# CONRAD WEISER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT Robesonia, Pennsylvania

# AGENDA B FOR FEBRUARY 12, 2020 7:30 p.m. – Conrad Weiser High School Library

### BOARD COMMITTEE-OF-THE-WHOLE MINUTES

At 7:30 p.m., Vice President Dennis J. Manbeck called to order a special meeting of the Board of School Directors of the Conrad Weiser Area School District, followed by the pledge to the flag of the United States of America

# **Present for the Meeting**

**Board Members** 

William T. Carl Jr., James H. Dotzenroth, Francis J. Kaczmarczyk, Neal McNutt, Gary G. Neider, Bret A. B. Sabold, Joshua Speirs and Dennis J. Manbeck

School Personnel

Randall A. Grove, Ryan R. Giffing, Robin L. Robertson, Jessica L. Head, Alissa B. Sweigart, Randy V. Neider, Lindsay Estrada, Jonathan T. Holota, Nicole C. Moore, William Knapper, Eric Lutz, Stacy L. Miller and Heather M. Stricker

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

RAG

1.

Dr. Grove mentioned they will have an executive session following the committee meetings to discuss personnel matters.

### **HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE** - Gary G. Neider, Chairperson

Motion by Neider, Seconded by Carl,

RESOLVED, that on the recommendation of the Administration, the Board of School Directors of the Conrad Weiser Area School District approves the employment of Melissa Rhoads, 8 White Pine Gulch, Shillington, PA 19607, as the Principal of the Conrad Weiser East Elementary School at a starting salary of \$93,500 (pro-rated), pending receipt of all required documentation.

Hire East Elem Principal

Note: Education Level: Masters

Graduate School: Arcadia University
Certification: Art PK-12, Biology 7-12,

Family-Consumer Sci PK-12, General Science 7-12, Special Education PK-12,

Principal PK-12

Experience: Antietam SD– 3 yrs.

Schuylkill Valley SD - 7 yrs.

Employment: TBD

Initial Assignment: East Elementary Principal

Note: This is a replacement for Janet Heilman

(resigned).

This resolution was duly adopted by the following vote:

Aye: Carl, Dotzenroth, Kaczmarczyk, McNutt, Neider,

Sabold, Speirs and Manbeck.....

2.	RAG	Motion by Neider, Seconded by Kaczmarczyk, approves a position of Federal Programs Coordinator and position guide.  (Attachment A-1)		Federal Programs Coordinator/ Position Guide
		This resolution was duly adopted by the following vote:		
		Aye: Carl, Dotzenroth, Kaczmarczyk, McNutt, Neider, Sabold, Speirs and Manbeck	8	
3.	RAG	Motion by Neider, Seconded by Carl, approves Melissa Rhoads, as the Federal Programs Coordinator for a stipend of \$5,000 (pro-rated).		Federal Programs Coordinator
		Note: This is a new stipend position.		
		This resolution was duly adopted by the following vote:		
		Aye: Carl, Dotzenroth, Kaczmarczyk, McNutt, Neider, Sabold, Speirs and Manbeck	8	
4.	RAG	Motion by Neider, Seconded by Kaczmarczyk, accepts with regret the resignation of Adelle Schade, science teacher at the high school, effective January 17, 2020.		Resign HS_ Science Teacher
		This resolution was duly adopted by the following vote:		
		Aye: Carl, Dotzenroth, Kaczmarczyk, McNutt, Neider, Sabold, Speirs and Manbeck	8	
		Information Items:		
1.	RLR	The first day of employment for Tara Kohl was January 21, 2020.		
2.	RAG	The first day of employment for Kristen Overley, LTS East Art, was January 27, 2020.		
3.	RLR	The first day of employment for Kimberly Koch was January 27, 2020.		
4.	RAG	The last day of employment for Janet Heilman was January 17, 2020.		
5.	RAG	The last day of employment for Douglas Rogers was January 14, 2020.		
6.	NCM	Grace Wise, a senior from Wilson School District, will be completing her internship hours for a high school course, with Mrs. Kelly Sabold in kindergarten at West. She will fulfill the required 40 hours per quarter, throughout the 2020-2021 school year.		
7.	RAG	The first day of parental leave for Brittany Lazer-Gheer was February 3, 2020.		

- 8. RLR The following changes in assignments and/or building/grade level changes on February 10, 2020:
  - Nou Koch, food service worker, will be transferring from West Elementary to the high school.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion by Carl, Seconded by Speirs, Adjourned 7:34 p.m.

#### **BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Conrad Weiser High School Library February 12, 2020 7:38 p.m.

Board Members Present
Francis J. Kaczmarczyk, Chairperson
James Dotzenroth
Dennis J. Manbeck
Bret A. B. Sabold
Joshua Speirs

Administrators Present Robin L. Robertson, Administrative Liaison Stacy Miller

- 1. RLR Discussion, re: Budget 2020-21
- 2. RAG approves the 2020-21 mandated services budget of the Berks County Intermediate Unit #14 in the amount of \$1,901,899 with Conrad Weiser's share of the budget being \$35,088.20, as attached to the Official Minutes.

