

Palmyra R-1 Board of Education
Press Release
December 15, 2021

The regular meeting of the Palmyra R-1 Board of Education was held on Tuesday, December 14, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Palmyra High School cafeteria at 1703 South Main, Palmyra, Missouri.

The building principals gave their monthly building reports.

Kirt Malone reported on the recent board retreat/work session that took place on Saturday, December 4, 2021. Mr. Roger Kurtz, retired Executive Director of Missouri Association of School Administrators (MASA), and former school board member for the Jefferson City School District, facilitated the work session. The Board reviewed a draft CSIP 6 document, as well as progress on current goals. It was the consensus of everyone involved that the time was very beneficial to the board and administration.

In new business, the Board approved the application from Senior Tim Wellman to submit as the Palmyra representative for the Missouri School Board Association Belcher Scholarship.

In old business, the Board gave their approval to accept funding from the recently awarded Electronic Connectivity Fund (ECF) Grant, pay off the current Apple lease, approved the sale of current iPads and MacBooks to Second Life Mac, as well as the purchase of new Apple devices using funds from the ECF Grant as presented.

In other old business, the Board heard a second reading of and approved MSBA Policy Update 2021C as presented.

The Board reviewed the Back to School Plan regarding COVID strategies for the District. Current COVID strategies and practices will stay in place.

In other regular business, the Board hired the following, as presented:

Risa Porter	Elementary School para-professional
Sarah Bryant	Elementary School para-professional
Tony Green	Bus Driver
Ashley Corbin	Part-Time Custodian
Tim Barnes	High School Custodian
Marianne Walotka	High School Assistant FCCLA Sponsor

The Board accepted the resignation of Stacy Conrad as High School Student Council Sponsor effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

The Board approved the updated sub list as presented.