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| Blissfield Community Schools 2020 21 Regular Meeting  September 20, 2021 | |
| A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Blissfield Community School District was held Monday, September 20, 2021  in the High School Media Center. Board President, Brewer called the meeting to order. Members present: Craig Bettis, David Brewer, Bruce Carter, Mike Cole, Vicki Lombard and Tyler Wyse. Members Absent: Denise Mallory. Others present: Superintendent Riley; members of the public and press. |  |
| It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the Agenda.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Carter and supported Bettis to approve the minutes  of the August 26, 2021regular meeting minutes and the September 9, 2021 special meeting minutes.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Carter and supported Bettis to approve amended motion to correct the minutes to August 16, 2021 and the September 9, 2021 meeting minutes.  Motion Carried.  Student Council President Faith Galinis updated the Board on various Student Council activities, as well as other club and organization activities happening.  The Board recognized Nicole Lundquist as District Employee of the Month.  Facilities Director, Scott Abbott gave an overview to the Board on the Facilities Department for the start of the 2021-22 school year.  It was moved by Wyse and supported by Lombard to approve payment of the General Fund bills in the amount of $1,182,299.82.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Carter and supported Bettis to approve the BCS FFA members to travel to Indianapolis on Oct 26-29, 2021 for the FFA National Convention.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Lombard and supported by Bettis to approve the resignation of Mark Wetzel from his position of bus driver.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Carter and supported by Wyse to approve the resignation of Anita Gozdziewski from her position as an aide.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Wyse and supported by Carter to approve the hiring of Mike Bader for the position of HS Media Center/Online teacher.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Carter and supported by Bettis to approve the hiring of Sean Bowers for the position of maintenance.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Bettis and supported by Carter to approve the hiring of Sarah Payan for the position of HS aide.  Motion Carried.  It was moved by Lombard and supported by Carter to approve the hiring of Jillian Diasher for the position of MS sideline/competitive cheer coach.  Motion Carried.  The Policy Committee did meet twice; once with Thrun’s to discuss the implementation of converting from NEOLA policy’s to Thrun’s. The other meeting was to go through some of the policies in need of review.  No comments at this time  Superintendent Riley stated he plans on the Thrun Policy Manual being available at the October Regular Board Meeting for Board approval and in November some updated policies will be brought for Board approval.  Steering Committee is meeting September 29th with TowerPinkster and CSM running the meeting. There will be another public forum held October 6th, with a Community Open House being held October 22nd before the varsity football game to showcase area businesses.  Superintendent listed his top 3 goals: 1st May 2022 Bond Election; 2nd Enhance student learning for those that may have fallen behind due to the pandemic and 3rd to continue on a Destination Plan, for the next  3-5 years, for the school district.  The migrant program will not be continuing, with the retirement of Gary Holmes as the director and low number of migrant children attending. The few migrant students will be assisted through our At Risk Programs.  The 2020-21 audit will be presented at the October Board Meeting. There has been a couple of individuals interested in the Student Loan Fund Account Manger position at this time.  It was moved by Wyse and supported by Carter to adjourn the meeting at 7:54p.m.  Motion Carried.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Secretary | Approval of Agenda  Approval of the August 16, 2021 and September 9, 2021 Meeting Minutes  Student Council Update  Educational Highlights  Payment of Invoices  FFA Trip  Personnel  Committee Reports  Public Comments  Superintendent’s Report  Adjournment |