

The Benton County R-2 School District board members continued the meeting in executive session on November 20, 2023 beginning at 6:24 PM. Board members present were Parrott, Rutherford, Sanders, Smallwood and Eckhoff. Yearout and Eichler were absent.

Kevin Smith, and Becky Eifert. Adam Curtis and Michelle Smith were absent.

Mr. Smith shared a letter of retirement from Dana Lynde at the completion of the 2023/2024 School year. A motion was made by Smallwood, seconded by Rutherford to accept the resignation as presented. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Eckhoff-yes; Smallwood-yes; Eichler-absent; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-absent; Motion carried 5 yes, 0 no.

Mr. Smith recommended Cole See be hired for the nighttime custodial position for the remainder of the 2023-2024 school year. A motion made by Smallwood, seconded by Eckhoff to employ Cole See for the nighttime custodial position. Roll call vote of the motion carried as follows: Eckhoff-yes; Smallwood-yes; Eichler-absent; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-absent; Total vote was 5 yes, 0 no

There being no further business for executive session a motion was made by Rutherford seconded by Smallwood to adjourn the executive meeting and return to the regular meeting at 6:35 P.M. Roll call vote of motion carried as follows: Eckhoff-yes; Smallwood-yes; Eichler-absent; Sanders-yes; Rutherford-yes; Parrott-yes; and Yearout-absent;. Total vote was 5 yes, 0 no

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