

Minutes of the September 13, 2021 Planning/Action Meeting of the Board of School Directors held in the Shippensburg Area Senior High School Auditorium, 201 Eberly Drive, Shippensburg, PA 17257.

OPENING

Call to Order

Mr. Mark Buterbaugh called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

Roll Call

On roll call, the following members were present: Mr. Mark Buterbaugh, President; Mr. Charles Suders, Vice President; Mrs. Erica Burg; Mr. Dwayne Burt; Dr. Nathan Goates; Dr. Michael Lyman; Mr. Fred Scott, Sr.; Caden Yonish, Student Representative; and Allison Hunt, Student Representative. Mr. Jim Bard and Dr. Geno Torri were absent.

Others present were: Dr. Chris Suppo, Superintendent; Mrs. Sheri Woodall, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment; Mr. Joseph Wachter, Director of Operations and Maintenance; Mrs. Lauren Zima-Engro, Supervisor of Special Education; Mrs. Susan Martin, Nancy Grayson Elementary School Principal; Dr. Troy Stevens, Technology Coordinator; Mrs. Tina Clever, Human Resources Director; parents; teachers; concerned citizens; and Mrs. Cristy Lentz, Business Administrator/Board Secretary.

Meeting Announcement

Mr. Buterbaugh asked the Board to speak into their microphones during tonight's meeting noting the meeting is being live streamed.

Moment of Silence

The Board of School Directors held a moment of silence in memory of the following:

William "Scott" Williams ~ November 28, 1965 - August 22, 2021
1984 Graduate of Shippensburg Area Senior High School

Ronald Ocker ~ September 10, 1948 - August 23, 2021
Graduate of Shippensburg High School

Dennis O'Donnell ~ June 14, 1954 - August 23, 2021
1972 Graduate of Shippensburg Area Senior High School

James "Jim" Saylor ~ June 8, 1941 to August 23, 2021
Former SASHS Science Teacher, retiring after 39 years of teaching. He was also an Assistant Wrestling Coach at the High School.

Roger Lee Gettel ~ June 23, 1963 - August 25, 2021
1982 Graduate of Shippensburg Area Senior High School

Grace "Peggy" Miller ~ May 27, 1943 - August 28, 2021

Former Elementary Reading Teacher, instrumental in Reading Recovery in the District. Grace retired after 20 years of teaching.

(Action)

Agenda Approval

Mr. Buterbaugh asked if there were any changes or amendments to tonight's agenda.

Dr. Suppo provided information regarding the following **amendments** to tonight's agenda:

- 1) Under #4, Consent Agenda, Item #4C, Personnel, #1 **Sarah E, Fanus** is being recommended as Director of Athletics for the Shippensburg Area School District at a salary of \$65,000, effective September 29, 2021 (replaces Michael Montedoro – resignation). Hiring is contingent upon the successful completion of all required clearances and paperwork.
- 2) Under #4, Consent Agenda, Item #4C, Personnel, #57 **Josh J. Barrick** is being recommended as Shippensburg Area High School Head Wrestling Coach, at a supplemental salary of \$4,500.00, effective November 19, 2021 (replaces Anthony L. Yaniello). Hiring is contingent upon the successful completion of all required clearances and paperwork.

On motion of Suders, seconded by Scott to approve tonight's agenda as **amended** above.

On roll call, all present voted to approve tonight's agenda as **amended**.

(Information)

CITIZENS COMMENTS REGARDING AGENDA ITEMS

Sherry Reed, resident of S.A.S.D., spoke requesting clarification on tonight's agenda items regarding security guards and nursing contracts.

Dr. Suppo responded to Ms. Reeds questions.

REPORTS

Student Representatives

Dr. Suppo introduced the new Student Representative, Allison "Alley" Hunt to the Board of School Directors.

Caden Yonish, Student Representative, reported on the following events/issues at the Shippensburg Area Senior High School:

- 1) Homecoming will be held on October 9, 2021. He noted the dance will be held outside at the track.
- 2) Elections for Class Officers are taking place.
- 3) The Guidance Department held a Financial Aid Night last Wednesday where they discussed different types of aids available and other secondary education financial aid tips.
- 4) The girls' basketball teams are starting to hold open gyms.
- 5) The Greyhound Golf Team got second place at their latest tournament.

