

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of

St. Marys City School District

Meeting

Held

April 14, 2009

7:30 P.M.

The St. Marys City Board of Education met in regular session at the City of St. Marys Council Chambers with the following Board Members present: Ralph Wiley, Eric Langsdon, Rees McKee, Craig Gottschalk, and Lisa Tobin. Also present were Kent Schlegel, Bob Valentine, Sandy Matthews, Aaron Braun, Carol Brown, Sandy Dove, Judy Weng, Mr. Torsell, Bill Cheslock, Sue Zink, Kimberley Rompilla, Angie Weaver, Janie Southard, and several other members of the community who failed to sign in; Mike Makley, Dave Lewis, Joe Blin, Doretta Nale, Ken Neff, Lisa Elson, Sue Sherman, Dan Grothouse, Bill Steinbrunner, Kurt Kuffner, Mary Riepenhoff and Tom Sommer. The Board of Education meeting was videotaped by Connie Schroer of Angle View Images.

The meeting was called to order by Ralph Wiley, Board President, who then led the audience with the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVE MINUTES OF THE MARCH 11, 2009 REGULAR MEETING, THE APRIL 8, 2009 SPECIAL MEETING, THE INVESTMENT REPORTS, THE STUDENT ACTIVITY AND FINANCIAL REPORTS, AND BILLS PAID. – On a motion by Langsdon, seconded by McKee, the above listed items were approved.

VOTE: Langsdon, yes; McKee, yes ; Gottschalk, yes; Tobin, yes; Wiley, yes

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Chad Stevers from Gilbane Building Company was present to update the Board on the Ohio School Facilities Commission building project currently underway in the District. Mr. Stevers noted that the project received favorable bids and the building project is progressing on schedule.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – Bill Kellermeyer inquired about an architectural rendering of the existing high school site after demolition. He was assured that at this point in time that it is just a rendering and that no decisions have been made with respect to the current site and/or athletic facilities.

Mr. Torsell inquired about whether or not any decisions have been made with respect to a location for administrative offices, and if the existing high school building has been considered as a viable option for offices, rather than building a new building. Again, the audience was assured that no decisions have been made concerning this issue.

Mr. Dan Roop spoke concerning the head boys basketball coaching position; he relayed concerns about the direction in which the basketball program is heading.

Mr. Bob Valentine expressed his concern over the proposed “Pay It Forward” program currently planned for Thursday, April 30. He did not feel that such a program should be held during a regularly scheduled school day. He felt that it was not a good use of tax payer dollars. Ms. Kimberly Rompilla spoke out in favor of the program and explained the tremendous amount of planning that has been put into the program. Several others from the audience spoke both in favor of, and against the scheduled activities.

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ITEMS RELATED TO PERSONNEL – On a motion by McKee, seconded by Langsdon, the following items related to personnel were approved.

2008-2009 School Year

Retirements - Certified

Kim Strickland	Art, Memorial (35 years)
Sharon Lhamon	Reading/Math, McBroom (27 years)
Dennis Pfeffenberger	Physical Education, East/Memorial (17 years)

Retirements - Classified

Alice Fischer	Cook, East (30 years)
Joyce Greenawalt	Cook, East (30 years)
Ruth Shreffler	Assistant School Nurse (7 years)

Resignations - Supplemental (Certified)

Doug Frye	Head Varsity Football Coach
Doug Frye	Head Weight Training
Tim Niekamp	Head Girls Basketball Coach
John Meinerding	8 th Grade Boys Basketball Coach
David Lewis	MHS Student Council Advisor
Mike Kiehl	Junior Class Advisor
Mike Kiehl	Prom Advisor
Kris Schmitmeyer	8 th Grade Power of the Pen
Kathy Sites	Prom Assistant
Chad Doll	Social Studies Department Head

Appointment - Certified

Kathy Frankenberg	Substitute Teacher
Laura Linn	Substitute Teacher

Appointment - Classified

Mindy Thiebeau	Clerical Aide - regular contract (completed 90-day probationary period)**
Marty Goens	Sub Van Driver, eff. 3/30/09

