

**CLEAR FORK VALLEY LOCAL SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Regular Meeting  
February 20, 2024  
Bellville Elementary Cafeteria  
6:30 p.m.**

**District Mission Statement:** *Striving to Exceed Expectations*

The Regular Meeting of the Clear Fork Valley Local School board was called to order at 6:30 pm by Board President, Mr. Brian Johnson.

Roll call was taken and the following members were present: Mr. Brian Johnson, Mr. Rick Kvochick, Mr Terry McDermott, Mrs. Lori McKee, and Mr. Troy Tingley.

**Employees and Guests in Attendance:**

Janice Wyckoff/Superintendent	Cindy Truex	Tim Truex
Jon Mason/Treasurer	Lisa Kvochick	Mike Kvochick
Ellen Walker	Vic Swisher	Kathy Cole
Cathy Kinney	Eric Cunningham	Ed Kossick
Heather Keating	Kourtney Kucirek	Jennifer Klaus
Brian Brown	Libby Nickoli	Brian Ranshaw
Sherry Johnson	Carl Gonzalez	Kyanne Police
Judy Golden	Olivia Lucci	Connie Barr
Jon Burras	Brian Constance	Kevin Carr
Alicia Williams	Rebecca Clapp	Laura Craner
Ann Dettmer	Rhonda Studemund	Sue Brown
Brittany Bechtel	Cheryl Mangus	Nicole Walker
Kattie Ellington		

**INVOCATION**

**PLEDGE**

**PRESENTATIONS:**

Brian Brown High School Principal discussed the importance of scheduling for next year's classes. He also announced the following upcoming events, February 29<sup>th</sup> FFA Banquet, March 12<sup>th</sup> ACT's, April 19<sup>th</sup> Mobile Workforce Day, April 27<sup>th</sup> Prom at Mid-Ohio ESC.

Jennifer Klaus Middle School Principal discussed the PBIS program recognition for Bronze for the COLTS program. She talked about the master schedule for next year. She also spoke about the wellness program beginning mid January-February.

Jonathan Burras Bellville Elementary Principal thanked the custodial crew for keeping things clean, Megan McFerran Secretary, SRO Corey Tedrow, PTO Volunteers, Teachers, and Aides. He spoke about the impact of the dyslexia



legislation on the elementary. He announced planning for May field trips and field day will be May 28<sup>th</sup>.

Libby Nickoli Butler Elementary Principal stated that the safety plan and evacuation event were a success. She announced that over 400 were in attendance for Family Literacy Night. She spoke about the Communication Boards for the playground, Veterans Day recognition, Christmas sign, and Curriculum Decisions. She spoke about the MTSS team for Dyslexia interventions and thanked Nicole Walker and Mayme Legron for their work.

### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE

Vic Swisher asked the Board what the status is for the Superintendent search and committee updates.

Carl Gonzalez asked if the process will be similar to past in interview of Superintendent and asked if they would vote on coaches tonight.

Cindy Truex asked about the instruction hours at the High School to meet credit per ODE (120 hours for 1 credit) and asked about block schedule vs a traditional schedule.

Ellen Walker inquired about the Superintendent contract.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

2024-048 **Upon Motion** by Mr. Kvochick and seconded by Mrs. McKee, the Board approved the minutes of the January 4, 2024 Organizational and Regular Meeting as written.

The vote was:	Mr. Johnson	Yes	Mrs. McKee	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mr. Tingley	Yes
	Mr. McDermott	Yes		

### TREASURER'S REPORT

**Upon Motion** by Mr. Tingley and seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board:

2024-049 Approves the January 2024 Financial Report.

2024-050 Authorizes Meta Solutions, acting as a member of the Ohio School Consortium, to issue a Request for Proposal to purchase competitive retail natural gas from the lowest and best bidder as part of the consortium bid proposal for the period of July 2025 through June 2030. The Board also authorizes the Superintendent and/or Treasurer to execute a Master Supply Agreement as determined to be the lowest and best bidder as part of the RFP process.

2024-051 Approves the following 2023-2024 State and Federal Grants to also include changes to the FY24 Appropriations.

<b>5<sup>th</sup> Quarter Grant – Ag Ed extended days</b>		
Wages	461-1300-100-9024	\$ 6,031.38
Fringe	461-1300-200-9024	\$ 1,500.00