- 6) The football team is currently 3-0 heading into a Saturday matchup with Susquehanna Township.
- 7) The field hockey team is currently 2-1 and plays West Perry tomorrow at home.
- 8) The volleyball team is 0-2 and plays three times this week. They play at home today and tomorrow and away on Wednesday.
- 9) Cross Country has their first meet tomorrow at Big Spring.
- 10) The Sophomore Class is selling beef sticks.
- 11) The French and Spanish Honor Societies are starting to meet and hold elections for officers.

Franklin County Career Center Report - Dwayne Burt and Charlie Suders, Jim Bard Alternate

Mr. Burt reported on the following:

- 1) The Personnel Committee at the FCCTC has been working with the Teachers Association over the last couple months and have reached a tentative three year agreement with the Association.
- 2) Significant salary increases for support staff (both clerical and custodial).
- 3) On Friday, September 10, 2021, ten programs went to Homebound Instruction due to COVID-19 quarantines and positive cases. Some programs are scheduled to come back this week. He noted there have been 709 student days lost due to COVID-19 and noted the mask mandate has made a significant reduction of student days lost.

Board Committee Reports

Finance Report - Cristy Lentz

Mrs. Cristy Lentz, Business Administrator, presented a Food Service Financial Analysis to the Board.

Superintendent's Report

Enrollment Report for September

The September 1, 2021 Enrollment Report was presented to the Board. The enrollment numbers are as follows:

Kindergarten	267	Fifth Grade	276	Tenth Grade	277
First Grade	237	Sixth Grade	239	Eleventh Grade	269
Second Grade	240	Seventh Grade	251	Twelfth Grade	255
Third Grade	251	Eighth Grade	292	Out of District	27
Fourth Grade	241	Ninth Grade	261		

Presentation by the Shippensburg Community Resource Coalition (SCRC) on Grey Matter

Ms. Sonja Payne, SCRC Coordinator, presented information to the Board on Grey Matter which is a school-based prevention program for high school students who are at risk of onset of depression or are already exhibiting depressive symptoms.

Donation Report

The Shippensburg Area School District Board of School Directors acknowledges receipt of donations from the following:

Shippensburg Area School District Education Foundation, \$652.50 monetary donation for the balance due to send take-home reading bags home with kindergarten students at the end of the 2020-2021 school year.

Shippensburg Area Senior High School Class of 1952, \$30.00 monetary donation to purchase a book to be placed in the Senior High School library in memory of Patricia Cisney Breneman.

Anonymous, \$643.14 in monetary donations to support the Senior High School Drama Club.

Shippensburg Area School District Education Foundation, \$1,865.00 monetary donation to purchase athletic banners for at the Senior High School.

(Action)

CONSENT AGENDA

On motion of Scott, seconded by Suders to approve the following Consent Agenda items:

Approval of Minutes

- Recommend approval of the minutes as presented from the August 11, August 16, and August 30, 2021 Special Board meetings and from the Planning/Action Board meeting on August 23, 2021.

Finance

- Recommend approval of the following:
 1. **Bills of Payment**
 2. **Financial Reports**
 - a.) Treasurers
 - b.) Capital Reserve Fund
 - c.) Cafeteria Fund
 3. **Tax Report**
 4. **Budget Reports**
 - a.) Budget Summary
 - b.) Budget Transfers - none

Personnel

Administrative Staff

- Administration recommends approval of the following new appointment:
 1. **Sarah E. Fanus** - Director of Athletics for the Shippensburg Area School District, at a salary of \$65,000.00, effective September 29, 2021 (replaces Michael Montedoro - resignation). Hiring is contingent upon the successful completion of all required clearances and paperwork.
- Administration recommends acceptance the following resignation for the purpose of retirement:
 2. **Joseph F. Wachter V** – Director of Maintenance and Operations for the Shippensburg Area School District, effective January 3, 2022.

Professional Staff

- Administration recommends approval of Professional Contract status (tenure) for the following professional staff member that has successfully completed three years of satisfactory service with the Shippensburg Area School District:
 3. **Molly A. Stewart** – 1st Grade Teacher, effective retroactive to August 29, 2021.
- Administration recommends approval of salary adjustments for the following professional staff members, having each successfully completed additional courses for a degree change and/or the achievement of a different credit hour level, effective retroactive to August 16, 2021:
 4. **Melanie L. Baughman** – Master’s 60
 5. **Sarah J. Gerber** – Master’s 30
 6. **Samuel P. Hudson** – Master’s 30
 7. **Stephen M. Kocis III** – Master’s 45
 8. **Brenda M. Mason** – Master’s 90
 9. **Jennifer E. Meixell** – Master’s 60
 10. **Danielle M. Moats** – Master’s 75
 11. **Lauren T. Parsley** – Master’s 75
 12. **Shane A. Parsley** – Master’s 90
 13. **Chelsea L. Rosenberry** – Master’s 45
 14. **Jaime L. Shirk** – Master’s 60

