



Lonoke School District

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Regular Board Meeting June 17, 2024 6:00 p.m.

1. MEETING OPENING

Procedural: 1.01 Roll Call

A. Call to Order/Roll Call/Determination of Quorum

Call to order by: Elizabeth Anderson at 6:01 p.m.

B. Members Present: Elizabeth Anderson, Crystal Payne, Ross Moore, Darrell Park, Chad Gentry, Charles Hunter

C. Members Absent: Anne Swint

D. Others Present: Jeff Senn, Deneen Knowlton, Tonya Weaver, Tracy Cole, Rich Richardson, Virginia Ramirez, Rosalynd Kelleybrew, Luz Amaro, Ana Torres

Procedural: 1.02 Pledge

Elizabeth Anderson led the pledge.

2. STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING

Action: 2.01 Recommendation for Expulsion

Motion and second to expel, without services, Case No. 1046, for the first semester of the 2024-2025 school year.

Motion by: Charles Hunter
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

3. ACTION ITEMS

Action: 3.01 Minutes

Minutes for Approval - 5-20-2024.pdf (875 KB)

Motion and second to approve all minutes as presented.

Motion by: Chad Gentry
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

Action: 3.02 Financials

Motion and second to approve the financial report as presented.

2024 May Monthly Analysis.pdf (94 KB)

2024 May State & Local.pdf (39 KB)

2024 May Food Service Funds.pdf (32 KB)

2024 May Federal Funds.pdf (39 KB)

2024 May Board Narrative.pdf (83 KB)

2024 May Building Funds.pdf (36 KB)

2024 May Financial Summary by Month.pdf (98 KB)

2024 May Combined Funds.pdf (39 KB)

2024 May PS Construction Check Reg.pdf (12 KB)

2024 May Check Register.pdf (285 KB)

2024 May PS Construction Project.pdf (542 KB)

2024 May SBB vs Exp.pdf (75 KB)

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

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Approved by: Board President

Crystal Payne
Approved by: Board Secretary

Action: 3.03 Permanent Change of Date for Regular Board Meetings

Motion and second to approve the change of regular board meetings from the third Monday night of each month to the second Monday night of each month, effective July, 2024.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Charles Hunter

Action: 3.04 2024-2025 Go Guardian Renewal

Go Guardian - Explanation of Renewal.pdf (26 KB)

Go Guardian - Quote.pdf (115 KB)

Motion and second to approve the 2024-2025 Go Guardian Renewal in the amount of \$13,665.40, as presented.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

Action: 3.05 2024-2025 Curriculum Associates Renewal

Curriculum Associates - Requisition.pdf (4,923 KB)

Curriculum Associates - Renewal.pdf (237 KB)

Motion and second to approve the 2024-2025 Curriculum Associates Renewal in the amount of \$46,192.50, as presented.

Motion by: Charles Hunter
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

Action: 3.06 Great Minds Purchase

Great Minds - Requisition.pdf (877 KB)

Great Minds - Quote.pdf (111 KB)

Motion and second to approve the purchase of math consumables from Great Minds in the amount of \$10,775.70, as presented.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Charles Hunter

Action: 3.07 Mystery Science Purchase

Mystery Science - Requisition.pdf (942 KB)

Mystery Science - Quote.pdf (44 KB)

Motion and second to approve the purchase of science curriculum kits from Mystery Science in the amount of \$14,929.50, as presented.

Motion by: Charles Hunter
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

Action: 3.08 2024-2025 Capturing Kids' Hearts Contract Renewal

2024-2025 Capturing Kids' Hearts Contract Renewal - Requisition.pdf (840 KB)

Capturing Kids' Hearts - Quote and Service Agreement.pdf (1,380 KB)

Motion and second to approve the 2024-2025 Capturing Kids' Hearts contract renewal in the amount of \$31,800.00, as presented.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

Action: 3.09 2024-2025 Assurances and GEPA Statement

2024-2025 Assurances and GEPA Statement.pdf (2,343 KB)

Motion and second to approve the 2024-2025 Assurances and GEPA Statement, as presented.

