# Portage Area School District Board Highlights Meeting of January 10, 2018

The next Committee of the Whole Meeting will be held **Wednesday, March 14, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.** with the Regular Meeting following. Meetings are held in the Elementary Auditorium, 84 Mountain Avenue, Portage, Pennsylvania.

#### **District Policies**:

✓ Second Reading on Policy 104 Nondiscrimination in Employment Practices and 150 Title 1 – Comparability of Services.

### **Routine Matters**: The Board moved on the following routine matters:

- ✓ Approved financial reports, invoices and tax collector reports for January.
- ✓ Approved Sportsmans' bids for spring sports.
- ✓ Approved AmeriCorps In-Kind contributions in the amount of \$2,030 in the high school and \$2,595 in the elementary school.
- ✓ Approved a student teaching assignment with Ms. James.
- ✓ Approved revisions to Policy 807 Opening Exercises/Flag Displays.
- ✓ Approved a Resolution Opposing ESA Voucher Programs (SB2)

#### **<u>Personnel Matters</u>**: The Board moved on the following personnel matters:

- ✓ Approved all substitutes as presented.
- ✓ Hired Brian Randall, Sara Erzal and Emily Horn as reading competition advisors.
- ✓ Hired Kelly Myers as the band director for the 2018-2019 school year.
- ✓ Accepted Tracie Cadwallader's resignation as a cafeteria worker.
- ✓ Hired April Lee as a cafeteria worker.
- ✓ Accepted Kelly Myer's resignation as the reading competition advisor for the high school.
- ✓ Approved a staff member's request for an intermittent FMLA.
- ✓ Added the following softball volunteers: Brandon Ickes, Rebecca Benton and Kirk Dividock. Baseball: James Fisher and Scott Burda.
- ✓ Granted tenure to Ashley James and Kyle Gossard.
- ✓ Granted a staff members request for days off without pay.

## **Board Requests and Use of Facility Requests:**

✓ The Board approved all requests as presented on the agenda.