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.