

May 24, 2021

The Jasper City Board of Education met on May 24, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. at the Jasper High School – Pam Brown Theater. Members present were Chairperson Willie Moore, Vice-Chairperson Walker Wilson, Scott Thornley, Mary Beth Barber, and Teresa Sherer (joined at the beginning of the Superintendent’s Report). Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson was also in attendance.

Chairperson Willie Moore called the meeting to order with the first item to be approved being the agenda. A motion to approve the agenda was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Walker Wilson, and the motion carried.

A motion to approve the minutes of the April 26, 2021 and May 13, 2021 board meetings was given by Walker Wilson and a second by Scott Thornley. The motion carried.

The Superintendent recommended adoption of a motion to approve the following personnel actions:

RESIGNATIONS

1. Approve the resignation of Cristin Elliott as 3rd grade teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective May 27, 2021.
2. Approve the resignation of Rebecca Good, assistant principal at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
3. Approve the resignation of Brittany Palmer, special education teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
4. Approve the resignation of Meaghan Denson, 4th grade teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
5. Approve the resignation of Amy Cartmell as 7th grade inclusion special education teacher at Jasper Jr. High School, effective May 27, 2021.
6. Approve the resignation of Lukador Lanier, physical education teacher at Jasper High School, effective May 27, 2021.

NON-RENEWALS

7. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Maurice Belser as physical education teacher at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective May 27, 2021.
8. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Bailey Brook as kindergarten teacher at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective May 27, 2021.
9. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of McKenzie Maury as kindergarten teacher at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective May 27, 2021.
10. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Kayla Hoobler as general aide (one year position only) at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective May 27, 2021.

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11. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Lindsey Welch as 5th grade teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
12. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Courtney Curtis as general aide (one year position only) at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
13. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Angela Sasser as interventionist (one year part time position only) at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 27, 2021.
14. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Hayley Lockhart as general aide (one year position only) at Jasper High School, effective May 27, 2021.
15. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Breanna Marbury as general aide (one year position only) at Jasper High School, effective May 27, 2021.
16. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Darlene Moore as general aide (one year position only) at Jasper Jr. High School, effective May 27, 2021.
17. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Abbie Day as general aide (one year position only) at Jasper High School, effective May 27, 2021.
18. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Elvira Garduno-Barrera as general aide (one year position only) for the District, effective May 27, 2021.
19. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Jacob Lawrence as social worker (one year position only) for the District, effective May 27, 2021.
20. Approve the non-renew/termination of employment of Ginger Mitchell as mental health coordinator (one year position only) for the District, effective May 27, 2021.

TRANSFERS

21. Approve the employment transfer of ReNae Morgan from special education teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School to special education instructional coach for the District, effective August 5, 2021. *Term of this placement is GRANT DEPENDENT.
22. Approve the employment transfer of Katie Oliver from 2nd grade teacher to instructional coach at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.
*Term of this placement is GRANT DEPENDENT.
23. Approve the employment transfer of Joy Kelley from general aide at Memorial Park School to general aide at Maddox Intermediate School, effective August 10, 2021.
24. Approve the employment transfer of Jordan McLain from 4th grade teacher to 5th grade social studies/science teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective August 5, 2021.

25. Approve the employment transfer of Amy Stracner from 8th grade pre-algebra math teacher to interventionist at Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 5, 2021.
*Term of this placement is GRANT DEPENDENT.
26. Approve the employment transfer of Stewart Ochs from 7th grade math teacher to 8th grade pre-algebra math teacher at Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 5, 2021.
27. Approve the employment transfer of Amanda Owens from self-contained special education teacher to 7th grade inclusion special education teacher.
28. Approve the employment transfer of Blake Laney from physical education teacher at Jasper Jr. High School to physical education teacher at Jasper High School, effective August 5, 2021.
29. Approve the employment transfer of Ryan White from physical education teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School to physical education teacher at Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 5, 2021.
30. Approve the employment transfer of Cindy Walton from English teacher to instructional coach at Jasper High School, effective August 5, 2021. *Term of this placement is GRANT DEPENDENT.
31. Approve the employment transfer of Destiny Vice from math teacher to interventionist at Jasper High School, effective August 5, 2021. *Term of this placement is GRANT DEPENDENT.
32. Approve the employment transfer of Scarlett Braddock from 2nd grade teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School to Library Media Specialist at Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 5, 2021.

