



MINUTES

**Nordonia Hills City School District
Nordonia Board of Education Meetings
May Regular Board Meeting
Monday, May 20, 2024, 7:07 pm - 8:11 pm
9374 Olde Eight Road, Northfield, OH 44067**

In Attendance

Amy Vajdich; Chad Lahrmer; Jason Tidmore; Liz McKinley; Matt Kearney

A. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

1. Roll Call

Mr. Tidmore arrived to the regular meeting at 7:34 P.M.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approval of Agenda

Resolution 2024-5-20-346

Move: Amy Vajdich Second: Matt Kearney Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

4. Communications

CVCC Students, First place competition award winners presented by Jessica Archer & James Virost.

5. Open Forum

6. Reports from Liaisons to Board Committees, Superintendent Committees, and other organizations:

Finance Committee
OSBA Legislative Liaison
Curriculum & Instruction Liaison
Facilities Liaison
Cuyahoga Valley Career Center
Nordonia Hills Foundation Liaison
Tax Incentive Review Board
Technology and Information Systems
Special Education Liaison
NDEIC Liaison
OSBA Student Achievement Liaison
Athletic Council Liaison

B. SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Approve Consent Items:

Approve Overnight/Extended Student Trips

- Nordonia students to International Future Problem Solvers Competition to Bloomington, Indiana from 6/5/2024 to 6/9/2024. The approximate cost is \$700 per student.

- Approve Nordonia Marching Band field trip to Skyview Ranch for band camp from July 28 to

August 2, 2024. Transportation via Nordonía school bus. The approximate cost is \$350 per student with no cost to the district.

Resolution Declaring Transportation Impractical for Certain Identified Students

WHEREAS the student(s) identified below have been determined to be residents of this school district, and eligible for transportation services; and

WHEREAS after a careful evaluation of all available options, it has been determined that it is impractical to provide transportation for these student(s) to their selected school(s); and

WHEREAS the following factors as identified in Revised Code 3327.02 have been considered:

1. The time and distance required to provide the transportation
2. The number of pupils to be transported
3. The cost of providing transportation in terms of equipment, maintenance, personnel, and administration
4. Whether similar or equivalent service is provided to other pupils eligible for transportation
5. Whether and to what extent the additional service unavoidably disrupts current transportation schedules
6. Whether other reimbursable types of transportation are available; and

WHEREAS the option of offering payment in lieu of transportation is provided in Revised Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Nordonía Hills City School District, County of Summit, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. This Board hereby approves the declaration of impractical to transport for the identified students, and offering them payment in lieu of transportation.

Section 2. This Board finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board and any of its committees concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board or committees, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

<u>Student Name</u>	<u>School Selected</u>	<u>Parent/Guardian Name</u>
Benjamin Beauvais	Lawrence Upper	Blondine Beauvais

Resolution 2024-5-20-347

Move: Liz McKinley Second: Amy Vajdich Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

2. Recommend the following new ELA textbook for Lee Eaton and Nordonía Middle School:
Into Literature/Reading, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Resolution 2024-5-20-348

Move: Chad Lahrmer Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

3. Approve Contract with KidsLink School for the 2024-25 school year, not to exceed \$95,000. Paid out of IDEA-B Federal funds.

Resolution 2024-5-20-349

Move: Matt Kearney Second: Chad Lahrmer Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

4. Approve Educational Service Center of Medina County Service Agreement for the 2024-25 school year.

Resolution 2024-5-20-350

Move: Chad Lahrmer Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

5. Approve Program Plan and Parent Contract with Footprints Center for Autism, paid out of IDEA-B Funds, not to exceed \$67,000.

Resolution 2024-5-20-351

Move: Matt Kearney Second: Amy Vajdich Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

6. Approve Purchase Service Agreement for Harbor Education Services, LLC (Leap Program) to provide educational services for the 2024-25 school year not to exceed \$29,120/student.

