BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES

Hope Board of Education August 16, 2021

The Hope Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, August 16, 2021, with President Linda Haynes presiding. The following members were present: Kathryn Dickinson, Viney Johnson, Margaret Moss, Jimmy Courtney, Alvis Hamilton, and David Powers.

On a motion by Alvis Hamilton with a second by Margaret Moss, the July minutes were approved. Motion carried 7-0.

The July expenditures were approved on a motion by Viney Johnson with a second by Kathryn Dickinson. Motion carried 7-0.

Superintendent Jonathan Crossley provided his report to the board. He listed current enrollment as 2025 and anticipated enrollment as 2322. He updated the board on the first day of school. He gave Covid numbers for the state and county. HHS Student Richard Ware addressed the board concerning his experiences as the Arkansas Boys Nation Representative.

On a motion by Jimmy Courtney with a second by Margaret Moss, the board voted to approve the facilities rental request from the Kiwanis Club for the annual pancake supper. Motion carried 7-0.

On a motion by Kathryn Dickinson with a second by Jimmy Courtney, the board voted to approve the Statement of Assurances. Motion carried 7-0.

On a motion by Jimmy Courtney with a second by Kathryn Dickinson, the board voted to approve the contract with Go Guardian for \$26,437.13. Motion carried 7-0.

The board voted to approve the Arkansas School Boards Association Service Agreement in the amount of \$2,850 on a motion by Margaret Moss with a second by Alvis Hamilton. Motion carried 7-0.

On a motion by Alvis Hamilton with a second by Jimmy Courtney, the board voted to approve the facilities rental request of the HHS Class of 2001 submitted by David Williams. Motion carried 7-0

The personnel packet was approved on a motion by Jimmy Courtney with a second by Kathryn Dickinson. The packet consisted of the following:

Deana Miller Resignation ABC Teacher

Nancy Tolendo Employment ELL Interpreter/Translator

Dr. Crossley expressed his sincere gratitude to the Yerger Alumni for the reception held in his and UAHT Chancellor Dr. Christine Holt's honor on Sunday, August 15, 2021.