Motion by: Chad Gentry
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Charles Hunter

Action: 3.10 2024-2025 McKinney Vento Homeless Handbook

24-25 McKinney Vento Homeless Handbook.pdf (621 KB)

Motion and second to approve the 2024-2025 McKinney Vento Homeless Handbook, as presented.

Motion by: Ross Moore
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

Action: 3.11 Athletic Trainer Services

Athletic Trainer Services.pdf (49 KB)

Motion and second to approve the Amendment to Services Agreement between Arkansas Children's Hospital and the Lonoke School District, as presented.

Motion by: Charles Hunter
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

Action: 3.12 Petition to Transfer (Out of District)

Motion and second to approve Abby Bennett's Petition to Transfer her student to the Carlisle School District from the Lonoke School District effective the 2024-2025 school year.

Motion by: Darrell Park
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

Action: 3.13 Petition to Transfer (Out of District)

Motion and second to approve Alyssa Masters' Petition to Transfer her student to the Jacksonville North Pulaski School District from the Lonoke School District effective the 2024-2025 school year.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Ross Moore

4. EMPLOYMENT

Action: 4.01 Resignations

Laura Abbott - LHS Civics/Econ/World History Teacher
Raegan Ellen - LHS Counselor
Ben Morris - LES Dean of Students/Coach
Amber Walker - LPS LPN - (was hired to begin the 24-25 school year but is now resigning)

Motion and second to accept all resignations as presented.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Elizabeth Anderson

Action: 4.02 Hires

Lauren Arden - LHS Business Teacher - Replacing Ashli Stivers
Tim Arden - LES Dean of Students/Head Baseball Coach - 220 days - Replacing Ben Morris and Bryan Eagle
Katelyn Blacklaw - LES 5th Grade Teacher - Replacing Abbie Griffin
Alex Chambers - LPS/LES P. E. Teacher/Head Softball Coach/Asst. Football - Replacing Ben Morris (Coaching position)
Reilly Jones - LMS Social Studies Teacher - Replacing Hannah Scogin
Antrice McCoy - LMS P.E./Jr. Girls Basketball Coach - 205 days - Replacing Angella Perry
Kristen Scott - LMS 8th Grade Literacy Teacher - Replacing Kayla Douth
Janan Sickel - LHS Counselor - 220 days - Replacing Raegan Ellen

Motion and second to approve all hires as presented.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Charles Hunter

5. INFORMATION

Information: 5.01 Board Member Emails

Information: 5.02 Construction Reports

Information: 5.03 Building Plaque Template (for review)

6. TERMINATION HEARING**Action: 6.01 Termination Hearing**

Board President, Elizabeth Anderson, opened the public hearing regarding the termination of Luz Amaro. All parties were given the opportunity to speak and call witnesses.

After the hearing, the board voted to modify the superintendent's recommendation for termination as follows:

Motion and second to place Luz Amaro on probation for the fall semester of the 2024-2025 school year with bi-monthly evaluations during the probation period, to be placed in the employees personnel file, and to transfer employee to a different building.

Motion by: Charles Hunter
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Crystal Payne

Action: 6.02 Termination Hearing

Board President, Elizabeth Anderson, opened the public hearing regarding the termination of Ana Torres. All parties were given the opportunity to speak and call witnesses.

After the hearing, the board voted to modify the superintendent's recommendation for termination as follows:

Motion and second to place Ana Torres on probation for the fall semester of the 2024-2025 school year with bi-monthly evaluations during the probation period, to be placed in the employees personnel file, and to transfer employee to a different building.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Chad Gentry

7. ADJOURNMENT**Action: 7.01 Adjournment**

Motion and second to adjourn.

Motion by: Crystal Payne
Vote: 6-0 - Yes

Second by: Charles Hunter

The Grumpy Rabbit catered dinner for the board.

The next regular scheduled board meeting will be held on July 8, 2024.