

Marmaduke School District

Board Meeting Minutes

5/8/2023

The Marmaduke School Board met on May 8, 2023, with the following board members present: Chuck Long, Daniel Hensley, Trent Smith, and Jared Beck.

Invocation was given by Bill Muse. 7:01

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Trent Smith to accept the reading of the April 24, 2023, minutes. Motion carried. 7:03

Motion was made by Trent Smith and seconded by Jared Beck to approve the financial report as presented. Motion carried. 7:09

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Jared Beck to approve the bills as presented. Motion carried. 7:11

Motion was made by Trent Smith and seconded by Daniel Hensley to approve the school choice applications of 5 students from the Rector School District, 3 students from the Piggott School District, and 5 students from the Paragould School District. Motion carried. 7:14

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Jared Beck to not approve the school choice applications of 1 student from the Paragould School District due to program capacity. Motion carried. 7:16

Motion was made by Jared Beck and seconded by Daniel Hensley to approve the final Special Education Budget for the 2022-2023 school year and the Preliminary Special Education Budget with Assurances and Agreements for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 7:31

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Trent Smith to approve the Educational Cooperative Board Resolution. Motion carried. 7:32

The Board went into executive session to discuss personnel matters. 7:49

The Board came out of executive session. 8:40

Motion was made by Jared Beck and seconded by Trent Smith to approve hiring Reesa Hampton as a 7-12 Science teacher, and the elementary boys basketball coach for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:41

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Jared Beck to approve hiring Ian Hatten as a 7-12 Art teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:42

Motion was made by Trent Smith and seconded by Jared Beck to approve hiring Megan Hensley as a student council sponsor for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:43

Motion was made by Jared Beck and seconded by Daniel Hensley to accept the resignation of Wade Willis as the Jr. High Softball Coach effective June 30, 2023. Motion carried. 8:44

Motion was made by Jared Beck and seconded by Daniel Hensley to approve hiring Kendra Street as the Jr. High Softball Coach for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:44

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Trent Smith to create a stipend of \$500.00 for sponsoring the Jr. High FBLA organization beginning the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:45

Motion was made by Trent Smith and seconded by Jared Beck to hire Tina Vangilder as the Jr. High FBLA sponsor for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried. 8:45

Mr. Richey and the Board discussed and agreed to move the June meeting to June 19.

Motion was made by Daniel Hensley and seconded by Trent Smith to adjourn. Motion carried. 8:47

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President of School Board

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Secretary of School Board