**Part-time hours as assigned by superintendent

Appointments - Supplemental

Laura Mack	SADD***
Heather Wuebker	FEA***

Appointments - Hourly

Dane Newlove	Elementary Summer Instrumental Music
Becky Anderson	Elementary Summer Instrumental Music
Emily Schaaf	Elementary Summer Instrumental Music

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Jean Smith	Elementary Summer Instrumental Music
Bill Ruane	Summer PE
Shane Snyder	Summer PE
Mark Huber	Summer Health
Ronda Shelby	Summer Speech
Andrew Klosterman	State Mandated Test Tutors
Bill Ruane	State Mandated Test Tutors
Scott Schulte	State Mandated Test Tutors
Ronda Shelby	State Mandated Test Tutors
Shawn Fischbach	State Mandated Test Tutors
Kristi Frye	State Mandated Test Tutors, eff. 2/23/09

Appointments - Supplemental (noncertificated)

WHEREAS, the St. Marys City School District Board of Education offered the following positions to the employees of this district who have certificates of the type described in Section 3319.22 of the Ohio Revised Code and no such employee qualified to fill the positions applied for and accepted the positions when they were posted; and

WHEREAS, the positions were advertised by public posting to any individual with a certificate who was qualified to fill it and who was not employed by the Board and no such person applied for and accepted the positions when they were posted:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education continues the employment of the following personnel as coaches or advisors of the following pupil activity programs under Section 3313.53 of the Revised Code:

Scott Ross	Co-Boys Bowling (2/3)***
Karl Dammeyer	Co-Boys Bowling(1/3)***
Carl Keysor	Head Girls Bowling***
Josh Hughes	Assistant Band Director***

***Retroactive due to new supplemental salary schedule

2009-10 School Year

Nonrenewals - Certified (Pending funding or need for 2009-2010)

Candice Dicke	Home Instruction Tutor
Lisa Seeger	GRADS
Ruth Ann Woesner	ESL Tutor
Shawn Fischbach	2008-2009 Permanent Substitute Teacher
Sandra Henkener	ABLE Director/Coordinator
Sandra Henkener	ABLE Teacher
Pat Beams	ABLE Teacher
Mary Eyink	ABLE Teacher
James Fast	ABLE Teacher
Candice Dicke	ABLE Teacher

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Nonrenewals - Classified (Pending funding or need for 2009-2010)

Dixie Russell	Bus Aide
Susan Deitsch	ABLE Educational Aide
Susan Dodson	ABLE Educational Aide

Appointments- Certified

Two-Year Limited Contracts - Administrative (effective 8/1/10)

Lisa Elson	Kyle Menchhofer	Kurt Kuffner
Dan Grothause	Nathan Overley	Donna Kentner
William Steinbrunner	Robin Laman	

Two-Year Limited Contracts - Teaching

Kevin Jacobs	Mark Klaus	Heidi Lisi
Laura Mack	Lydia Breneman	Karen Newlove
Amy Schulte	Aundrea Good	

One-Year Limited Contracts - Teaching

Jonathon Beougher	Emily Klausung	Melinda Lisi
Anne Maag	Brittany Martz	John Meinerding
Sarah Regedanz	Megan Schroeder	Tami Golliday
Samuel Hinker	Andrew Klosterman	Amy Knapke
Bruce Renner	Sheri Schlosser	

Two-Year Limited Contracts - Part-time Teaching**

Linda Schloemer

One-Year Limited Contracts - Part-time Teaching**

Becky Pape (Grade 2, West)
Emily Schaaf (Music, McBroom/East)
Amanda Gross (Grade 2, West)
Brandi Fleckenstein (Intervention, East)
Robert Howard (English, Memorial)
Barbara Rhinehart (Psychologist Assistant, District)
Annett Kuck (GED examiner)
Allen Meinerding (Alternate GED examiner)
Hallie Craven (Academy Program social studies)
Jane Kuhn (Academy Program English)

**Hours as assigned by the Superintendent

Appointments - Classified

David Huber	Academy Program
Sheryl Keighley	Assistant School Nurse**
Robert Beams	Technology Assistant**

