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## REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES April 18, 2022

**REGULAR SESSION:** Jac-Cen-Del Elementary Conference Room @ 6:00 PM

### CALL TO ORDER

- Those in attendance were Jason Smith, Debra Roberts, James Westerman, Jason Wagner, James Gayheart, Ryan Middleton, Nancy Means, staff and patrons.

Motion: James Westerman  
 Second: Jason Wagner  
 Vote: 5 for

### ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL REPORT: Mr. Trent Whaley

- 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students in Ms. Corbin and Mrs. Oelker's rooms have been working hard on getting ready for the next grade level. Ms. Corbin's students are "Training for Second Grade" & Mrs. Oelker's are "Training for Third Grade". Most of the students have shown great improvement in their behaviors since spring break and starting this incentive! If they get 3 compliments, they get a hole punch on the tag, a piece of candy, or sometimes both. We have noticed they are extremely motivated to receive compliments since starting this!
- 6<sup>th</sup> graders in Mrs. Horn's class have enjoyed the exchange students visits from the high school. The cadets assist Mrs. Horn and have even taught the students some Spanish words.
- Our Silly Safaris Family Night will be held April 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 in the elementary gym. This is paid by our Title I grant.
- ILEARN testing begins April 19<sup>th</sup> – May 4<sup>th</sup> for students in grades 3-6. We ask that students get plenty of rest, a good breakfast, and do their best on this testing.

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## ACTION ITEMS

- The board approved the March 14, 2022 executive session and regular board meeting minutes.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved payroll and other claims for April 2022.

Motion: James Westerman  
Second: Jason Wagner  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Stephanie Volz as elementary teacher at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

Motion: Debra Roberts  
Second: Jason Wagner  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Beth Halcomb as high school English teacher at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

Motion: James Westerman  
Second: Jason Wagner  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Dan Goris as SRO at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: James Westerman  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Elizabeth Newhart as high school aide effective April 22, 2022.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Scott Smith as varsity girls' head basketball coach effective immediately.

Motion: James Westerman  
Second: Jason Wagner  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the resignation of Hannah Mullikin as junior high cheer coach effective immediately.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the hire of DeAnna Budd as elementary principal beginning with the 2022-2023 school year per administrative contract pay and benefits.

Motion: Debra Roberts  
Second: James Westerman  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the hire of Candy Sizemore as special education teacher beginning April 20, 2022 per master contract pay and benefits.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the hire of Laura Deamron as high school cook assistant effective immediately per support staff contract pay and benefits.

Motion: James Westerman  
Second: Jason Wagner  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the hire of Hanna Speer as latch key/summer day care coordinator effective immediately.

Motion: Debra Roberts  
Second: James Westerman  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the summer technology employees as per attached document.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: James Westerman  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the maternity leave of Megan Wessel from the beginning of the 2022-2023 school year until approximately September 22, 2022.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved the cafeteria proposed vendors for supplies and commodities as per documentation presented to the board.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

- The board approved a donation in the amount of \$500 from the Osgood Grub Company for the baseball program.

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

## **SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

- Mr. Middleton commented that we are in the testing season with both buildings. He recognized all those teachers, aides, and para's that go above and beyond during this time. There are many that must be extra flexible, and Middleton mentioned he was grateful for all involved in testing during this time.
- Mr. Middleton went on to talk about the resignation of the SRO and how he has been a staple for security and safety throughout the JCD campus. Middleton explained that there was no ill-will towards any employee or the Board, but that he was simply changing environments. Middleton stated that he wishes the very best for Mr. Goris in his next position as SRO and thanked him for his many efforts to keep and maintain JCD as a safe place for staff and students.
- Mr. Middleton presented some quick information about the storm damage from the tornado that took place several weeks ago. Middleton shared that many of the items damaged have been sent to insurance and are awaiting approval to begin the reconstruction process. Among one of those items was a damaged score board that needs to be replaced. Middleton mentioned that the corporation activities coordinator will work with a company to provide two additional scoreboards at no cost to the corporation, but rather through the local community's support.
- Lastly, Middleton talked about an audit that was conducted with positive results. The audit was to prevent workplace injury and only a few suggestions were shared. Middleton explained that he was happy to hear the results and will begin the process of reviewing the suggestions and moving forward as he saw fit.

## **BOARD COMMENTS**

- A board member asked for an update on facility improvements.
- A board member had some questions regarding the new sports clubs recently organized.

## **PATRON COMMENTS**

- No patron comments were made regarding action items.

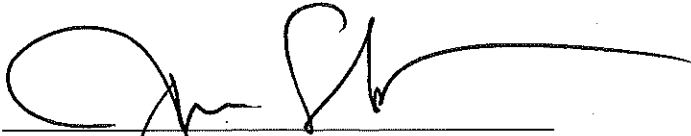
## **NEXT MEETING**

- The next regular meeting of the Jac-Cen-Del School Board of Trustees will be held on Monday, May 16, 2022 at 6:00 PM in the Jac-Cen-Del Elementary Library

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion: Jason Wagner  
Second: Debra Roberts  
Vote: 5 For

April 18, 2022 Regular Session Meeting




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President




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Vice-President



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Secretary



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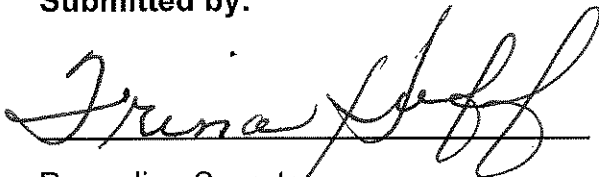
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Submitted by:



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Recording Secretary