

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD MARCH 15, 2021

The Board of Directors of the Greenville Area School District met in regular session Monday, April 19, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. in the Lecture Hall of Greenville High School. The following members were present: Daniel Eppley, John Forbes, Laura Leskovac, Steve Lewis, Richard Powers, Mary Reames, Richard Rossi, Howard Scott and, President Dennis Webber.

Others present: Brian Tokar, Superintendent
 Brandon Mirizio, Board Secretary/Business Manager
 Connie Timashenka, K-12 Special Education Director

Teachers present: Two (2)
Visitors present: Ten (10)
News media present: One (1)

Mr. Webber led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Mr. Tokar introduced four (4) Greenville Elementary Gifted Students who presented their recent research project on Egyptian Architecture.

Mr. Tokar presented the 2020/2021 Greenville High School Top Trojan Teacher award to Special Education Teacher Renee Calleja.

HEARING OF VISITORS – AGENDA ITEMS

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Mr. Eppley and seconded by Mr. Powers that the minutes of the following Greenville Area School District meetings be approved as submitted: Board Work Session of March 10, 2021 and Board Regular Meeting of March 15, 2021.

Vote: 9-0 Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL REPORTS

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Powers that the financial reports be approved as presented by the Board Secretary.

Vote: 9-0 Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the Bills for Payment be approved as presented and that the Board Secretary be authorized to complete the necessary checks for payment.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SECURITY SERVICES

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mrs. Reames that the proposed contract renewal by Woodring Detective Agency & Security LLC for security services for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as shown as Exhibit A.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – INSTRUCTIONAL & JANITORIAL SUPPLY BIDS

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the instructional and janitorial supply bid awards be approved as shown as Exhibit B.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – COMMERCIAL ELECTRIC SUPPLY AGREEMENT

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mrs. Reames that the Board hereby authorizes the Business Manager to enter the Greenville Area School District into a commercial electric supply agreement immediately following the supply solicitation event on April 26, 2021 as shown as Exhibit C.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Moved by Mrs. Reames and seconded by Mr. Powers that the participation agreement with Pennsylvania School Boards Association for use of the policy maintenance program effective July 1, 2021 be approved as shown as Exhibit D.

Vote: Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – CSIU SERVICES AGREEMENT

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the following Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit Computer Services estimated rates for the 2021/2022 fiscal year (charges based on enrollment) be approved as shown below:

Fund Accounting	\$5,166
Payroll	\$6,327
Personnel	\$3,097

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the internal audit report for the Town of Greenville Tax Collector for tax year 2019 as prepared by the Mercer County Controller’s Office be approved as shown as Exhibit E.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUMMER ACADEMY SUPPLY PURCHASES

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the purchase of Leveled Literacy Intervention resources with Heinemann in the amount of \$7,566.78 be approved.

Furthermore, the purchase shall be made with available pandemic federal relief funding for the 2021 Summer Academy to address pandemic-related student learning loss.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SNOW PLOW REPLACEMENT PURCHASE

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the purchase of a replacement snow plow with Tom’s Auto Service Inc. in the amount of \$7,400 through the Co-STARS Contract #025-272 be approved.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

Mr. Webber noted that the old plow will be sold at a later date.

APPROVAL – STORAGE CONTAINER PURCHASE

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the purchase of two (2) storage containers with SJA Storage in the total amount of \$3,000 be approved.

Vote: Mr. Forbes, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – REPAIR & MAINTENANCE PURCHASES

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Powers that the following athletic repair & maintenance supplies be approved as shown below:

Basketball Backboard Pads	\$1,247.88	JayPro Sports
Basketball Hoop Safety Straps	\$3,534.50	BSN Sports

Vote: Mr. Forbes, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – 3M WINDOW FILM

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the proposal submitted by Window Film Depot, Inc. for the purchase of 3M Window Film through the Keystone Purchasing Network Contract KPN#202012-08 be approved as shown as Exhibit F.

Furthermore, the purchase shall be made with available 2019/20 School Safety and Security – Competitive Grant funds.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – BOARD POLICIES

Moved by Mrs. Reames and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the proposed revisions to the board policies listed below be approved as shown as Exhibit G.

- #150 – Title I Comparability of Services
- #707 – Use of School Facilities
- #707 Attachment – Use of School Facilities Request Form 04192021
- #707 Attachment – Use of Facilities Summary 04192021
- #707.1 – Sponsorship of Tournaments
- #707.2 – Sunday Building Use

Vote: Mrs. Reames, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

Mr. Webber noted that the policy revisions associated with facility use will become effective July 1, 2021.

APPROVAL – HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

Moved by Mrs. Reames and seconded by Mr. Eppley that homebound instruction be approved for one (1) elementary student. Homebound instruction will be in accordance with Board Policy No. 117, the period of homebound instruction for an individual shall not exceed three (3) months.