15. **Molly A. Stewart** – Master’s 30
16. **Lora S. Stoner** – Master’s 75
17. **Cara L. Varholy** – Master’s 45

Support Staff

- Administration recommends acceptance of the following resignation for the purpose of retirement:
 18. **Ruth A. Grasley** – Full-Time Head Custodian at the Shippensburg Area Intermediate School, effective September 30, 2021.
- Administration recommends acceptance of the following resignation:
 19. **Sandra K. Davis** – Full-Time Custodian at the Shippensburg Area Intermediate School, effective retroactive to August 31, 2021.
- Administration recommends approval of the following support staff employees who have successfully completed the sixty (60) day probationary period and achieved regular employment status. This is in accordance with the SAESP Bargaining Agreement, Article III, 3.02:
 20. **Natasha M. Cover** – Part-Time Cafeteria Cashier/Helper at Grace B. Luhrs University Elementary School, effective retroactive to August 30, 2021.
 21. **Melinda G. Hager** – Part-Time Cafeteria Helper at the Shippensburg Area High School, effective retroactive to August 19, 2021.
 22. **Carlee M. Sommerville** – Part-Time Classroom Assistant at the Shippensburg Area Intermediate School, effective retroactive to August 18, 2021.
- Administration recommends approval of the following transfers/promotions:
 23. **Jamie L. Riley** – Part-Time Kitchen Helper at the Shippensburg Area High School, working 4.25 hours/day for 180 days/year TO Part-Time Kitchen Cashier/Helper, working 4.50 hours/day for 180 days/year at a rate of \$10.55 per hour, with no change to location, effective retroactive to August 30, 2021 (replacing Brenda L. Girosky – resignation).
 24. **Darlene R. Timmons** – Part-Time Kitchen Head Cook at the Nancy Grayson Elementary School, working 5.75 hours/day for 180 days/year TO Part-Time Kitchen Cashier/Helper, working 5.0 hours/day for 180 days/year at the Shippensburg Area Intermediate School, with no change to hourly rate, effective retroactive to September 7, 2021 (replacing Amy C. Zimmerman – promotion).

- Administration recommends approval of the following new appointments:
 25. **Evan T. Beam** – Part-Time Classroom Assistant at the Shippensburg Area Middle School, at a rate of \$10.50 per hour, working 5.75 hours/day for 182 days/year, effective September 14, 2021 (this is a new position School Board approved with the approval of the 2021-2022 Final General Fund Budget during the June 16, 2021 School Board meeting).
 26. **Khalil K. Coleman** – Short-Term Part-Time Noontime Aide at the James Burd Elementary School, at a rate of \$10.24 per hour, working 2.0 hours/day, effective retroactive to August 19, 2021.
 27. **Rasha S. Dawod** – Part-Time Classroom Assistant at the James Burd Elementary School, at a rate of \$10.50 per hour, working 5.75 hours/day for 182 days/year, effective September 14, 2021 (replacing Charlene L. Kessler – resignation).
 28. **Erin M. Landis** – Part-Time Secretary to the Director of Operations and Maintenance for the Shippensburg Area School District, at a rate of \$12.06 per hour, working 4.0 hours/day for 260 days/year, effective September 14, 2021 (replacing Amy R. Ellingson – resignation).
 29. **Charlie D. Mills** – Part-Time Cafeteria Helper at the Shippensburg Area High School, at a rate of \$10.24 per hour, working 4.25 hours/day for 180 days/year, effective retroactive to August 23, 2021 (replacing Jamie L. Riley – promotion).
 30. **Kelsey S. Pittman** - Short-Term Part-Time Noontime Aide at the Nancy Grayson Elementary School, at a rate of \$10.24 per hour, working 2.0 hours/day, effective retroactive to August 19, 2021.
 31. **Bonnie L. Saboe** - Short-Term Part-Time Noontime Aide at the James Burd Elementary School, at a rate of \$10.24 per hour, working 2.0 hours/day, effective retroactive to September 14, 2021.
 32. **Kimberly E. Shank** - Short-Term Part-Time Noontime Aide at the James Burd Elementary School, at a rate of \$10.24 per hour, working 2.0 hours/day, effective retroactive to August 19, 2021.
 33. **Jill M. Thompson** – Part-Time Classroom Assistant at the Shippensburg Area Middle School, at a rate of \$10.50 per hour, working 5.75 hours/day for 182 days/year, effective September 14, 2021 (replacing Cindy S. Marzullo – promotion).

