

Pottsville School District #61

Minutes of Board of Education Meeting

2020/21-12	Regular	High School Library	7:00 P.M.	June 24, 2021
No.	Kind of Meeting	Meeting Place	Time	Mo. Day Year

The Pottsville School District Board of Education met in a regular session on June 24, 2021 in the High School Library. Board President David Potts called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Jim Huffman was excused.

Voted 4-0 to reorganize the board. President – Clint Hull, Vice President – Jim Huffman, Secretary – Tracy Taylor, board members – Jeff Akin and David Potts. M.– Akin, S. – Taylor.

Voted 4-0 to approve the Consent Agenda that included the following: M. – Potts, S. – Taylor.

- PSD May Minutes
- PSD June Financial Report
- Larry Dugger as Chief Financial Officer and Sue Moore, District Treasurer
- PSD 21/22 Disaster Recovery Plan
- PSD 21/22 Student Handbook
- Title I-IV application for funds
- Federal Statement of Assurances
- 21/22 Community Engagement Plan
- Student Transfer Requests:
To Danville – Andrea, Sophia and Antonio Oliva; to Dardanelle – Bryleigh Watkins; to Atkins – Sebastynn Bartlett and Breanne Harris; to Russellville – Gabriel Ovtuno and Luke and Nate Oliver, and to Pottsville – Nicholas Barnes, Sergio Sanchez, Aubrey Brannin, Destiny and Hunter Jones and Pamela and Izan Torres Dones.

Voted 4-0 to approve the GMP of 186,000 dollars plus the architect's fee. Smooth Running has been awarded the bid. M-Akin, S – Potts.

Voted 4-0 to accept the following classified recommendations:

Jackie Taylor and Ted Warner – summer bus drivers; Roger Ramey – summer painting; and the resignation of Lisa Shelton. M. – Taylor, S. – Potts.

Voted 4-0 to accept the following certified recommendations:

Dusty Duvall – Resignation as high school chemistry teacher. Recommended for employment: Abbi Bostian – elementary teacher; Barbara Taurone – MG and PJHS art teacher; Darin Gainer – PHS chemistry teacher and Jennifer Deramus – summer school teacher at PJHS. M. – Akin, S. – Taylor.

Voted 4-0 to accept the resignations of Laura Tucker – Math Teacher, Derrick McKee – EAST and a voided contract due to failure to sign within 30 days of offer, Tracy Lovell – Special Education. M. – Potts, S. – Taylor.

Voted 4-0 to employee Wendy White, PJHS Math Teacher and Taylor Robinson, PJHS Math Teacher (she will replace Mrs. Ayers who at this time will be moving to the High School EAST Position and Marta Barahona-Scroggins and Quebeca McCarty for 3 hour food service position. M. – Akin, S. – Potts.

Voted 4-0 to approve the recommended pay increase to 75 dollars a day for sick days, when an employee retires or leaves the district. M. – Potts, S. – Taylor.

Voted 4-0 to approve the quote for bus cameras, two new buses were added. The bid of 50, 570 dollars replaces the earlier bid from Pro-Vision. Pro-Vision is a Tips vendor. M - Potts, S. – Akin.

Voted 4-0 to approve to purchase chromebooks for the Junior High, to be paid for out of ESSR funds. Total cost of 49,723 dollars was the second lowest and was accepted due to availability before school starts. M. – Potts, S. – Akin.

Voted 4-0 to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. M. – Potts, S. – Taylor.

Board President

Board Secretary

Date