



BEDFORD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA – JULY 19, 2022
07/19/2022 [06:30 PM] @ BHS Board Conference Room

JULY BOARD BUSINESS MEETING

1. Call to Order.

- A. Pledge to the flag.
- B. Prayer.

2. Roll Call.

3. Adoption of Agenda.

4. Public Comment.

5. Secretary's Report.

- A. Request approval of the Minutes recorded for the Monday, June 13, 2022 Board Work Session, and the Tuesday, June 21, 2022 Board Business Meeting. (See attached).

6. Financial Reports.

- A. Request approval of the official financial reports and to pay the bills for July 2022. (See attached).

7. Unfinished Business.

A. Policies

- 1. Request final approval on the following amended policies for the Board Policy Manual:
 - (a) Policy #213 – Assessment of Student Progress. **(ATTACHMENT #1)**
 - (b) Policy #214 – Class Rank. **(ATTACHMENT #2)**

8. New Business.

A. Personnel.

(1) Request approval of Mrs. Rebecca Stickel, 730 Preston Street, Bedford, PA 15522, as the Administrative Assistant the Superintendent/Board Secretary, at a salary of \$43,000.00, to be placed in the Administrative Support Specialist contract, effective August 8, 2022.

(2) Request approval of Dr. Gary Dawson, Bedford, PA, as Physics Teacher at BHS, on step 17 of the Masters pay scale.

(3) Request approval of Sarah Crites, 3096 Bedford Valley Road, Bedford, PA 15522 as an Instructional Assistant at Bedford Elementary. Mrs. Crites was a former Instructional Assistant at Bedford Elementary in the 18/19 school year. The funding for this position will be Title I and paid at a rate of \$11.50/hr.

(4) Request approval of Sarah Sewalk, 2525 Madley Hollow Road, Buffalo Mills, PA 15534 as an Instructional Assistant at Bedford Elementary. The funding for this position will come from ESSERS and paid at a rate of \$11.35/hr.

(3) Extra Duty/Extra Pay

Bedford Elementary School

(a) Request approval of the attached list of Extra Duty positions. **(ATTACHMENT #3)**

Bedford Middle School

(a) Request approval of the attached list of Extra Duty positions. **(ATTACHMENT #4)**

Bedford Athletics

(a) Request approval of the attached list of coaches for the Fall 2022 season.
(ATTACHMENT #5)

(b) Request approval of the attached list of Game Help for the 2022-2023 school year.
(ATTACHMENT #6)

B. Special Education.

(1) Request approval to contract with Laurel Life to provide transition classrooms, including alternative education programs, special education services, and therapists, at Bedford High School and Bedford Middle School and a therapist at Bedford Elementary. This is a 2 year contract. The cost for 2022/2023 is \$559,692 and 2023/2024 is \$584,850. **(ATTACHMENT #7)**

(2) Request approval of SKILLS of Central PA, Inc. as a provider of special education transition services in accordance with changes at the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, which will pay for those services through the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (2014). **(ATTACHMENT #8)**

(3) Request approval of Career Rehabilitation Building Services LLC as a provider of special education transition services in accordance with changes at the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, which will pay for those services through the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (2014). **(ATTACHMENT #9)**

(4). Request approval to lease two classrooms and group space to the Appalachia Intermediate Unit 8 for a monthly rental fee. **(ATTACHMENT #10)**

(5) Request approval of agreement between Sign Language Specialists of Western PA Inc. (SLSWPA) and the Bedford Area School District, to provide educational interpreting services for the 2022-2023 school year. **(ATTACHMENT #11)**

C. School Physician.

(1) Request approval of Hyndman Area Health Center (HAHC) to be the school physicians and dentists for the Bedford Area School District. **(ATTACHMENT #12)**

D. Americorp.

(1) Request approval of Shannon Lybarger and Abby Replogle to fill the AmeriCorp positions for the 2022-2023 school year. The start date will be August 22, 2022.

E. 21st Century.

(1) Request approval of Natasha Kinsinger and Jody Zimmerman for the After 3 program Coordinators at Bedford Middle School.

(2) Request approval of Brad Lantz, Jenna Foor, Doug Alexander as tutors for the After 3 program at Bedford Middle School.

(3) Request approval of Emily Woflhope and Sherry Kendall as Aides for the After 3 program at Bedford Middle School.

(4) Request approval of Jennifer Harclerode, Meggie Shoemaker, Missy Dague, Alicia Laird, Krista Maola, and Kelly Baker as Substitutes for the After 3 program at Bedford Middle School.

(5) Request approval of Alaina McMullen and Heather Eberhart as the After 3 Site Coordinators at Bedford Elementary. This position will be split Alaina 75% and Heather 25%.

(6) Request approval of Brad May for the Lead Tutor for the After 3 program at Bedford Elementary.

F. Buildings and Grounds

- (1) Request approval for the following Bedford Elementary renovation project change order: E-03 Light fixtures for the elevator pit and elevator machine room - \$735 (**ATTACHMENT #13**)

G. Request approval for the Bedford Area School District to purchase livestock at the Bedford County Fair. (July 31st at 9am)

H. Superintendent's Report.

- (1) Student Board Representatives.

- (2) School Highlights.

9. Other.

10. Adjournment.