

## **October 25, 2021**

The Jasper City Board of Education met on October 25, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. at the Jasper High School Theater. Members present were Walker Wilson, Scott Thornley, Teresa Sherer, and Mary Beth Barber. Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson was also in attendance. Willie Moore was absent.

Vice-Chairperson Walker Wilson called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. with the first item to be approved being the agenda. Dr. Jackson advised of an amendment to the agenda being on page 54 to remove the current item number 2. A motion to approve the agenda as amended was made by Scott Thornley and a second by Mary Beth Barber. The motion carried.

Dr. Ann Jackson called upon Schneider Electric representatives, Todd Smith and Kyle Keith, for a presentation of the proposed services contract amendment.

Superintendent Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to the Schneider Electric Services Contract Amendment I. Scott Thornley made a motion to approve the Schneider Electric Services Contract Amendment I, pending legal counsel review and approval. A second was made by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

A motion to approve the minutes of the September 27, 2021 and October 14, 2021 board meetings was given by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

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

### **EMPLOYMENT**

1. Approve the employment of DeLesia Morrow Williams as 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective October 26, 2021.
2. Approve the employment of Heather Sanderson as general aide (nurse) at Memorial Park Elementary, effective October 26, 2021. \*Term of employment is grant dependent, one year only.
3. Approve the employment of Jessica Gurganus as general aide (nurse) at Maddox Intermediate, effective October 26, 2021. \*Term of employment is grant dependent, one year only.

### **TRANSFERS**

4. Approve the employment transfer of Grant Addison from career prep teacher to alternative school teacher at Jasper High School, effective October 26, 2021.
5. Approve the employment transfer of James Shuskey from alternative school teacher to career prep teacher at Jasper High School, effective October 26, 2021.

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NOTIFICATION

- Rueben Tackett, system network administrator/technical support specialist for the District, requested a FMLA leave of absence from October 20, 2021 – November 28, 2021.
- Joy Kelley, general aide at Maddox Intermediate School, requested a FMLA leave of absence from October 21, 2021 – December 17, 2021.
- Lindsey Appling, special education teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, requested a FMLA leave of absence from approximately February/March 2022 – May 26, 2022.

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

Dr. Jackson and the Board of Education, including Board President Mr. Willie Moore who was absent, recognized our district's school custodians for their outstanding service and dedication to our safe and clean environment.

Dr. Ann Jackson called upon Mrs. Fields, principal of T.R. Simmons Elementary School, to present her school's CIP (continuous improvement plan) and was followed by Mr. Allen, principal of Jasper High School, to present his school's CIP.

At this time, Scott Thornley needed to be excused from the meeting.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve out-of-state and/or overnight field trip request (pending COVID numbers and recommendations for travel) as follows:

- JHS Band to Orlando FL on April 12-16, 2022

A motion to approve the overnight field trip request (pending COVID numbers and recommendations for travel) was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried.

Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve a salary schedule revision. A motion to approve the salary schedule revision was given by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the updated Quarantine and Isolation COVID-19 Guidance. A motion to approve the updated Quarantine and Isolation COVID-19 Guidance was given by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the revised athletics facilities usage and rental agreement. A motion to approve the revised athletics facilities usage and rental agreement was given by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried.

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Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve new job descriptions. A motion to approve new job descriptions was given by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned with a motion by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Signed:

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Willie Moore III, Chairman

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Ann Jackson, Secretary