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NEWS RELEASE

The Buckeye Central Board of Education held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, August 11, 2016, at 7:00 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room at Buckeye Central Local School.

Hearing of the Public:

- No requests

Correspondence:

- OSBA is requesting appointment of the district's OSBA Delegate and Alternate for the November 2016 Capital Conference. The board members will forward the appointees names to Mr. Robinson once decided upon. The appointees' names will be sent on to OSBA.

Board Committee Reports:

- Financial – Mr. Martin and Mrs. Ackerman met this month to review the district finances prior to the board meeting. While income tax collection is slightly down the projected financials remain positive.
- Legislative – No Report
- Student Achievement – No Report
- Policy – No Report

Financial Report:

- Financial reports were read and approved
- Bills approved as submitted
- Investments approved

Superintendent's Report and Discussions:

- Auxiliary Gymnasium - Andrew Welch, Architect, continues to draft the design criteria for the auxiliary gym design-build project. The finalized criteria is expected by approximately the end of August. Simultaneously to the designs being developed the district will advertise for Requests for Qualifications (RFQ) from interested design-build firms. Ultimately, the board will select finalists to prepare a Request for Proposal (RFP) based upon the criteria architects design(s). Quality, transparent discussions regarding the process and timelines continue to take place. If anyone has questions, please contact Mr. Robinson, Superintendent, or any of the board members.
- Mr. Robinson and the administrative team will to continue to research the student drug/alcohol testing program with further updates to be given at future Board meetings. A community meeting to discuss the topic will be established. Input and transparency are two important factors as the district moves forward in this area.
- The district goals were reviewed and discussed. Mr. Robinson will carefully evaluate any specific topics that should be addressed in 2016-2017 within the current mission and goals. Accordingly, he will provide an updated report at the September Board meeting.

Building/Departmental Reports:

- Written reports from the building principals and department supervisors were provided to the Board members. These one-page reports list and explain the many areas addressed within the

building, grounds, or departments during the immediate past month. This activity enables the Board members to stay up-to-date on the many happenings within the district on a regular basis.

Executive Session

- To consider the sale/lease of property at competitive bidding
- The appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of an employee or official

The board approved the following Superintendent recommendations:

- Building use form for St. John's/Nazareth Lutheran Churches to use the Café or a classroom on Sept 11, 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16 2016 for a "Holding Your Family Together" class with Tom Pairan in charge
- Building use form for the BC Youth Football to use the BC football field, practice field and fieldhouse August thru October on Monday and Wednesday evenings for practices & games with Chad Jensen in charge
- Educational Broadband Service Lease Agreement with Clearwire LLC
- Home Schooling Services contract for FY2017 with North Central Ohion Educational Service Center
- Bus Routes for the 2016-2017 school year
- META Solutions Cooperative to advertise and receive bids for school bus chasses and bodies for 2016-2017
- Community Counseling Services contract for 2016-2017

Personnel Recommendations:

- Deborah Moore as an Intervention Specialist (MH) effective 2016-2017 contract year
- Toni Shafer's salary step placement from MA to MA +15 effective 2016-2017 contract year
- Ben Hopkin's salary step placement from BA+150 to MA effective 2016-2017 contract year
- Joyce Cramer as Non Public Auxiliary for 50 hours during 206-2017 school year with placement at St. Bernards
- Licensed/Certificated staff supplemental contracts:
 - Jacqueline Squires – MS Volleyball
- Resignation of Marsha Conley effective August 31, 2016 with August 12, 2016 as last paid work day
- Marcia VanEerten as a Teacher Aide 2016-2017 school year with placement at Fairway School
- Classified staff supplemental contracts:
 - Terry Smith – Middle School Football
 - Alex Roberts – Middle School Football, Volunteer

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- None

Items for Discussion:

- 2016 BOE Meetings will be as follows:
 - September 15, 2016 at 8:30 p.m.
 - October 13, 2016 at 8:30 p.m.

We encourage you to attend the Board of Education meetings as your calendar permits. The monthly Board of Education meetings are meetings of the Board in public for the purpose of conducting the school district's business. While not considered a public meeting, every meeting agenda provides an opportunity for public participation as established through district policy. Please contact Mark A. Robinson, Superintendent, with any questions or input. Thank you!