EMPLOYMENT

33. Approve the employment of Mallory Hicks as kindergarten teacher at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.
34. Approve the employment of Brooke Sawyer as kindergarten teacher at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.
35. Approve the employment of Morganne Vann as special education teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.
36. Approve the employment of Amy Smothers as 3rd grade teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.
37. Approve the employment of Shauna Whittemore as 2nd grade teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 5, 2021.

38. Approve the employment of Linda Henderson as custodian helper II at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective May 25, 2021.
39. Approve the employment of Kayse Courington as 4th grade teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective August 5, 2021.
40. Approve the employment of Rachel McCrary as 7th grade math/8th grade computer science teacher at Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 5, 2021.
41. Approve the employment of Emily Wilson as math teacher at Jasper High School, effective August 5, 2021.
42. Approve the employment of Eric Phillips as bus driver for the District, effective August 10, 2021. Note: This is in addition to his current teacher employment assignment.
43. Approve the employment of Darlene Moore as custodian helper II at Jasper High School, effective June 2, 2021.
44. Approve the employment of Bryan Vann as custodian helper II at Jasper High School, effective May 25, 2021.
45. Approve the employment of Jacob Lawrence as social worker for the District, effective August 10, 2021; *Term of employment is GRANT DEPENDENT.
46. Approve the employment of Ginger Mitchell as mental health coordinator for the District, effective date to be determined. *Term of employment is GRANT DEPENDENT.

A motion to approve the personnel report was made by Scott Thornley, a second by Walker Wilson, and the motion carried.

Superintendent Dr. Jackson and Assistant Superintendent Mrs. Pilling recognized the following organizations/individuals for their State/National Level Accomplishments:
JHS Band, JJHS Band, JHS Cheerleader, JHS Golf Individual.

Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the overnight and/or out-of-state trip requests as follows:

- JHS JROTC
June 11-14; Cadet Leadership Challenge – Columbiana, AL
- JHS FBLA
July 14-16; Leadership Retreat – Camp McDowell, AL

A motion to approve the overnight and/or out-of-state trip requests as amended was made by Walker Wilson, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

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Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the Walker High School Emergency Roof Repair. A motion to approve the WHS Emergency Roof Repair was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Scott Thornley, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the Jasper City Schools Credit Recovery Plan. A motion to approve the Jasper City Schools Credit Recovery Plan was made by Scott Thornley, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve Budget Amendment #2. A motion to approve Budget Amendment #2 was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson advised floor open for nominations of Board Officers for the 2021-2022 school year. Scott Thornley nominated Willie Moore as Chairperson, a second was given by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried. Mr. Scott Thornley nominated Walker Wilson as Vice-Chairperson, a second was given by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson called upon Chief School Financial Officer, Monique Rector, to present the financial reports and bank reconciliations as follows:

- April 2021:
 - The General Fund had an ending balance of \$14,593,404.14.
 - The Special Revenue Fund had an ending balance of \$907,694.50.
 - The Capital Projects Fund had an ending balance of \$6,866,772.89.
 - All school bank accounts balanced without issues. A check register report was also given outlining checks paid from April 1, 2021 to April 30, 2021.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve April 2021 financial reports and bank reconciliations as presented. A motion to approve the April 2021 financial reports and bank reconciliations was given by Scott Thornley, a second by Walker Wilson, and the motion carried.

Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the principal contract for Lutis Moore. A motion to approve the principal contract for Lutis Moore was made by Walker Wilson, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson commended all of JCS faculties/staff for having such a successful school year. Mrs. Mary Beth Barber, on behalf of the Board, thanked and commended Dr. Jackson as well.

With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned.