

MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING – September 21, 2022 6:00 P.M.

The Board of Education of the Reorganized School District R-III of Clinton County, Missouri met on Wednesday, August 17, 2022 at 7:05 p.m. in the Library of the Middle School, 800 Frost Street, Plattsburg, Missouri. The following were present:

Mark Coulter	President
Keith Carnie	Vice President
Travis Day	Member
Greg Harris	Member
Nick Wade	Member
John Thiessen	Member
Sandy Goad	Secretary

Also present: Dr. Sandy Steggall, Superintendent; Dr. Rachel Turner; Brandon Burns; Angie Courtney; Gary Murphy; Kemper Kellerstrass; Andy Hall; Sara Rush; Lisa Kirk and Lauren Boswell

ACTION I: Keith Carnie moved that the Agenda be approved. John Thiessen seconded the motion. Vote: 6-0.

ACTION II: Keith Carnie moved to approve the Consent Agenda, consisting of Items A through E:

- A. Approve Minutes of August 17, 2022 Regular Meeting
- B/ Approve New Substitutes
- C. Approve September Bills
- D. Approve Transfer of Funds from Fund I to Fund II to Cover Deficit in Fund II
- E. Approve Holding Closed Session Meeting at Next Regular Meeting Or any Special Session held prior to the Next Regular Meeting Pursuant to 610.021 RSMo., Subsections 1, 2, 3, 6, 13, and 14

The motion was seconded by John Thiessen. Vote: 6-0.

Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Greg Harris.

Public Comment

No one wished to speak.

Superintendent's Report

Financial Report

Dr. Steggall reviewed the revenue and expenses for the month of July 2022. Financial information was included in the board packet.

Start of School Update

Dr. Steggall stated that the school year is off to a good start. She stated that the first PD day had been on Monday. She updated the board on the school safety presentation by the city that had

taken place on Monday afternoon.

Strategic Plan / CSIP

Dr. Steggall stated she will be attending training and then will have round table discussions to update the plan. She stated the current plan had been put in place prior to COVID.

Building / Department Updates (Ellis, CCMS, PHS, Special Education, Athletics/Activities, Technology)

Dr. Turner stated there were 346 enrolled at Ellis. She also reported that there had been 250+ grandparents at the grandparents' day at Ellis. Dr. Turner stated that they will be bringing back family lunch day and volunteers to the elementary. She reviewed standard based grading and reviewed what midterms will look like for the elementary. Dr. Turner states that the counselor is working on a bullying task force.

Mrs. Courtney reviewed attendance at the middle school. She then reviewed building goals within the middle school for teachers as well as for students. Mrs. Courtney reviewed the growth of middle school students in various areas.

Mr. Burns stated there were 182 enrolled at the high school. He reviewed goals for the building as a whole. Mr. Burns reviewed the plan for his 1st year as high school principal. He reported that it is currently Homecoming week and encouraged everyone to attend the game on Friday.

Mr. Kellerstrass stated that senior banners were installed on the fence toward the entrance to the stadium. He reported that new signs had been purchased for sports. Mr. Kellerstrass stated there had been good participation for Homecoming Spirit Week. He then reviewed the eligibility list as of the previous week and only had 3 ineligible. Mr. Kellerstrass reviewed an athletic training financial report and explained the amount of cost savings involved. He stated that the coaching staff is currently filled. Mr. Kellerstrass then reviewed wins/losses of current sports teams within the district.

Mr. Murphy stated that the number of students within Special Education are steady. He stated though that the needs of the students are up. Mr. Murphy reviewed the number of students in each building and stated there are various students with learning disabilities, autism, and speech issues. He thanked the paras for the difficult work they do.

Andy Hall reviewed his plan for his 1st year as technology director. He discussed erate funding and his work with admin to have presentable data for use.

Title Services Update

Dr. Turner introduced the Title teachers. She explained that the district receives monies to pay for the salary and benefits of the Title teachers. She reviewed the program and then turned the meeting over to the 3 title teachers.

Lisa Kirk reviewed the Title Reading program. Sara Rush also reviewed information on the Title Reading program. Lauren Bowell, Title Math, reviewed the makings of the Title Math program at the elementary.

Food Service Update

Mrs. Courtney reviewed the new food service company. She had pictures of food from the cafeteria to share with the board. Mr. Courtney stated that more staff are eating lunch. She stated the employees of Aramark have been easy to work with. Mrs. Courtney stated that 35% of district students qualify for Free & Reduced. She reviewed the giveaway being done to get people to fill out Free & Reduced forms. Discussion took place regarding food service.

Transportation Update

Dr. Steggall stated it's been tough for hiring driver's and some routes have been combined. She stated so far things are running smoothly. Dr. Steggall stated she set up each bus as a separate group on ParentSquare so the notifications are more directed. Mr. Kellerstrass stated he hasn't had any issues with transportation and that it is better than last year.

NEW BUSINESSMSBA Conference November 3-5, 2022

Dr. Steggall stated since the conference was in KC maybe a group would want to attend.

Career Ladder

Dr. Steggall stated that DESE released Career Ladder funding. She stated that CCR3 hasn't participated in that type of program since 2010. She stated that it is a State influx of one time money and is a 60/40 split career ladder program. Dr. Steggall reviewed the levels, dollars and make up of the plan. She reviewed that there would be \$81,400 in district cost. Dr. Steggall reviewed various other plan makeup and options. She then reviewed that there is pay for tutoring and extra contract days available. Dr. Steggall stated that she had visited all 3 buildings Monday and reviewed the program. She stated she feels the district money would be better spent on salaries and that as a district we wouldn't opt in for the program.

ACTION IX: Keith Carnie moved to go into Closed Session. John Thiessen seconded the motion.

Aye: Coulter, Day, Wade, Harris. Carnie, Thiessen

Nay: n/a

Vote: 6-0


 MARK COULTER, PRESIDENT


 SANDY GOETZ, SECRETARY

APPROVED: October 19, 2022