**Part time; hours as assigned by the Superintendent

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Brice Brenneman	Girls Tennis
Paul Sadler	Head Boys Basketball
Tony Arling	JV Boys Basketball
Bruce Renner	8 th Grade Boys Basketball
Elizabeth Lampert	Varsity Assistant Cross Country
Kathy Sites	Middle School Head Cross Country
Tricia Naseman	Head Volleyball
Amy Knapke	JV Volleyball
Larry Gruber	Head Wrestling
Shane Patterson	JV Wrestling
Chris Schlater	Co-Swimming
Newt Triplett	Event Manager
Dane Newlove	Summer Band Duties Director
Dane Newlove	Supplemental Band Duties Director
Becky Anderson	Summer Band Duties, Associate Director
Becky Anderson	Supplemental Band Duties, Associate
Emily Schaaf	Summer Band Duties, Assistant Director
Emily Schaaf	Supplemental Band Duties, Assistant Director
Ashlie Rowen	Majorette Advisor
Kelly Jay	High School Newspaper Advisor
Brittany Martz	7 th Grade Power of the Pen
Tami Golliday	Science Club
Jaime Hemmelgarn	Spanish Club
Michael Kiehl	Advanced Placement Testing Coordinator
Robert Sheets	Co-Science Dept. Head
Heather Wuebker	Co-Science Dept. Head
Michael Kiehl	Math Dept. Head
Tim Niekamp	English Dept. Head
Dane Newlove	Grade 6-12 Performing Arts Dept. Head
Jane Moheyer	Show Choir
Jane Moheyer	Supplemental Choir Duties, Director
Larry Gruber	Freshman Class Advisor
Andy Klosterman	Sophomore Class Advisor
Mike Jay	Senior Class Advisor
Janet Nelson	Skills USA Advisor
Julie Hollman	Co-Head Cheerleading
Chris Kuenning	Co-Head Cheerleading
Kristi Frye	Co-Pep Club
Amy Schulte	Co-Pep Club
Anne Maag	Thespians
Tracy Anderson	Yearbook
Chad Doll	High School Scholastic Team
Chad Doll	Middle School Scholastic Team
Robert Howard	Co-Assistant Scholastic Team
Sara Homan	Co-Assistant Scholastic Team
Andy Klosterman	Electronics Communications (MTV)

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Chris Kuenning	Co-Cheer Assistant
Julie Hollman	Co-Cheer Assistant
Heather Wuebker	FEA
Laura Mack	SADD
Sheri Schlosser	Middle School Student Council

Appointments - Hourly

Tami Golliday	Saturday School
Cindy Wilker	Saturday School
Kristi Frye	Saturday School
Laura Mack	Saturday School
Amy Schulte	Saturday School
Heather Wuebker	Saturday School
Tracy Anderson	Saturday School
Mary Topp	Saturday School
Carol Katter	Saturday School
Linda Grothouse	Saturday School
Jane Brigham	Saturday School
Jill Collins	Saturday School
Karen Lehmkuhl	Saturday School
Kristy Gear	Saturday School
Sherril Lauth	Saturday School
Polly Ruedebusch	Saturday School
Kerri Rohr	Saturday School
Bill Steinbrunner	Local Professional Development Committee
Mary Miller	Local Professional Development Committee
Andy Klosterman	9 th Period Monitor
Laura Mack	9 th Period Monitor
Michelle Clune	9 th Period Monitor
Cindy Wilker	9 th Period Monitor
Monica VanderHorst	9 th Period Monitor
Heather Wuebker	9 th Period Monitor
Kristi Frye	9 th Period Monitor
Tracy Anderson	9 th Period Monitor