Resolution 2024-5-20-352

Move: Chad Lahrmer Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

7. Approve Contract with Summit Educational Services Center - Kids First/Tops Extended School Year Contract to provide educational services for the 2024-25 school year

Resolution 2024-5-20-353

Move: Matt Kearney Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Amy Vajdich

8. Approve changes to rental rates for district facilities:

Resolution 2024-5-20-354

Move: Liz McKinley Second: Chad Lahrmer Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

9. Approve Purchase Service Contracts:

None

10. Approve Personnel Items:

- a. Certified:

Resolution 2024-5-20-355

Move: Chad Lahrmer Second: Matt Kearney Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

i. Retirement/Resignation

Julia Robey, HS Math Teacher, resignation effective end of 2023-24 school year.

ii. New Appointment/Assignment

Zachary Brown, HS Science Teacher, Salary based on MA, Step 5 on the Teachers Salary Schedule will be \$65,123, effective for the 2024-25 school year.

Anthony Rock, HS School Counselor, Salary based on MA, Step 4 on the Teachers Salary Schedule will be \$62,142, effective for the 2024-25 school year to include up to 10 days extended days. Up to 35 hours of transition time at the curriculum rate of \$31.47, beginning June 1, 2024.

iii. Long-Term Substitute

Shayna DiBona, HS Language Teacher (subbing for Nancy Eichelberger) effective May 3 to the end of the school year.

iv. Home Instruction (Paid at the curriculum rate of \$31.47/hr.)

None

v. Extended School Year (Paid at the curriculum rate, unless otherwise noted)

- Extended School Year Services, not to exceed 60 hours

Sarah Polito
Maren LaGuardia
Karen Hovorka

- Extended School Year Services, not to exceed 200 hours

Jennifer Galbreath

vi. Extended Time

None

vii. Curriculum

(Paid at the curriculum rate of \$31.47/hr., unless otherwise noted)

- Chromebook Rollout, effective August 7, August 9, and August 14, 2023:

Alice Bender
Brad Bender
Dan Boyle - 2 days only
Melissa DiGennaro
Alison Monsman
LaTonya Perry - at current hourly rate
Jim Timoteo - at current hourly rate
Angela Wojtecki

- The following individuals are approved, to be paid at the state-required rate of \$1200.00, effective May 1, 2024, to complete science of reading training, before June 30, 2025.

Angie Perrine
Joe Culley
Pat Kavak
Alison Monsman
Erin Wilson

Angela Hartman
Diana Horvath
Maryanne Dunn
Michelle Bzdafka
Brenda Basch
Kelly Boebel
Heather MacRaid
Melanie Cyganski
Goksu Kretch
Shelby Simon
Debbie McNellie
Brooke Leach-Grable
Alice Bender
Sarah Putka
Katie Dombroski
Jennifer Galbreath
Sarah Polito
Jennifer Beck
Amanda Juhasz
Beth Petraco
David Testa
Matt Neff
Janis Roskoph
Crystal Pinter
Megan Carlson
Brenna Hayhurst
Andrea Parks
Sarah McComas
Anne Iskra
Konni Stagliano
Karen McMillan
Nicole Occhionero
Melissa DiGennaro
Erin Kipp
Doug Jones
Jodi Campbell
Madison Clark
Lynn Cutright
Gina Snyderburn
Ben Dulin
Kris Schroeder
Sara Wasco
Olivia Potash
Colleen Doherty
Kirsten Jankuj
Lauren Greco
Laney Loze
Holly Schroeter
Allison Host
Melodie Kopac
Danielle Miller
Doug DelRosa
Amy Artl
Kelly Milet
Michele Natali
Nichole Notarian
Michelle Harmon
Sharon Berkley
Terri Hochberg
Hallie Eland

Amanda Wojtusik
Kyle Cohen
Jen Gruber
Brad Bender
Kristen Finley
Kalli Butler
Jackie Hatch
Charlie Wasco
Jennifer Larcey
Katie Patterson
Jaime Hoon
Gina Kitchen
Andrea Mock
Amy Sopata
Katie Debord
Patty Carlini
Amanda Lefeld
Dawn Monroe
Angela Guzman
Kelly Bartlett
Kelli Blahovec
Carly Bennett
Katie Matuska
Jackie Oleksy
Stephanie Fox
Donovon Nichols
Cathy Ziegler
Steven Charnas
Sarah Felker
Matt Simonetta
Marlena Wright
Shauna Ault
Dan Wallace
Kerry Shotwell
Ron Gura
Holly Gray
Lori Jordan
Tyler Stern
Elise Finkel
Shawn Bally
Amy Webb
Katelyn Eriksen
Tami Forsythe-Ludewig
Heather Eckenrode
Brenna McGrath
Kim Hernandez
Karen Hovorka
DeVon Sanders
Lori Snider
Kristin Ackerman
Jason Lara
Stephanie York
Joe Zeffer
Mary Bednar
Wendy Dunham
Matt Beery
Rachel Pearce
Shannon Blair
Jessica Korman
Ray Killian