Note: There is no increase from last year.

3. RLR approves Comcast for an e-rate category 1 five year contract beginning July 1, 2020 at a monthly cost of \$5,550.

Note: This is for fiber connection and is a savings over our current contract.

- 4. RLR authorizes Nicole C. Moore, representing middle school administration, to sign for the payment of any expenditures from the activity funds of Conrad Weiser Middle School for the 2019-20 school year.
- 5. RLR approves the following budget transfers:

Debit	Credit
	\$500.00
\$500.00	
	\$2,000.00
\$465.00	
\$1,535.00	
	\$500.00 \$465.00

- 6. RLR Discussion, re: Debt Service and Bond Financing
- 7. RLR Discussion, re: Café Operations Year to Date

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- 8. RLR Discussion, re: General Fund Operations Year To Date
- 9. RLR Other
- 10. Public Comment

# Information Items

 RLR This year the census information well be sent to residents of Marion Township, Robesonia Borough, South Heidelberg Township and Womelsdorf Borough.

### **CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES**

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Board Members Present Bret A. B. Sabold, Chairperson William T. Carl, Jr. Administrators Present
Ryan R. Giffing, Administrative Liaison
Randall Grove
Jessica Head
Jon Holota
Nicole C. Moore
Alissa Sweigart
Lindsay Estrada

 RGG approves the request of Ag/FFA, under the direction of Adam Serfass and Amanda Gagne to participate in the PA FFA State Legislative Leadership Conference at the Harrisburg/Hershey Sheraton and State Capital Building on March 15-17, 2020.

Note: The cost to the District will be for a van and a \$140 registration fee for Mr. Serfass. The funds will come from the Ag budget. Students will pay for their own registration fees.

2. RGG approves FBLA Club members, under the direction of Mike Noss and Fran Williams to attend the FBLA State Leadership Conference at Hershey Lodge from Monday, April 6 through Wednesday, April 8, 2020.

Note: The cost to the District will be approximately \$6,500. This trip is for seventeen students who qualified for the competition based on their performance at the regional competition. \$6,000 will be budgeted for this through the scholastic competitions line item. The remaining \$500 will be paid from the FBLA activity account. Students are paying their own registration costs of \$85 each. The club is paying for registration costs for the advisors. The District will pay for transportation costs (two vans).

- 3. RRG Other
- 4. Public Comment

Information Items:

1. RGG approves the following math textbooks to be discarded:

<u>Copyright</u>	<u>ISBN</u>	<u>Publisher</u>	<u>Title</u>	Qty.
2015	9780328808083	Pearson Education	envision Math Gr 3	56
2015	9780328808090	Pearson Education	envision Math Gr 4	55

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### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Conrad Weiser High School Library February 12, 2020 7:00 p.m.

Board Members Francis J. Kaczmarczyk Joshua Speirs

Administrators
William Harrison, Administrative Liaison

1. WSH approves the following Spring extra-curricular athletic positions, personnel and salaries for the 2019-20 school year:

Coach	Sport	Position	Yrs.	Salary
Chad Billingsley	Baseball	Varsity Coach	12	\$3,910.90
Dylan Boll	Baseball	Varsity Asst. Coach	5	\$2,541.24
*Mark Golowski	Baseball	JV Coach	6	\$2,691.41
Chris Morgan	Baseball	JH Coach	3	\$2,117.46
Kenneth Bright	Baseball	Pony Coach	15	\$2,261.26
Jasmine Butterworth	Track	Varsity Coach	5	\$3,579.22
*Emily Rajis	Track	Varsity Asst. Coach	1	\$2,441.10
Friendoll Tucker	Track	Varsity Asst. Coach	2	\$2,439.24
Jeff Werner	Track	Varsity Asst. Coach	1	\$2,441.10
*Avory Cole	Track	Varsity Asst. Coach	-	\$2,391.41
Matt Esser	Track	JH Coach	8	\$2,042.17
Dane Yuengel	Track	JH Coach	6	\$2,042.17
Ryan Knarr	Boys Tennis	Varsity Coach	13	\$2,857.25
Darrell Wenrich	Softball	Varsity Coach	8	\$3,798.30
Brenda Morgan	Softball	Varsity Asst. Coach	9	\$2,750.02
Don Luckenbill	Softball	Varsity Asst. Coach	5	\$1,586.53
Nate Luckenbill	Softball	Varsity Asst. Coach	5	\$1,586.53
Jennifer Potthoff	Softball	JH Coach	4	\$2,177.94
*Dave MacPherson	Softball	Pony Coach	-	\$1,729.96
Kristen Simons	Spring Sports	Manager	7	3,446.05

Note: The salaries reflect a 2% increase in pay for returning personnel and no increase in the experience pay. \* Pending receipt of all required documentation.

2. WSH approves the following lacrosse coaches for the 2019-20 school year:

Brooke Strausser Girls' Lacrosse
Erin Cieniewicz Girls' Lacrosse

Thomas Brown Boys' Lacrosse
Collin Brown Boys' Lacrosse

Note: Salaries are paid by the CW Lacrosse Club.

