

Pioneer Regional School Corporation
School Board Meeting Minutes
Pioneer Jr./Sr. High School Auditorium

September 14, 2021

The Pioneer School Board met on September 14, 2021 at 6:00 P.M. at the Pioneer Jr./Sr. High School Auditorium. Board members present were Lisa Kesling, Denny Herd, Brad Swartzell, Rachelle Pearson and Chandra Felker. Also present were Charles Grable (Superintendent), Jeff Brooke (HS Principal), Pat Quillen (ES Principal), Missy Shrontz (HS Asst. Principal), Kenny Wheeldon, Gib Crimmins, Julie Williams, Brian Swartzell, Megan Peppers, Catherine Sparks, Amanda Cosgray, Brett Zellers, Kelsie Zellers, Ryan Nethercutt, Brant Roudebush, Rebecca A., Nicole T., Erica Zimmer, Jessica Alioto, Heather VanArsdale, Braxton VanArsdale, Evan Dorton, Angie Alpha, Kari Michaels, Troy Scott, Doug Cox (Corporation Attorney), and Lori Kimbrell (Business Affairs Manager/Corporation Treasurer).

Lisa Kesling, School Board President, called the Budget Public Hearing to order at 6:00 P.M.

The Board tabled the presentation of the 2022 budget until September 27 at 6:30 P.M. with a vote of 5-0. The Budget Hearing was adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

Lisa Kesling, School Board President, called the Board Meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

Charles Grable recommended the following addition to the Agenda under Consent Agenda, Personnel 7.D.2.e. Resignation of Grace Gudas – Jr./Sr. HS Night Custodian. The Board approved the Agenda change with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the August 10, 2021 Board Meeting Minutes with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the September 1, 2021 Executive Session Minutes with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved claims with dates of 8/11/21 to 9/14/21 and voucher numbers of 4255 to 4380 with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Marvin Craig Banser – ES Special Ed Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Laurie Belt – ES Title 1 Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Sara Courtney – Jr./Sr. HS Custodian with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Allison Glassburn – ES Title 1 Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Grace Gudas – Jr./Sr. HS Night Custodian with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Karla Johnson – Jr./Sr. HS Special Ed Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Heidi Moon – ES PK Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Angela Krohn – Jr./Sr. HS Special Ed Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Brandy LeGrand – Food Service with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Jennifer Bartling – Jr. Class Sponsor with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Angela Clemans – Sunshine Society Sponsor with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Laura Duke – Jr. Class Sponsor (Aug.-Dec.) with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Stacy Farrer – ES Volleyball Coach with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Danielle Swayzee – FFA Assistant Sponsor with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Stephanie Hoffman – JV Cheer Coach with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved to hire Nikki Crist – Food Service with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the resignation of Susan Davids – FFA Assistant Sponsor with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the resignation of Jennifer Burns – ES Volleyball Coach with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the resignation of Tresa Breedlove – Jr./Sr. HS Aide with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the resignation of Jacob Borden – Jr./Sr. HS Peak Custodian with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the resignation of Grace Gudas – Jr./Sr. HS Custodian with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the Special Education Shared Services agreement for 2021-2022 SY with Caston and Eastern Pulaski with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the PL221 – School Improvement Plan for the Jr./Sr. HS with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the PL221 – School Improvement Plan the ES with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the Classified Staff and Bus Driver Salary Adjustments with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the Jr./Sr. prom venue for April 2, 2022 at “The Gathering Place” in Twelve Mile with a vote of 5-0. Check-in will start at 6:15 p.m., meal at 7 p.m., dancing to start after the meal and ending at 11 p.m.

The Board approved of the FFA students attending the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis on Oct. 27-29, 2021 with a vote of 5-0.

The Board approved the following donations with a vote of 5-0.

1. Good Oil Company - \$390.95 to Athletics
2. Comfort Keepers - \$1,000.00 to Athletics for the batting cage
3. The Andersons - \$20.00 to FFA
4. Good Oil Company - \$2,407.01 to Athletics

A mask update was presented and discussed. There has been less quarantines since implementing the mask requirement. Several parents commented.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Spencer Keeling

Chandu Jones

Bob Smith

Rachelle Pearson

Dennis Verd
