

**Palmyra R-1 Board of Education
Press Release
12-14-2016**

The regular meeting of the Palmyra R-1 Board of Education was held on Tuesday, December 13, 2016, at 7:30 p.m. in the office of the Board of Education at 1703 S. Main, Palmyra, MO.

Members of the CTA Welfare Committee reported to the board the CTA viewpoints on the hiring of a new superintendent.

The building principals gave their monthly building reports.

The board also heard a report on the school board retreat that was held on Saturday, December 3, 2016. The short, intermediate, and long term goals were reviewed and discussed. The process for interviewing and hiring a superintendent was also discussed.

The board heard a report on the Clarence Cannon Conference Fall Sportsmanship Survey. Overall, Palmyra did very well. Discussion was held on how we can continue to improve our sportsmanship and that of the entire conference.

In old business the board adopted MSBA board policy updates as presented.

In new business the board approved Kinsey Cissna as the district's ELL Coordinator.

The board set PRIDE graduation for Sunday, January 8, 2017, beginning at 3:00 p.m. in the High School gym.

The board approved additions to the substitute teachers list as presented.