

May 14, 2018
Correctionville, Iowa

The River Valley Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, May 14, 2018 at 6:03 p.m. in the High School board room in Correctionville. Present were: Gaylen Goettsch, Kristi Krager and Deb Stevenson. Absent were: Nicole Deeds, Scott Knaack. Visitors: Kristi Harris.

Krist Harris gave information regarding some of the potential new courses for the next school year.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve consent agenda consisting of minutes of April 9, 2018 meeting, financial statements for May 2018 and audit approval of claims. Carried 3-0.

Principal Holtz and Principal Bisenius gave their monthly reports.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to accept resignation from Shantel Mozer as High School Play director. Carried 3-0

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to accept resignation from Shawn Seppala as English teacher and head football coach. Carried 3-0

Motion to approve Taylor Jansen as 1st grade teacher at \$32,692.00. Carried 3-0.

Motion to approve Tanya Mallison as 1st grade teacher at \$32,692. Carried 3-0.

Motion to approve Brittani Watts as High School special education teacher at \$32,692. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to amend contract for Kristi Harris to include six extended contract per diem days to be split as determined by administration and counselor between the beginning of the school year and the end of the school year. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve the following Teacher Leadership Contracts:
HS Literacy Coach - Ryan Brown (\$5000) HS STEM Coach - Kate Goodwin (\$4,000) HS Mentor - Brian Woodford (\$4,000) HS Mentor- Jane Harris (\$4,000) Elem STEM Coach - Jim Bezoni (\$4000) Elem Mentor - Lacy Hanson (\$4,000) Elem Mentor - Melissa Vermeys (\$4,000) HS Tech Integrationist - Teena Dreckman (\$12,000). Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve contract for Chauntell Geary as half- time Elementary Counselor and half time At-risk Counselor at \$38,015. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve Weight Room coach to Brittni Bormann at \$2,500. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve Leslie Gray as Media Assistant at \$8.75. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve Jill Johnson as Elementary secretary at \$13.00. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve donated land in Washta to be used for school purposes such as recess and JV softball games Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve out of state trip for the senior class. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve purchase of school bus to replace the bus that was lost due to an accident. Total cost will be \$100,948.00. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve contract with Donovan Group at \$2,500 per month. This will go from May 15,2018 through May 15, 2019. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to approve a \$.25 raise to all support staff and removal of permissive language from contract and added to employee handbook. Carried 3-0.

At 7:50 Superintendent Slater left the meeting and his evaluation was discussed

Mr. Slater returned to the meeting at 8:00.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to approve the following Administrative contracts:
Amy Lahrs - \$4,050.00; Cindy Dittmer - \$23,900.00; Tania Pry - \$23,322.00; Chuck Knaack - \$37,886.00; Melissa Holtz - \$75,787.00; Adam Bisenius - \$75,787.00; Ken Slater - \$111,030.00 plus 3 more holidays for 10 in all. Carried 3-0.

Motion by Stevenson, second by Krager to accept bid from CPI to install new phone system at the cost of \$41,505.00 Carried 3-0.

Motion by Krager, second by Stevenson to increase graduation credits from 46 to 48. Students now get full credit for band, choir and PE so increase will take that into consideration. Class of 2019 or 2020 will not be affected. Class of 2021 will increase to 47 and class of 2022 will increase to 48. Carried 3-0.

Superintendent Slater gave his report.

The next meeting will be held on June 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.