Southside School District Board Meeting Minutes Regular Meeting Monday December 13th, 2021, 6:30 pm Southside High School Media Center

MEMBERS PRESENT

GUEST PRESENT

Brad Cummings, President Tony May Eric Low Kyle Miller Michael McBryde

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order by Board President Brad Cummings. Pledge of allegiance and prayer was led by Brad Cummings.

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was amended to hear a public comment by Mr. Powell who stated he would like the board to consider developing a new Title 9 form specific to Southside School District.

III. PRINCIPALS REPORT

MS Principal Kayla Turner gave the following report for the Preschool.

- Bonuses were presented to Preschool and TRACKS employees
- Santa will visit Dec. 17 along with our Christmas parties that afternoon.
- Camee Tisseire took Christmas pictures for the student's families.

MS Principal Kayla Turner gave the following report for the Elementary.

- Special Olympics Bowling
- Christmas Activities
- Current Enrollment- K-152, 1st -147, 2nd -139, 3rd -176.
- Reading Mean RIT score rose by 21 points since last fall.
- Math Mean RIT score rose by 20 points since last fall.

MS Principal Kayla Turner gave the following report for the Middle School.

- 48 students were inducted into the Jr. Beta Club.
- 4th grade students wrote an essay explaining why the turkey should not be eaten for Thanksgiving.
- Book Fair was onsite for the students.

MS collected 470 cans for Christmas Brings Hope.

HS Principal Jimmy Hodges gave the following report for the JH.

- Over 700 canned goods were donated for Christmas Brings Hope.
- Students raised money for the Angel Tree.
- JH Girls won the First Community Bank tournament.
- Martin Luther King Essay Contest winners were: Keely Cantrell, Lucas Drummond, Sibohn Campbell, Addison Kretzer and Andrew Peek.
- JH All-Region Band: Emily Pedraza 1st Band, 8th chair (Flute); Tori Finnie 2nd Band, 9th chair (Clarinet); Dylan Rogers 2nd Band, 16th chair (Clarinet); Marshall Strother 2nd Band, 3rd chair (Euphonium); Peyton Allen 2nd Band, 2nd chair (Tuba); Micah Kelley 1st Band, 7th chair (Percussion).
- Current Enrollment: 510.

HS Principal Jimmy Hodges gave the following report for the HS.

- Educators Rising Conference: 7 out of 11 students placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd and will be traveling to Washington, DC to compete nationally.
- Beta Club packed boxes for OCC.
- Students provided coffee and snacks in the drive through for Veterans Day.
- Key club packed Christmas Brings Hope boxes.

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

Board President Brad Cummings presented the November Board Minutes for approval. Motion made by Tony May and seconded by Eric Low to accept the November minutes as presented. Motion carried: 4-0.

Motion made by Tony May and seconded by Kyle Miller to accept the November Financial Statements. Motion carried: 4-0.

V. ACTION ITEMS

Motion made by Tony May and seconded by Eric Low to approve the 2022 Facilities Master Plan with Resolution. Motion carried: 4-0.

A Motion was made by Eric Low and seconded by Tony May to approve the LPN Salary Schedule. Motion carried: 4-0

A motion was made by Kyle Miller and seconded Eric Low to approve additions to the salary schedule. Motion carried: 4-0 A motion was made by Eric Low and seconded by Kyle Miller to approve a one-time HVAC Stipend. Motion carried: 4-0.

VI. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Superintendent Dion Stevens gave the following report:

- Update on bonds.
- Athletic Achievements.
- Madrigal performance.
- Solar.
- Grant information.
- Approve purchases.

VII. PERSONNEL

It is the recommendation of the administration to accept the following resignations.

- Mark Reeves MS Maintenance, effective 11/16/21.
- Paige Thompson Paraprofessional, effective 12/06/21.

Motion made by Tony May and seconded by Eric Low to approve the resignations. Motion carried: 4-0.

It is the recommendation of the administration to officer contracts of:

- Steve Moore Bus Driver, effective 1/10/22.
- Amanda Hartzell Long Term Sub, effective 11/29/21.
- Jessica Garcia Paraprofessional, effective 12/13/21.
- Kayla Altman Paraprofessional, effective 12/13/2021.

Motion made by Eric Low and seconded by Kyle Miller to approve the contracts. Motion carried: 4-0.

It is the recommendation of the administration to amend the contracts of:

Brooklyn Hatfield – JH & SH Cheer Coach, effective 1/3/22.

Motion made by Kyle Miller and seconded by Tony May to approve the amendment. Motion carried: 4-0.

Motion made by Tony May and seconded by Eric Low to approve the issuance & delivery of bonds. Motion carried: 4-0.

Motion was made by Eric Low to recess at 7:32 pm.

Motion was made to resume the meeting by Eric Low at 7:40 pm.

VIII. ADJOURN

Motion was made by Eric Low and seconded by Tony May to adjourn at 7:58 pm.

Motion carried: 4-0.

President

Secretary