Chamber of Commerce - $1,000
Paul Fanti - $500
Granwhit Inc - $700

Donation to Claymont Elementary
Schaffer Mercer - $100

20-105 ADDENDUM ITEMS

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, Mr. Beckley made the motion, and Mr. Miles seconded the motion to accept the addendum item as presented. Jacob Baldwin - Webmaster will be added and voted on with Item F of the regular agenda.

On roll call vote: Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, yes; Mrs. Sproul, yes; Mr. Trimmer, yes. Motion carried.

20-106 TREASURER'S REPORTS, ITEMS A – E

Upon the recommendation of the Treasurer, Mr. Trimmer made the motion, and Mrs. Sproul seconded the motion that the Board approve the following Treasurer's items:

A. Financial Report for the Month of October 2020 as presented.
B. Payment of Bills as presented.
C. Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of October 12, 2020 as presented.
D. GMP Amendment #2 from Beaver Constructors Inc. to purchase the pre-fabricated building for the fieldhouse, as presented.
E. Convert the following advances from the General Fund to transfers:

	From 001 to 432	From 001 to 499	From 001 to 502
Original Advance in FY10			$20,685
Original Advance before FY10		$6,736	
Original Advance in FY11	$1,785		
Repayment in FY11			($18,685)
Balance at 6/30/2020	$1,785	$6,736	$2,000

On roll call vote: Mr. Trimmer, yes; Mrs. Sproul, yes; Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, yes. Motion carried.

20-107 TREASURER'S REPORTS, ITEM F

Upon the recommendation of the Treasurer, Mrs. Sproul made the motion, and Mr. Beckley seconded the motion that the Board approve the Five-Year Forecast and Related Assumptions as presented.

On roll call vote: Mrs. Sproul, yes; Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, yes; Mr. Trimmer, yes. Motion carried.

20-108 SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS, ITEMS A – Q

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, Mr. Trimmer made the motion, and Mr. Miles seconded the motion that the Board approve the recommended items:

A. **APPROVE** the Reading Achievement and PreK - 5 Literacy Plan for 2020-2023 as presented.

B. **RESCIND** the following winter supplemental contracts:

Dustin Warner

Justice Avery
Brian Cadle

C. **EMPLOY** the following winter supplemental contracts, pending proper license and credentials:

Brian Cadle	Assistant Wrestling
Justice Avery	Junior Varsity Wrestling

D. **APPROVE** the following winter volunteers for the 2020-2021 school year pending proper certification and credentials:

Dustin Warner	Wrestling
Colt Crall	Wrestling

E. **NON-RENEW** the following 2020-2021 fall sports supplementals:

Eric Henry	Head Football
Thom Lesiecki	Assistant Football
Jon McCluskey	Assistant Football
Mike Smith	Assistant Football
Nick Merrick	Assistant Football
Hunter Miles	Assistant Football
Wayne Matsel	Freshman Football
Justice Avery	Junior High Football
Travis Poland	Junior High Football
Dave Watkins	Junior High Football
Tim Zurcher	Junior High Football
Ed Henry	Equipment Manager
Abbey Mast	Head Volleyball
Lindsey Hummell	JV Volleyball
Susannah Hall	Freshman Volleyball
Ronna Tuckosh	7th/8th Gr. Volleyball
Adam Rogers	Head Cross Country
Mark Albaugh	Assistant Cross Country
Eric Peterson	JH Cross Country
Rich Struchen	Head Girls' Tennis
Matt Dryden	Head Boy's Golf
Scott Buxton	Head Girls' Golf
Brian Duvall	JH Golf
Jon McCluskey	Fall Weightlifting

F. **EMPLOY** the following 2020 - 2021 athletic supplementals:

Jade Jones	Mat Maid Advisor
Kraig Host	Head Baseball
John Dupke	Head Softball
Eric Peterson	Head Boys' Track
Adam Rogers	Head Girls' Track
Rich Struchen	Head Boy's Tennis
Jon McCluskey	Summer Weightlifting
Jacob Baldwin	Webmaster

G. **APPROVE** the following for the IVC Cross Country meet held Oct. 17, 2020:

Justin Jones	Tournament Mgr. $500.
John Dupke	Ticket Taker $50.00

H. **EMPLOY** Teresa Donohoe under a 90-day Probationary Contract as High School Cook for 2 hours daily from 10:45 am to 12:45 pm, retroactively to November 9, 2020.

I. **APPROVE** the following OAPSE 1 year limited contracts retroactively to the 2018-2019 school year:

Brandi LeBlise	Miranda Wardell
Sherri Mehok	McKell Dupuis

J. **APPROVE** the following OAPSE limited contracts retroactively to the 2019-2020 school year:

Brandi LeGlise 2 year	McKell Dupuis 2 year
Miranda Wardell 2 year	Jae-Lyn Hayes 1 year

K. **APPROVE** the following OAPSE limited contracts for the 2020- 2021 school year:

Jackie Carpenter 1 year	Carol Nealey 1 year
Alyssa Murphy1 year	Penny Dixon 1 year
Sheri Mehok 2 year	Lori Newell 1 year
Jae-Lyn Hayes 2 year	

L. **APPROVE** the continuing contract for Patti Rohr as Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent and EMIS Coord.

M. **APPROVE** the following substitute teachers, pending proper license and credentials for the 2020-2021 school year.

Certified
Michael Burn**s** - Retroactive to Oct. 15, 2020
Mallory Galbreath

Classified

Name	Educ. Aide	Bus Driver	Cook	Secretary	Bus Aide	Custodian
Victoria Christensen-Rankin	x		x	x		

N. **ENTER** into an agreement with the East Central Ohio ESC for educational aide service through STAR Alternative School for a cost of $41,555.23 for the 2020-2021 school year.

O. **APPROVE** Lindsay Pellegrino as a Year 1 Mentor Teacher for Alex Cox.

P. **APPROVE** Bailey McBeth, Walsh University student, as a student teacher, retroactively to Oct. 26, 2020.

Q. **ENTER** into a three (3) year contract with Gardiner for HVAC yearly tear downs, cleaning and inspections of all 14 boilers at the cost of $15,862 each year.

On roll call vote: Mr. Trimmer, yes; Mr. Miles, yes; Mr. Beckley, yes; Mrs. Sproul, yes. Motion carried.

20-109 SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS, ITEM R

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, Mr. Beckley made the motion, and Mr. Miles seconded the motion that the Board approve the recommended item:

R. **APPROVE** the continuing contract for Troy Sproul, retroactively to December 11, 2017.

On roll call vote: Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, yes; Mrs. Sproul, abstain; Mr. Trimmer, yes. Motion carried.

20-110 SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS, ITEM S

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, Mrs. Sproul made the motion, and Mr. Beckley seconded the motion that the Board approve the recommended item:

S. **EMPLOY** the following winter supplemental contracts, pending proper license and credentials:

Hunter Miles	Freshman Wrestling

On roll call vote: Mrs. Sproul, yes; Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, abstain; Mr. Trimmer, yes. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned
Mrs. Sproul made the motion, and Mr. Trimmer seconded the motion that the regular board meeting of the Claymont City Board of Education be adjourned. Meeting adjourned at 6:43pm.

On roll call vote: Mrs. Sproul, yes; Mr. Trimmer, yes; Mr. Beckley, yes; Mr. Miles, yes. Motion carried.

Next Meeting: December 14, 2020 @ 5:30 p.m. at the Claymont Administration Office.

Approved: _____
President

Attest: _____
Treasurer