Vote: Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – COPIER LEASE

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Powers that the proposal for the copier equipment lease and general maintenance service agreement submitted by Toshiba be approved as shown as Exhibit H.

Vote: Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – RESIGNATIONS

Moved by Mr. Eppley and seconded by Mr. Scott that the following resignations be approved:

Dean Gregory, Girls Tennis Head Coach	Effective April 9, 2021
Cathy Klink, Part-Time Cafeteria Worker	Effective May 28, 2021
Kristin Richards, Girls Basketball Head Coach	Effective April 8, 2021
Brad Solderich, Junior High Track Head Coach	Effective March 24, 2021

Vote: Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye.
Motion carried.

Mr. Webber thanked everyone for their time and effort.

APPROVAL – RESIGNATIONS

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the following professional staff resignations be approved:

Chantal Bidwell, GES Speech & Language Pathologist	Effective May 7, 2021
*Julie Ennis, GHS Math Teacher	Effective June 30, 2021

**Reserves the right to rescind notice of resignation through May 17, 2021*

Vote: Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye.
Motion carried.

APPROVAL – RETIREMENTS

Moved by Mr. Eppley and seconded by Mr. Powers that the following retirements be approved:

Judy Bear, District Technology Aide	Effective June 6, 2021
Rose Marie Thomas, Full-Time Custodian	Effective July 26, 2021

Vote: Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

Mr. Webber thanked staff for their time in the District.

APPROVAL – SUBSTITUTES

Moved by Mrs. Leskovac and seconded by Mr. Powers that the following additions to the 2020/2021 substitute list be approved for use on an as needed basis:

Karlee Bartoo – Support Staff

Vote: Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYMENT

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the following 2020/2021 supplemental employment be approved:

Collette DiAngi, Greenville, PA

Junior High Track Head Coach
Level A

Vote: Mr. Forbes, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYMENT

Moved by Mrs. Leskovac and seconded by Mr. Powers that the following 2021/2022 supplemental employment be approved:

Samantha Faler, Greenville, PA

Girls Basketball Head Coach
Level A

Vote: Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUPPORT EMPLOYMENT

Moved by Mr. Eppley and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the following part-time support employment be approved, pending receipt of all clearances:

Brenda Goodall, Sharpville, PA

Part-Time Cafeteria Worker
\$10.05/Hour
Tentatively effective April 21, 2021

Newly hired employees will be on a six-month probationary period. All employees are employees at will and can be terminated at any time and for any reason upon ten (10) days' notice.

Vote: Mr. Eppley, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUPPORT EMPLOYMENT

Moved by Mr. Eppley and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the following full-time support employment be approved, pending receipt of all clearances:

Keith Iverson, Greenville, PA

Cafeteria Delivery/Maintenance
\$14.00/Hour
Tentatively effective May 17, 2021

Newly hired employees will be on a six-month probationary period. All employees are employees at will and can be terminated at any time and for any reason upon ten (10) days' notice.

Vote: Mr. Eppley, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mr. Powers, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

APPROVAL – SUMMER ACADEMY STAFFING

Moved by Mr. Powers and seconded by Mr. Forbes that the Greenville Elementary School Summer Academy staff listing be approved as listed below. The Program is set to run Mondays through Thursdays from June 14, 2021 through July 1, 2021; students 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.; teachers and aides 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Bree Beckstein, Instructional Aide
Cindy Besic, Teacher
Caitlyn Bleggi, Teacher
Brandon Busch, Instructional Aide
Nicole Cianci, Teacher
Jenna DeAngelo, Teacher
Allison Drake, Teacher
Kailen Fiedler, Teacher
Kelly Hittle, Teacher
Kelly Kelly, Teacher
Belinda Miller, Instructional Aide
Dabbie Moffatt, Instructional Aide
Crystal Schuver, Instructional Aide
Danielle Sepos, Teacher
Emily Skebo, Teacher
Sherry Winner, Teacher
Maile Woods, Teacher

Furthermore, the staffing shall be made with available pandemic federal relief funding for the 2021 Summer Academy to address pandemic-related student learning loss.

Vote: Mr. Powers, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

HEARING OF VISITORS – OTHER INFORMATION

None.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. Tokar acknowledged the first day of PSSA testing at the District and noted that while unlike other years the message to students remain the same, for them to do their best.

Mr. Tokar reviewed a recent meeting with representatives of the Class of 1979 related to the placement of a tree and bench memorial at a location on the District campus for a fallen classmate.

In conclusion Mr. Tokar noted that the 2020/2021 Greenville Elementary Top Trojan Award recipient will be recognized at a future meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion made by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Scott that the meeting be adjourned at 7:18 p.m.



Brandon Mirizio
Board Secretary