Jacklyn Czekaj
Erin Miller
Melissa Newcomer
Anna Tolin
Cyndi Spellman
Joanne Quesenberry
Endre Szentkiralyi

- The following individuals are approved, to be paid at the state-required rate of \$400.00, effective May 1, 2024, to complete science of reading training, before June 30, 2025.

Tony Dietrich
Tina Lantz
Rita Covin
Sara Grigger
Sharon Aloisi
Kevin Peacock
Carrie Mitchner
Bethany Payne
Kristin Fejedelem
Karlie Poole
Renee Ventre
Kelsey Dominic
Dan Boyle
Amy Taylor
Colleen Nagy
Angela Cottrell
Debbie Justus
Danielle Wilson
Toni Donze
Lyndy Zehner
Justin Shank
Katie Kruse
Cindy O'Connor
Dan Lieberth
Rob Merhar
Jody Radcliffe
Mary Tatton
Megan Bailey
Rachel Maly
Lauren Rupprecht
Diara Washington
Lynn Urbancich
Adam Wiskofske
Anne Berardinelli
Rebecca Budziak
Mary Schrembeck
Kathleen Pellington
Amber Malkus
Erika Canitano
Matt Spellman
Courtney Yagiela
Andrea Maurice
Andrew Matlack
Scott Barwidi
Amie Cornell
Gary Kanaga
Ranzy Lardell
Dave Carter
Ryan Carreiro

Stacey Hostetler
Tom Weaver
Eric Vasquez
John Pickering
Joe Knight
Elle Barwidi
Nate Loman
Marissa Rizzo
Beth Buss
Stacy Cravener
Lori Day
Samantha Fales
Mary Carlo
Scott Lawrence
Andrea Maldonado
Shaun Phillips
Ken Vehar
Erica Molnar
Julia Grabosky
Aaron Coleman
George Curcic
Vanessa DeBoo
Adam Salberg
Brent Nenadal
Kelly Nyzen
Sean Sandvick
Patrick Riley
Erin Tong
Avni Uppal
Jason Witschey
Angela Wojtecki
Amir Greenwood
Kara Putnam
Nancy Eichelberger
Reema Sanchez
Pamela Conte
Ryan Edler
Hope Walton
Matt Cash
Claudio Costanzo
Josh Davis
Melissa McClelland
John Martin
Gary Lucak
Drew Hoisington
Heather Dean
Steven Testa
Al Huge

- The following individuals are approved, to be paid at the curriculum rate for up to 16 hours each, to complete training and curriculum mapping.

Carly Bennett
Stephanie Fox
Amanda Lefeld
Sarah Felker
Angela Guzman
Amy Sopata
Patty Carlini
Kaitlin DeBord

Kelli Blahovec
Jacklyn Oleksy
Katie Matuska
Lori Jordan
Shawn Bally
Tyler Stern
Amy Webb
Elise Finkell
Katelyn Eriksen
Marlena Wright
Dan Wallace
Matt Simonetta

- The following individual is approved, to be paid at the curriculum rate for up to 32 hours each, to complete training and curriculum mapping.

Dawn Monroe

- The following individuals are approved, to be paid at the curriculum rate for up to 16 hours each, to complete curriculum mapping.

Heather Dean
Drew Hoisington
Melissa McClelland

- The following individual is approved, to be paid at the curriculum rate for up to 3.5* hours each, to proctor AP assessments outside of the regular school day at NHS effective April 25, 2024.

Lori Snider

*Correction

viii. Supplementals (based on BA0-\$44,962)

HS Athletics

HS Boys Head Basketball Coach, Dominique Sanders, resignation effective 5/17/24.

