

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD AUGUST 16, 2021**

The Board of Directors of the Greenville Area School District met in regular session Monday, August 16, 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, Mary Reames, Richard Rossi, Howard Scott and, President Dennis Webber. The following member was excused: Richard Powers.

Others present:                    Brian Tokar, Superintendent  
    Brandon Mirizio, Board Secretary/Business Manager

Teachers present:                None (0)  
Visitors present:                Four (4)  
News media present:            One (1)

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

**HEARING OF VISITORS – AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Moved by Mrs. Leskovac and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the minutes of the following Greenville Area School District meetings be approved as submitted: Board Work Session of June 16, 2021, Board Regular Meeting of June 21, 2021, Board Work Session of July 21, 2021 and Board Regular Meeting of July 21, 2021.

Vote: 8-0    Motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL REPORTS**

Moved by Mrs. Leskovac and seconded by Mr. Forbes that the financial reports be approved as presented by the Board Secretary.

Vote: 8-0    Motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT**

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Forbes 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. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

**APPROVAL – FALL ATHLETIC COACHES**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the updated 2021/2022 fall athletic coaches listing be approved as shown as Exhibit A.

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

**APPROVAL – MEDICAL STANDBY SERVICES AGREEMENT**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the agreement proposed by Life Force of Western Pennsylvania Inc. to provide medical standby services for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as shown as Exhibit B.

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

**APPROVAL – ATHLETIC TICKET PRICING**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the 2021/2022 athletic ticket prices be approved as shown below:

Reserved Football Tickets	\$5.00
Adult Tickets	\$4.00
Parent Tickets	\$2.00
Student Tickets	\$2.00
Senior Citizen Tickets	\$2.00

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

**APPROVAL – HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OF STUDY**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Scott that the updates to the 2021/2022 High School Course of Study Guide be approved as shown as Exhibit C.

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

**APPROVAL – HIGH SCHOOL CAREER PLANNING GUIDE**

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the updates to the 2021/2022 High School Career Planning Guide be approved as shown as Exhibit D.

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

**APPROVAL – HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT/PARENT HANDBOOK**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Scott that the revisions to the 2021/2022 High School Student/Parent Handbook be approved as shown as Exhibit E.

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

**APPROVAL – HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY/STAFF HANDBOOK**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Forbes that the revisions to the 2021/2022 High School Faculty/Staff Handbook be approved as shown as Exhibit F.

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

**APPROVAL – BUS ROUTES**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the bus route overview for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as shown as Exhibit G.

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

**APPROVAL – VEHICLE LIST**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Rossi that the vehicle list for the 2021/2022 school year as submitted by A-C School Services be approved as shown as Exhibit H.

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

**APPROVAL – BUS DRIVERS**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the bus driver list for the 2021/2022 school year as submitted by A-C School Services be approved as shown as Exhibit I.

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

**APPROVAL – MEAL PRICES**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Scott that the Cafeteria meal prices for the 2021/2022 school year per the District's participation in the Seamless Summer Option be approved as follows:

Student Breakfast	\$0.00
Student Lunch	\$0.00
Adult Breakfast	\$1.50
Adult Lunch	\$3.00

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

**APPROVAL – SUBSTITUTE RATES**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mrs. Leskovac that the substitute rates for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as follows:

Professional Staff Substitute	\$105.00/Per Day
Support Staff Substitute	\$10.00/Per Hour

Vote: 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.

**APPROVAL – SUBSTITUTE LIST**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the substitute list for the 2021/2022 school year to be used on an as needed basis be approved as shown as Exhibit J.

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

**APPROVAL – VOLUNTEER LIST**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Forbes that the volunteer list for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as shown as Exhibit K, pending receipt of all clearances.

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

**APPROVAL – ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**

Moved by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Eppley that Robin Fisher be appointed as the Greenville Area School District Athletic Director for the 2021/2022 school year at a salary of \$10,904.

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

**APPROVAL – RESIGNATIONS**

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

Danica Brown, Part-Time Cafeteria	Effective August 4, 2021
Brandon Busch, GES Instructional Aide	Effective July 26, 2021
Maile Woods, GES Special Education Teacher	Effective August 8, 2021
Jamie Unger, Part-Time Cafeteria	Effective August 13, 2021

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

**APPROVAL – SUPPORT EMPLOYMENT**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the following less than 12 month support staff full-time employment be approved:

Brendan Warner, Greenville, PA	Study Hall/Café Monitor \$14.05/Hour 185 Days/Year; 7.5 Hours/Day Effective August 20, 2021
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*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. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Scott, aye; and Mr. Webber, aye. Motion carried.

**APPROVAL – SUPPORT EMPLOYMENT**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Eppley that the following less than 12 month support staff full-time employment be approved, pending receipt of all clearances:

Linda Giddings, Greenville, PA	GES Instructional Aide \$11.00/Hour 182 Days/Year; 7 Hours/Day Effective August 23, 2021
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Vote: Mr. Rossi, aye; Mr. Eppley, aye; Mr. Forbes, aye; Mrs. Leskovac, aye; Mr. Lewis, aye; Mrs. Reames, aye; Mr. Scott, 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 staff employment be approved, pending receipt of all clearances:

Natalie Bendig, Greenville, PA

GES Food Service  
\$10.05/Hour  
182 Days/Year; 4 Hours/Day  
Effective August 23, 2021

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

**APPROVAL – LONG TERM SUBSTITUTE**

Moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Rossi that Kelly Kelly, Grove City, PA be approved as a 2021/2022 Greenville Elementary long-term substitute at a compensation rate of 80% if bachelors step 16 effective August 23, 2021 through June 3, 2022.

Furthermore, the staffing shall be made with available Federal pandemic relief funding to assist with District sponsored online learning programs.

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

**APPROVAL – PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Scott that the following Greenville Area School District full-time professional employment for the 2021/2022 school year be approved as follows:

Phylcia Cooper, Greenville, PA

GES Special Education Teacher  
2021/2022 Bachelors, Step 16

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

**APPROVAL – MENTOR TEACHERS**

Moved by Mr. Rossi and seconded by Mr. Forbes that Resolved that the following mentor teacher be approved for the 2021/2022 school year:

Brent Beckstein, GHS Art Teacher  
Janine Yager, GASD Speech Pathologist  
Kayla Hibbard, GES Special Education Teacher

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

**HEARING OF VISITORS – OTHER INFORMATION**

Pastor Sean Hall announced that the Town of Greenville, in an effort to increase community collaboration and communication, has appointed him as a Council representative to the School District.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Mr. Tokar announced the Board held an executive session prior to the start of the Work Session from 6:00 p.m. to 6:26 p.m. to discuss personnel related items.

**ADJOURNMENT**

A motion made by Mr. Forbes and seconded by Mr. Scott that the meeting be adjourned at 6:52 p.m.



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Brandon Mirizio  
Board Secretary