Ex-Cu 02/12/20 Page 1 of 2 3. WSH approves the following volunteer coaches for the 2019-20 school year:

Baseball Softball

\*Dave McQuate Dan Browne
David Ocepek John Gilmer
Damon Frantz

Boys Lacrosse \*Cora Luckenbill

Tyler Lovenstein

Darryl Geist Track

Holden Geist Marcus Dawkins
Dennis Harman

Girls Lacrosse Ian Butterworth
Megan Mohn Lauren Ressler
Steve Young

Tennis

Dr. Keith Rodgers \*Pending receipt of all required

Kaushik Das documentation.

4. WSH approves the following personnel for contracted services for athletic events for the 2019-20 school year:

Shannon Shearer Eric Rothenberger

- 5. WSH Discussion, re: Lacrosse
- 6. RGG approves the following high school extra-curricular advisor appointments and salaries for the 2019-20 school year:

Advisor	Yrs	Activity	Salary
Melissa Byma	19	Costumes	\$1,082.42
Georgeann Devine	9	Asst. Director	\$1,299.26
Ashley Proietto	5	Choreographer	\$941.19
Greg Mazurek	17	Vocal Director	\$1,652.21
Diana Cook	10	Rehearsal Pianist	\$865.94
Neal Lutz	17	Orchestra Conductor	\$1,135.29
Rod Snyder	3	Set Designer	\$1,353.04
Jessica Alexander	10	Scenic Design	\$1,275.00

Note: These salaries reflect a 2% pay increase. In addition, \$1690.68 was taken from Melissa Gartner's salary and transferred to Jessica Alexander (\$1275) and Ashley Proietto (\$415.68).

7. RGG approves the following staff and extra-curricular personnel for supplementary positions with the high school musical:

Position	Activity	Salary
Nathaniel Epler	Box Office Manager	\$500.00
Jennifer Epler	Fundraising & Marketing	\$500.00
Joe Ciarvella	Technical Supervisor	\$700.00
Jeff Cusano	Technical Director	\$1,275.00
Wanda Moore	Properties Mistress	\$250.00
Karen Matthew	Stage Manager	\$500.00

Note: Funds to pay these stipends will come from the High School Musical Student Activity Account.

- 8. WSH Other
- 9. Public Comment

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### **FACILITIES/PROPERTY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

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Board Members Present
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James Dotzenroth
Gary G. Neider
Francis J. Kaczmarczyk
Joshua Speirs

Administrators Present Eric A Lutz, Administrative Liaison Robin L. Robertson

- 1. EAL Discussion, re: Master Plan Update
- 2. EAL Other
- 3. Public Comment- Naming of Facilities Discussion, Chris Ruoss

### **HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MINUTES**

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1. RAG approves tuition reimbursement for faculty.

(Attachment A-2)

2. RLR approves tuition reimbursement for staff.

(Attachment A-)

3. NCM approves the transfer of Jacqueline Heath, certificated instructional aide to a long-term substitute for Molly Fick, Grade 1 Teacher at West Elementary School, at a daily rate of \$253.28 in accordance with the 2019-2020 salary schedule, effective approximately March 2, 2020 through the end of the 2019-2020 school year.

Note: Should the regular employee return prior to the end of the leave, the long-term employment is terminated.

- RLR approves an uncompensated leave of absence for Kelly Border, part-time special education instructional aide at the middle school, effective February 25, 2020.
- 5. RLR accepts, with regret, an irrevocable letter of retirement from Mary Fisher, special education instructional aide at East Elementary School, at the end of the 2019-20 school year, and approves payment in accordance with the Early Retirement Incentive for Full-Time Support Staff approved by the Board of School Directors on June 1, 2019.
- 6. RGG ratifies and approves Debra Boor, to provide homebound instruction for a senior high student, beginning January 23, 2020, for a period of approximately three months, at \$25.00 per hour, plus mileage, for up to five hours per week.

- 7. RAG approves Nicole C. Moore, West Elementary School Principal, as Coordinator of the K-6 Summer Remediation Program for the summer of 2020, at a stipend of \$1,875.00.
- 8. RAG ratifies and approves the following changes in the salary status of Professional Employees, effective on the first day of the second semester of the 2019-20 school year (January 21, 2020):

Matthew Esser	From M – Step 6 \$56,640	<i>To</i> M+15 – Step 6 \$59,593
Megan Nally	B – Step 4 \$50,481	M – Step 4 \$54,551

9. RLR ratifies and approves the transfer of Kathryn Fegley from parttime (4.5 hours/day) to a full-time (7 hours/day) special education instructional aide at West Elementary School, at her current hourly rate, effective January 27, 2020.

Note: Part-time position converted to full-time position.

- 10. RAG Possible additional approvals on February 19, 2020:
  - SP ED Instructional Aides
  - Principal West Elementary
  - Director of Business and Administrative Services
  - LTS HS Social Studies
- 11. RAG Other
- 12. Public Comment