

The Benton County R-2 School District board members continued the meeting in executive session on October 17, 2022 beginning at 7:40 P.M. Board members present were Yearout, Parrott, Rutherford, Sanders, Eichler, Koll, and Smallwood.

Kevin Smith, Adam Curtis, Becky Eifert and Michelle Smith were also present.

Mr. Smith recommended Caitlin Brandt be hired as Basketball Cheerleader Coach, a motion was made by Parrott, seconded by Koll to employ Caitlin Brandt as the Basketball Cheerleader Coach for the 2022/2023 school year season. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Smallwood-yes; Koll-yes; Eichler-yes; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-yes; Motion carried 7 yes, 0 nays.

Mr. Smith recommended Caitlin Brandt be hired as Assistant Spring Softball Coach, a motion was made by Parrott, seconded by Eichler to employ Caitlin Brandt as the Assistant Spring Softball Coach for the 2022/2023 school year season. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Smallwood-yes; Koll-yes; Eichler-yes; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-yes; Motion carried 7 yes, 0 nays.

Mr. Smith requested permission to hire the best candidate for basketball vacancies. A motion was made by Sanders, seconded by Rutherford to allow Mr. Smith to hire the best candidate for the 2022/2023 school year season basketball vacancies. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Smallwood-yes; Koll-yes; Eichler-yes; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-yes; Motion carried 7 yes, 0 nays.

Mr. Smith discussed the old MFA Elevator gravel lot that has been proposed to the school district, after discussion it is decided that Mr. Smith will inquire further the details of the lot to potentially purchase.

There being no further business for executive session a motion was made by Rutherford seconded by Smallwood to adjourn the executive session at 8:00 P.M. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Smallwood- yes; Koll-yes; Eichler-yes; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-yes; Motion carried 7 yes, 0 no

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