

Unified School District #286 Board of Education held its regular meeting on September 14, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. in the District Office. President Rodney Dickens called the meeting to order with the following present:

Jonathan Cude P.J. Buck Jaime Morris Kati Sears, Board Clerk

Kay Hill, Supt.

Denise Signer joined via phone.

Heath Joslin was noted as being absent.

Motion was made by Johnathan Cude to approve the agenda as presented, with the request that executive session be added to the agenda and that item F & J be added to the action list. Motion seconded by Jaime Morris. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Johnathan Cude to approve the minutes of the previous meeting on August 10, 2020. Motion seconded by P.J. Buck. Motion passed 5-0.

Heath Joslin arrived at 6:33 p.m.

Motion was made by Jaime Morris to approve the bills as presented. Motion seconded by P.J. Buck. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Jaime Morris to approve the organizational items on the consent agenda as presented. Motion seconded by Heath Joslin. Motion passed 6-0.

Items approved as listed:

1. Approve substitute rate of pay to \$12.86 per hour.
2. Approve the list of Out of District Students as presented.
3. Approve Supplemental Positions as presented.
4. Approve Tuition Reimbursement for Sarah Buck and Tyler Buss.

Presentations

None presented.

Public Comments

Jayson Stettler, loan officer at The First National Bank of Sedan announced that the "Fore the Kids" golf tournament for the second year raised \$7,109 and all proceeds from the golf tournament benefit the trap shooting team and to purchase new equipment for kids attending CCC Vo-tech.

Principals' Building Reports

Karla Cherico, K-6 Principal reported on elementary activities.

Brian Rieschick, 7-12 Principal reported on activities for the middle & high school.

Superintendent Report

Kay Hill, Supt., reported on various district items, which include reviewing current cash/budget balances, reported on transportation, mentioning all vehicles have passed inspection. Discussed with the board members on current facilities projects and gave a staffing update.

Unfinished Business

We currently have a vacant position for school board member, which was created by the resignation of Kathy Chamberland (At-Large, Position #7) on August 10, 2020.

New Business

Motion was made by Heath Joslin to go into Executive Session for 10 minutes to discuss non-elected

personnel, exception under KOMA, to protect the privacy interests of an individual(s). Motion seconded by Jonathan Cude. Motion passed 5-0. The meeting went into Executive Session at 7:04 p.m.

The meeting reconvened at the proper time and place of 7:14 p.m.

Motion was made by Jaime Morris to approve the MOU for teachers Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) for the 2020-21 school year. Motion seconded by P.J. Buck. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Rodney Dickens to approve Brandy Cox as a food service worker for the 2020-21 school year. Motion seconded by Heath Joslin. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Denise Signer to approve the District Site Council as presented for the 2020-21 school year. Motion seconded by Heath Joslin. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Rodney Dickens to approve the action regarding termination of a classified employee effective September 14, 2020. Motion seconded by Jaime Morris. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Jaime Morris to approve hiring Tommie Allan Coate, as a custodial worker for the 2020-21 school year. Motion seconded by P.J. Buck. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by Jaime Morris to approve adding Sara McCoy to the substitute-teaching list. Motion seconded by Rodney Dickens. Motion passed 5-0.

Motion was made by P.J. Buck to “not” follow the Social Security Payroll Tax Executive Order on deferring the withholding, deposit, and payment of certain payroll tax obligations. Motion seconded by Heath Joslin. Motion passed 5-0.

Board Request

None

Board and Administrative Communications

Kudos to all that the faculty and staff for doing both teaching and remote teaching, we are so grateful for your efforts during this challenging time!

Motion was made by Heath Joslin to adjourn. Motion seconded by Denise Signer. Motion passed 5-0. The meeting adjourned at 7:22 p.m. The next regular board meeting is scheduled for October 12, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. in the district office.

Rodney Dickens, President

Kati Sears, Board Clerk