

**Portage Area School District**  
**Board Highlights**  
For the July 8, 2015 Board Meeting

**Routine Matters:**

- ❖ Approved all financial reports and invoices for the month.
- ❖ Approved payment to TRS Roofing, Inc., in the amount of \$158,355.90 for the elementary roof project.
- ❖ Approved ambulance coverage for home football games.
- ❖ Approved various district insurance policies for the 2015-2016 school year.
- ❖ Approved revisions to the school's profile on the Education Names and Addresses section on the PDE website.
- ❖ Approved student handbooks for the elementary school and the junior-senior high school.
- ❖ Approved the response to the Corrective Action Plan in regard to one finding in the Auditor's General audit for the period February 26, 2010 through October 24, 2013.
- ❖ Approved one revision to the 2015-2016 school calendar as discussed at the committee of the whole meeting.

**Personnel Matters:**

- ❖ Hired Sally Pesta as a full-time elementary school teacher.
- ❖ Accepted Carole Conant's resignation as a reading specialist.
- ❖ Hired Emily Steberger and Christina Nolan as full-time reading specialists.
- ❖ Hired Nicole Hunt as a full-time learning support/social studies teacher.
- ❖ Hired Glenna Grecek as a paraprofessional teachers' aide.
- ❖ Approved Tina Yingling's request for a sabbatical leave of absence for the 2015-2016 school year.

**Board Requests and Use of Facilities:**

- ❖ The board approved all requests for approved travel, field trips and use of facilities as presented.