- Administration recommends approval of the following individuals for substituting:
 34. **Kelli L. Ellerman** – LPN
 35. **Miranda K. Rhodes** – School Nurse and LPN
 36. **Megan L. Rinaldo-Lane** – School Nurse and LPN
 37. **Alisha A. Todd** – School Nurse and LPN

Supplemental Staff

- Administration recommends acceptance of the following resignations:
 38. **Matthew E. Hower** – Shippensburg Area High School Academic Competition Advisor; Science Olympiad, effective retroactive to August 30, 2021.
 39. **Amy J. Jones** – Shippensburg Area High School Drama Musical Choral Director, effective retroactive to August 26, 2021.
 40. **Janice L. Myers** – Shippensburg Area Intermediate School Yearbook Co-Advisor, effective retroactive to July 1, 2021.
- Administration recommends approval of the following new appointments:
 41. **Brooke A. Bell** – Mentor for Cassandra L. Aloisi at a supplemental salary of \$500.00 (half year).
 42. **Janelle D. Carbaugh** – Mentor for Amanda L. Sigrist at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
 43. **April R. Chamberlin** – Mentor for Heather M. Bear Wingert at a supplemental salary of \$500.00 (half year).
 44. **Jeannie A. Coons** - Shippensburg Area High School Bus Supervision, at a supplemental salary of \$900.00, effective retroactive to August 16, 2021 (new position School Board approved January 27, 2020 with the approval and ratification of a successor agreement from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021).
 45. **Jennifer M. Deibler** – Mentor for Rachel L. Shank at a supplemental salary of \$500.00 (half year).
 46. **Ann E. Emmons** – Mentor for Margaret M. Johnson at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
 47. **Charity L. Fry** – Mentor for Julia M. Suchanek at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).

48. **Timothy J. Hess** - Shippensburg Area Middle School Co-Assistant Athletic Director/Equipment Co-Manager, at a supplemental salary of \$4,250.00 (this salary will be pro-rated based on number of weeks worked), effective retroactive to August 23, 2021 (replacing Erin V. Lee - resignation).
49. **Lindsay E. Keen** – Mentor for Cindy L. Rensch at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
50. **Melisha M. Miller** – Mentor for Morgan L. Margerison at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
51. **Melissa M. Mowery** – Mentor for Courtney A. Spengler at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
52. **Sandra S. Olson** – Mentor for Kes L. Wheeler at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
53. **Shane A. Parsley** – Mentor for Tabitha D. Curtis at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
54. **Karen S. Strine** – Mentor for Ford A. Kropinak at a supplemental salary of \$1,000.00 (full year).
55. **Theresa R. Vetock** – Mentor for Stephanie L. Miller at a supplemental salary of \$500.00 (half year).
56. **Kimberly J. Yonish** – Shippensburg Area High School Student Council Advisor, at a supplemental salary of \$1,625.00, effective retroactive to July 1, 2021 (replacing Elizabeth H. Minnich – resignation).
57. **Josh J. Barrick** - Shippensburg Area High School Head Wrestling Coach, at a supplemental salary of \$4,500.00, effective November 19, 2021 (replaces Anthony L. Yaniello). Hiring is contingent upon the successful completion of all required clearances and paperwork.

- Administration recommends approval of the following volunteer coach:

58. **Mackenzie Layton** - Volleyball

On roll call, all present voted yes to these Consent Agenda items.

(Action)

CONSENT AGENDA

On motion of Scott, seconded by Goates to approve the following Consent Agenda item:

Overnight Field Trip Request - High School Band

- Administration recommends approval of the request from Bob Maag, music/band director, for an overnight field trip for the high school band, grades 9-12, to go to Disney World and Universal Studios in Orlando, Florida. The band will depart after school on Thursday, March 31, 2022 and return early Monday evening, April 4. Students will miss two days of school. The band will perform in a "Disney Performing Arts Program" parade. All costs for the trip will be paid by the participating students and chaperones. The cost to the district will be for one substitute for two days at a cost of \$160.00 per day.