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Scott Weber	Assistant Girls Soccer
Zach Hertenstein	Head Boys Soccer
Steve Brown	Co-Assistant Boys Soccer
Josh Lisi	Varsity Assistant Boys Basketball
Jason Clark	Freshman Boys Basketball
Tom Walter	Freshman Volleyball
Kimberli Rompilla	8 th Grade Volleyball (3/4)
Melissa Vermillion	8 th Grade Volleyball (1/4)
Melissa Vermillion	7 th Grade Volleyball (1/4)
Jeff Fortman	7 th Grade Wrestling
Scott Cisco	8 th Grade Wrestling
Robert Cisco	Head Varsity Cross Country
Dominic Guarnieri	Head Golf
Justin Hiskey	Co-Swimming
Scott Ross	Co-Head Boys Bowling (2/3)
Karl Dammeyer	Co-Head Boys Bowling (1/3)
Carl Keysor	Co-Head Girls Bowling (2/3)
Josh Hughes	Marching Band Asst. Director
Sue Zink	National Honor Society
Dave Huber	Career Education Coordinator
Terri Maze	Substitute Caller

VOTE: McKee, yes; Langsdon, yes; Wiley, yes; Tobin, yes; Gottschalk, yes.

48-09

CONTINUING CONTRACT – On a motion by Tobin, seconded by Wiley, the Board approved the following teachers for continuing contracts: Rob Deubler, Stacy Regedanz, Heather Wuebker, Deborah Hinckley and April Braun.

VOTE: Tobin, yes; Wiley, yes; Langsdon, yes; McKee, abstain; Gottschalk, abstain

49-09

HONOR SENIORS – On a motion by Langsdon, seconded Gottschalk, the Board approved the recommendation of Mr. Makley that the following students be designated as Honor Seniors as a result of maintaining a 9.0 (3.5) or better grade point average through seven semesters of work:

Eric Anderson	Lindsey Briggs	Megan Bruggeman
Ashley Bulp	Kara Cheslock	Carla Cooper
Aaron Craft	Meredith Dodds	Andrew Durkee
Amy Ellis	Justin Felver	Joshua Fenwick
Brianna Freed	Kelly Fritz	Jessica Grice
Kristin Grice	Whitney Hagan	Katie Heitkamp
Victoria Hile	Alicia Imber	Adam Kuffner
David Long	Tyler Menker	Chelsea Moore

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OHIO MEDICAID SCHOOL PROGRAM/COMPREHENSIVE MEDICAID BILLING SERVICE AGREEMENT – On a motion by Langsdon, seconded by Wiley, the Board approved an agreement between Healthcare Billing Services and St. Marys City Schools as presented.

VOTE: Langsdon, yes; Wiley, yes; McKee, yes; Tobin, yes; Gottschalk, yes

56-09

TWO YEAR CONTRACT WITH AUDITOR OF STATE – On a motion by Gottschalk, seconded by Tobin, the Board authorized the renewal of a contract with the Auditor of State's Local Government Services Division for technical assistance in preparing the OCBOA presentation of the District's Financial Statements for Fiscal Years 2009 and 2010. The total cost is not anticipated to exceed \$2,400 for each fiscal year. The Auditor of State's Office has been providing this service to the District for a number of years and it is a very valuable service to the Treasurer's Office.

VOTE: Gottschalk, yes; Tobin, yes; McKee, yes; Langsdon, yes; Wiley, yes

57-09

TEXTBOOK ADOPTIONS – On a motion by Gottschalk, seconded by Langsdon, the Board adopted the following textbooks: Harcourt Storytown reading series for grades K-6 (@ \$203,000) Glencoe Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Advanced Math Concepts-Pre-Calculus, and Calculus: Early Transcendental Functions for grades 9-12 math courses (@ \$43,000).

VOTE: Gottschalk, yes; Langsdon, yes; Wiley, yes; McKee, yes; Tobin, yes;

58-09

INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION – Reports were presented to the Board by the following individuals: Mary Riepenhoff, Superintendent; Bill Steinbrunner, Director of Instruction, Kurt Kuffner, Business Manager, Doretta Nale, Director of Special Education, Dan Grothouse, Director of Transportation; Joe Blin, Athletic Director, and the Building Principals – Mike Makley, Ken Neff, Lisa Elson and Sue Sherman.

ADJOURNMENT - At 9:15 PM, on a motion by Gottschalk, seconded by McKee, there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

VOTE: Gottschalk, yes; McKee, yes; Tobin, yes; Langsdon, yes; Wiley, yes

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Treasurer

President