

**EAST WASHINGTON SCHOOL CORPORATION – SCHOOL BOARD NOTES  
JULY 13, 2016**

**EAST WASHINGTON SCHOOL CORPORATION  
Public Hearing/Regular Board Meeting Minutes – July 13, 2016**

**Members Present**

Theresa Gottbrath, President  
Linda McClellan, Secretary  
Hector Nale, Member

**Members Absent**

Sue Jane Miller, Member  
David Churchman, Vice President

**Guests**

**NEWS MEDIA:**

**NEWSPAPER**

Salem Leader, Kate Wehlann

**OFFICIAL GUESTS:**

Mrs. Donna Campbell, Secretary

**UNOFFICIAL GUESTS:**

Kendra Floyd  
Jeff Clem  
Linda Wineinger  
Marcia Smith  
Jodi Cole

**Pledge of Allegiance**

President Theresa Gottbrath led the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence was observed. President Theresa Gottbrath called the public hearing to order at 6:30 p.m.

**PUBLIC HEARING OF PROPOSED SUPERINTENDENT CONTRACT**

President Theresa Gottbrath led a PowerPoint presentation about the proposed new Superintendent, Mr. Dennis Stockdale, as well as the terms of the proposed contract. President Gottbrath also explained the details of the hiring process. Questions were received and answered concerning Mr. Stockdale's teaching experience, accomplishments, family, and plans for East Washington School Corp. Hector Nale stated the Mr. Stockdale's initial focus would be to create financial stability for East Washington School Corporation. President Gottbrath added that Mr. Stockdale believes that "not every kid learns the same way." His personal mission statement is "Working hard every day to create opportunities for kids."

Questions were also received and answered concerning the details of the proposed contract. There was no opposition to the proposed contract.

## Adjournment

The public hearing was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Motion: Hector Nale

Seconded: Linda McClellan

## REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

President Theresa Gottbrath called the regular meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

### Business

#### **A. Approval of Minutes and Executive Sessions**

Board did meet in Executive Session for discussion of strategy for the following reason(s):  
To receive information about and interview prospective employees in accordance with I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(5) at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 9, 2016.

Board did meet in Executive Session for discussion of strategy for the following reason(s):  
To receive information about and interview prospective employees in accordance with I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(5) at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 18, 2016.

The minutes of the Regular Meeting of Tuesday, June 14, 2016 were approved with any additions, corrections, or deletions as recommended by the Board.

Motion: Hector Nale

Seconded: Linda McClellan

Vote: 3-0

#### **B. Vendor Claims/Payroll Claims**

It was recommended that the Board approve Vendor Claims # 9171 to and including # 9237 and Direct Deposit Advices # 45453 to and including # 45760.

Motion: Linda McClellan

Seconded: Hector Nale

Vote: 3-0

### C. Monthly Financial Reports

The monthly Financial Reports were presented to the Board. The Board approved the monthly Financial Reports as presented.

Motion: Hector Nale  
Seconded: Linda McClellan  
Vote: 3-0

### D. Annual Financial Report

The 2015 Annual Financial Report will be published in both the Leader and Democrat between August 1 and August 15.

It was recommended that the Board accept the 2015 Annual Financial Report as submitted.

Motion: Hector Nale  
Seconded: Linda McClellan  
Vote: 3-0

### E. Approval of 2016-17 fundraising request

It was recommended that the Board approve the school-based fund raiser request for the 2016-17 school year as submitted by Darin Farris, HS Principal.

After due consideration, the same was approved.

Motion: Hector Nale  
Seconded: Linda McClellan  
Vote: 3-0

## Personnel

### A. Approval of Personnel Changes

It was recommended that the Board approve the personnel changes as outlined:

#### **EMPLOYMENT OF STAFF**

##### Certified

- ✓ Mrs. Esaray, ES Principal, recommends Amanda Hicks as a 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher.

##### Extra-Curricular

- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Brandon Doebler as 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball Coach.

- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Jenna Jones as 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Cheerleader Sponsor.
- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Violet Lumley as 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball Coach.
- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Samantha Bradbury as 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball Coach.
- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Brad Bastian as MS Boys Tennis Coach.
- ✓ Ms. Sater, MS Principal, recommends Leah Starrett as MS Girls Tennis Coach.
- ✓ Mr. Farris, HS Principal, recommends Mike Pelayo as a Volunteer Varsity Football Assistant Coach.

#### **Resignation(s) after June 30, 2016**

- ✓ Recommend accepting the resignation letter submitted by Daria Terrell as ES PE Teacher.
- ✓ Recommend accepting the resignation letter submitted by Christine Allred as HS Counselor.

#### **POINT OF INFORMATION**

##### **Resignation(s)**

###### **Certified**

- ✓ Mr. Darnell, Superintendent, accepted the resignation letter submitted by Jeramy Powers as HS Science Teacher.

###### **Extra-Curricular**

- ✓ Mr. Darnell, Superintendent, accepted the resignation letter submitted by Jeramy Powers as HS Band Assistant.

##### **Transfers**

- ✓ Mr. Farris, HS Principal, would like to recommend transferring Jennifer Olesh from MS Science Teacher to HS Science Teacher for 2016/17.
- ✓ Mrs. Esarey, ES Principal would like to recommend transferring Leah Starrett from 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher to Elementary Physical Education Teacher

After due consideration, the same was approved.

Motion: Linda McClellan

Seconded: Hector Nale

Vote: 3-0

#### **B. Approval of Updates to 2016-17 Classified Employee Handbook**

It was recommended that the Board approve the 2016-17 Classified Employee Handbook as submitted.

After due consideration, the same was approved.

Motion: Linda McClellan  
Seconded: Hector Nale  
Vote: 3-0

**Items by the Board/Late Items**

None

**Public Comments**

None

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 p.m. The next School Board Meeting is Monday, July 25, 2016 at 6:30 p.m.

Motion: Hector Nale  
Seconded: Linda McClellan  
Vote: 3-0