Mrs. Burg followed up on her question from the August 23, 2021 Planning/Action Meeting asking if students would receive a refund if the trip has to be cancelled.

Dr. Suppo stated he didn't receive an answer back yet regarding Mrs. Burg's question. He noted the Board could hold off on approving this item or make their motion contingent on student's receiving a refund if the trip has to be cancelled.

Due to the above discussion, Mr. Buterbaugh asked Mr. Scott and Dr. Goates if they would be willing to **amend** their motion to **table** this item until Mrs. Burg's question could be answered.

Both Mr. Scott and Dr. Goates agreed to **amend** their motion.

On motion of Scott, seconded by Goates to **amend** their motion to **table** the following Consent Agenda item:

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On roll call, all present voted to **table** this Consent Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Goates, seconded by Scott to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Professional Security Services Agreement

- Retroactive approval to pay Mayhem Solutions Group \$4,160.00 for their services.

A discussion occurred among Mr. Suders and Dr. Suppo to clarify this agenda item and upcoming agenda item #5D and how if these items were part of the 2021/22 budget.

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Goates, seconded by Scott to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Approval of New Boyo Transportation Bus/Van Drivers

- Administration recommends approval of the following additional Boyo Transportation drivers for the 2021-2022 school year:

Heather Bates

Annette Dixon-Wilson

Bridget Jones

Quinetta Jones

Marvin Moore

Homer Parson

Alicia Raia

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Goates, seconded by Lyman to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Agreement with BTI School Services LLC. - Correction in School Year Previously Board Approved

- At the April 27, 2021 Board meeting, the Board approved the agreements with BTI School Services LLC. However, the school year was incorrect.

Administration recommends approving the agreements for the 2021-2022 school year, not the 2020-2021 school year as previously listed.

BTI School Services LLC offers personalized applied behavior analytic services to meet individual needs and circumstances. BTI will assist with administration, management and oversight of behavior management practices for the students at SASD. Services may include: observations, functional behavior assessments, progress reporting, treatment plan development, data collection, presence at meetings, and staff guidance/consultation. These agreements allow BTI School Services to provide a Functional Behavior Assessment ("FBA") at the request of SASD. The FBA is provided on a single care basis, for a total of 10 hours of assessment and report building time and includes up to three (3) on-site observations.

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Scott, seconded by Goates to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Proposal for Security Officers

- Administration recommends approval of a proposal between American Process and Recovery Services (APRS) and Shippensburg Area School District for the purpose of obtaining unarmed security officers, on an "as needed" basis, (at \$45.00/hour) to patrol and monitor facilities before, during and after school/business hours and during SHIP events such as meetings, sporting events and other activities taking place in the District.

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Goates, seconded by Suders to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Food Service Fund Debt

- The Food Service Fund finished the 2020-2021 school year with an inter-fund debt in the amount of \$192,290.82 due to the General Fund. This was a result of loss in revenue due to the COVID-19 pandemic and serving substantially less meals.

Administration recommends through the close out of the 2020-2021 audit, this debt be removed from the books of both the Food Service Fund and General Fund by utilizing general fund unassigned fund balance.

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Action)

ACTION AGENDA

On motion of Goates, seconded by Scott to approve the following Action Agenda item:

Requests to Form Clubs at the High School

- Administration recommends approving the following requests to form new clubs at the High School:

Men's Volleyball - Mr. Kyle Grove, Advisor

Weight Lifting - Mr. Dylan Herb, Advisor

Movie Club - Mr. Kristoffer Rhinehart, Advisor

On roll call, all present voted yes to this Action Agenda item.

(Information)

DISCUSSION AGENDA

Disposal of Obsolete Textbooks

Administration is seeking approval to dispose of the following secondary textbooks due to the age and lack of use in the curriculum:

31 - American Government (no longer used by any of the Government teachers)

20 - Revolution (no longer used by any of the American History teachers)

30 - Warriner's English Grammar and Composition (1988) ISBN 0-15-311734-6

29 - Warriner's English Grammar and Composition (1980): ISBN 0-15-311735-4

Vista-District Classrooms Agreement for Educational Services

The Vista School is a private school that provides autism spectrum disorder for students with complex needs. The Vista School will operate five classrooms that will be available within the consortium districts. The standard classroom is \$53,712 per child and the intensive classroom is \$53,981 per child. This agreement is only if the district would choose to place a student in the program.

Administration will recommend approval of the agreement as presented to the Board.