Girls Wrestling Support, Virginia Tedor, to be paid \$1,500 stipend for the 23-24 season, paid from Athletic Funds.

Girls Head Varsity Basketball, Ryan Wolfgang 18%

b. Classified:

Resolution 2024-5-20-356

Move: Chad Lahrmer Second: Matt Kearney Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

i. Resignation/Retirement

Danielle Kirsch, MS Custodian, resignation effective 6/4/2024.

ii. Leave of Absence

None

iii. New Assignment

Jaime Swansegar, LE Food Service Worker, 4.0 hours per day, 5 days per week, effective 4/29/24, Step 0, \$14.90/hr.

iv. Change of Assignment

None

v. Approve OHSAA Tournament Workers

Annette Fernandez
Betty Ann Trezciak
Bill Busse
Brent Nenadal
Chris Morgan
David Foust
David Kinnell
Dena Svoboda
Dylan Maholm
Erin Reynolds
Kim Busse
Kyle Jordan
Mary Bednar
Mike Martin
Rob Eckenrode
Ron Gura
Scott Barwidi
Sean Sandvick
Shannon Lowery
Sharon Schmidt
Steve Brown
Sydney Hotz
Will Busse

vi. Approve Purchase Service Contracts/Extra Duties

Janet Riedthaler

vii. Substitute

Christine Allen, Clerical
Shannon Beale, Paraprofessional, Student Supervisor, Special Needs
Kaitlyn Berki, Food Service, Clerical
Letitia Carver-Wilkes, Paraprofessional
Roseanne Cermak, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Special Needs Aide, Clerical
Ann Cook, Paraprofessional, Student Supervisor, Special Needs
Carol Dolejs, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Food Service, Clerical, Security
Karen Eszovics, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Special Needs, Clerical
Tammy Garey, Food Service
Lori Johnson, Paraprofessional, Student Supervisor, Special Needs
Carol Kuboff, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Media Resource
Tim Lewicki, Custodial
Felicia Long, Custodial
Kim Luczywo, Paraprofessional
Janet Mertel, Custodial
Charles Metcalfe, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional
Linda Mika, Food Service
Joanne Montesano, Clerical
Lisa Mosansky, Custodial
Matteo Petite, Paraprofessional, Student Supervisor, Special Needs
Renee Petite, Paraprofessional, Student Supervisor, Special Needs
Yolanda Schultz, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Food Service
Christiane Siewert, Clerical
Shannon Tack, Paraprofessional

Carolyn Victor, Food Service
Victoria Wright, Student Supervisor, Paraprofessional, Special Needs Aide, Food Service,
Custodial

C. TREASURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Approve Consent Items:

Special Board Meeting Minutes -
Regular Board Meeting Minutes -
Financial Statements -

Resolution 2024-5-20-357

Move: Jason Tidmore Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

2. Five-Year Forecast

Approve the District's Five-Year Forecast for May of FY2024.

Resolution 2024-5-20-358

Move: Liz McKinley Second: Amy Vajdich Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

3. Approve PowerSchool Unified Talent Records license and subscription fees for 7/1/2024 to 6/30/2025 in the amount of \$ 11,246.18.

Resolution 2024-5-20-359

Move: Jason Tidmore Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

4. Approve contract with Healthcare Billing Services for the Medicaide School Program for the 24-25 School Year.

Resolution 2024-5-20-360

Move: Liz McKinley Second: Amy Vajdich Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

5. Approve to move June Board Meeting

Move Board Meeting from June 26, to June 20, 2024.

Resolution 2024-5-20-361

Move: Jason Tidmore Second: Matt Kearney Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich

D. ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular meeting of the Board will be held on June 20, 2024, at 7 PM at Northfield Elementary School, 9374 Olde Eight Road, Northfield, Ohio 44067

The Board unanimously consented to adjourn the meeting at 8:09 P.M. The President declared the motion passed.


Resolution 2024-5-20-362

Move: Matt Kearney Second: Liz McKinley Status: Passed

Yes: Chad Lahrmer, Liz McKinley, Matt Kearney, Jason Tidmore, Amy Vajdich



Chad M. Lahrmer, Board President



Kyle T. Kiffer, Treasurer/CFO

Treasurer's Note: The meeting was video recorded.