Reschini Employer Reporting Engagement Proposal

Administration will recommend the Board of School Directors approve the proposal, as presented to the Board, from The Reschini Group to complete the Affordable Care Act mandated reporting requirements to meet section 6055 and 6056 of the IRS code on behalf the District. The cost for these services for the 2021 reporting year will be \$6.25 per 1095 form, or approximately \$2,500.00. For the past five years, the cost per form has remained flat.

Agreement for Supplemental Nursing Services through Pacific Healthcare Services

Administration will recommend approval of the agreement, as presented to the Board, with Pacific Healthcare Services to provide temporary staffing on an "as needed" basis for supplemental staffing needs such as licensed and registered nurses, practical nurses and certified nurse assistants.

Agreement with HSE Nursing Staffing Agency

Administration will recommend approval of the agreement, as presented to the Board, with HSE Staffing Agency LLC to provide temporary staffing for professional nursing and health care services.

Agreement with MileStone Staffing for Supplemental Staffing Services

Administration will recommend approval of the agreement, as presented to the Board, with MileStone Staffing to provide temporary medical staffing services on an "as available" basis.

Agreement with Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP) for Practicum and Student Teaching Placements

Administration will recommend Board approval of the five (5) year agreement with Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP) for the placement of practicum and student teachers within the District. This agreement does not supersede the agreement with Shippensburg University.

Revised Health & Safety Plan

An extensive discussion occurred among the Board and Administration regarding the district's Health & Safety Plan including but not limited to the following: what in the current plan would trigger the district to go to the mask option; Administration's recommendations regarding masking if PDE and Department of Health remove mask mandate; district's policy of only checking temperatures of unvaccinated staff and students; who needs to quarantine if an exposure occurs; CDC recommendations regarding quarantining; social distancing in classrooms; protocols for closing schools; the need to follow/implement all known and reasonable mitigation strategies; the need to review and revise the current Health & Safety Plan; district's contact tracing procedures; testing results taking longer to get back; etc.

BOARD COMMENTS

Mr. Burt commented he has heard from several community members regarding the poor sound quality during the livestreaming of tonight's meeting on YouTube. He requested Administration figure out the issue and get it resolved as soon as possible.

Mr. Buterbaugh thanked the Administration and Support Staff for dealing with the COVID-19 related issues on top of their regular duties.

CITIZENS COMMENTS REGARDING NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Rebecca Kessler, resident of S.A.S.D., spoke regarding concerns with the district's policies and the inconsistencies between buildings regarding the policies.

Levi Cressler, resident of S.A.S.D., spoke regarding concerns with the district's Health and Safety Plan, social distancing, and the mask mandate.

Stephanie Eberly, resident of S.A.S.D., spoke regarding the district's masking policy and the district's Health and Safety Plan.

Chris Jackson, resident of S.A.S.D., spoke regarding the district's Health and Safety Plan, the student handbooks, vaccinated verses unvaccinated students and staff; concerns with lack of planning pertaining to COVID-19, etc.

Executive Sessions

Dr. Suppo announced an Executive Session was held prior to tonight's meeting and an additional Executive Session will be held immediately following tonight's meeting.

Dr. Suppo addressed the individuals who spoke during the Citizen's Comment section at the end of tonight's meeting. He addressed information found in the Student COVID Handbook, different opinions in the school and community relating to reporting requirements, how hard staff is working to keep students and staff safe, the need to work together, etc.

Mr. Burt inquired about offering (not mandating) in-house testing for students and staff to reduce lead time on testing results and get students back to the classroom faster.

Dr. Suppo responded to Mr. Burt's inquiry. He stated there is a new program through the Department of Health utilizing Federal Funds for the option to provide in-house testing services and noted Administration is interested in applying for the program.

Mr. Buterbaugh thanked Dr. Suppo, Mrs. Martin, Administration, and Staff for all of their hard work through the pandemic and their work on the district's Health and Safety Plan.

INFORMATION

Date Saver

September 15 - Act 80 Day - No school for students

School Board Meetings - Beginning at 7:00 p.m. and held in the Senior High School Auditorium

September 13, 2021

September 27, 2021

October 11, 2021

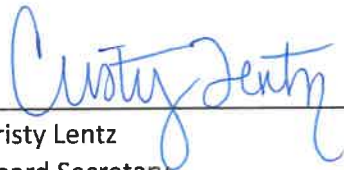
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ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Suders, seconded by Scott to adjourn at 9:03 p.m.



Cristy Lentz
Board Secretary