<b>ESSER II – remaining balance</b>		
Purchase Services	507-1000-400-9922	\$ 25,671.15
Supplies	507-1000-500-9922	\$ 7,988.16
Capital	507-5000-600-9922	\$ 21,000.00
<b>ARP ESSER III</b>		
Purchase Services	507-1000-400-9933	\$ 112,771.44
Purchase Services	507-2000-400-9933	\$ 82,500.00
Supplies	507-1000-500-9933	\$ 25,000.00
Capital - buses	507-2000-600-9933	\$ 234,400.00
Capital - hvac	507-5000-600-9933	\$ 415,000.00
<b>ARP Targeted Homeless</b>		
Wages	507-1000-100-9024	\$ 7,000.00
Fringe	507-1000-200-9024	\$ 1,500.00
Supplies	507-1000-500-9024	\$ 8,000.00
<b>IDEA – Special Education, carryover FY23</b>		
Wages	516-1200-100-9923	\$ 94,276.14
Fringe	516-1200-200-9923	\$ 48,300.00
Purchase Services	516-1200-400-9923	\$ 19,600.00
Capital	516-1200-600-9923	\$ 2576.39
<b>IDEA – Special Education FY24</b>		
Wages	516-1200-100-9924	\$ 191,000.00
Fringe	516-1200-200-9924	\$ 38,200.00
Purchase Services	516-1200-400-9924	\$ 381,806.72
Supplies	516-1200-500-9924	\$ 15,000.00
<b>Title I – reading and math</b>		
Wages	572-1200-100-9924	\$ 223,000.00
Purchase Services	572-1200-400-9924	\$ 10,730.74
Supplies	572-1200-500-9924	\$ 1,357.28
<b>Title IV-A</b>		
Purchase Services	584-1100-400-9024	\$ 18,986.30
<b>Stronger Connections FY24</b>		
Purchase Services	584-1000-400-9024	\$ 14,394.16
<b>IDEA ECSE – preschool</b>		
Purchase Services	587-1200-400-9924	\$ 8,894.38
<b>Title II-A</b>		
Wages	590-1100-100-9924	\$ 40,000.00
Fringe	590-1100-200-9924	\$ 8,834.61

The vote was: Mr. Johnson Yes      Mrs. McKee Yes  
Mr. Kvochick Yes      Mr. Tingley Yes  
Mr. McDermott Yes

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT



## Personnel

**Upon Motion** by Mrs. McKee and seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board:

- 2024-052** Accepts the following resignation:
- Christopher Clapper athletic custodian, effective January 19, 2024  
Stephanie Stull Butler Cafeteria Manager effective May 31, 2024
- 2024-053** Accepts the following retirement:
- James Michalovich - Teacher - effective 06/30/2024
- 2024-053** Accepts the following supplemental resignation
- Aaron Brokaw – Spring Weight Lifting Coach – effective 12/18/2023
- 2024-054** Approves the following certified personnel are employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2023-2024 school year:
- Mike McCorkle      Spring Weight Coach
- 2024-055** Approves the following classified personnel are employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2023-2024 school year:
- Nicholas Hoover      Middle School Track
- 2024-056** Approves that in accordance with 3319.22 ORC the Clear Fork Board of Education affirms that the following positions have been offered to the certified employees of the Clear Fork Valley Local School District and no qualified employee has been selected for the position(s). Furthermore, the Board affirms that the position(s) had been advertised on the Clear Fork website on December 15, 2022, April 15, 2023, April 26, 2023 or May 23, 2023 to those who may be qualified and that the following personnel be employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2023-2024 school year per the adopted salary schedule:
- Chris Hollar      Junior Varsity Baseball Coach  
Garrett Bunnell      MS Track Assistant Coach  
Gabe Kennedy      Varsity Baseball Coach  
Mark Lind      Assistant Varsity Baseball Coach
- 2024-057** Approves the following volunteer coaches for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Bailey Faust      Wrestling  
Kaleb Hollar      Baseball  
Jeff Labaki      Track
- 2024-058** Approves the following certified personnel be employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2024-2025 school year.
- Brittany Bechtel      Varsity Girls Soccer  
Aaron Brokaw      Varsity Football Coach



Michael McCorkle Assistant Varsity Football Coach

- 2024-059 Approves that in accordance with 3319.22 ORC the Clear Fork Board of Education affirms that the following positions have been offered to the certified employees of the Clear Fork Valley Local School District and no qualified employee has been selected for the position Furthermore, the Board affirms that the position(s) had been advertised on the Clear Fork website on May 23, 2023 to those who may be qualified and the following personnel be employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2024-2025 school year per the adopted salary schedule.

Nathan Gailey Varsity Boys Soccer

- 2024-060 Approves the following personnel to advance on the salary schedule effective February 21, 2024 in accordance with the Clear Fork Valley Education Association, AFT/OFT Agreement.

Heather Keating 150 hours

The vote was:	Mr. Johnson	Yes	Mrs. McKee	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mr. Tingley	Yes
	Mr. McDermott	Yes		

#### New/Old Business

**Upon Motion** by Mr. Kvochick and seconded by Mr. Tingley, the Board:

- 2024-061 Enters into a Resolution of Membership with the Ohio High School Athletic Association for the 2024-2025 school year.
- 2024-062 Enters into a College Credit Plus Partnership with the University of Findlay for the 2024-2025 school year.
- 2024-063 Approves entering into an agreement to receive services from Metropolitan Regional Service Council (MRSC) for information technology services and support through Northeast Ohio Network for Educational technology (NEOnet)
- 2024-064 Enters into an annual membership with Ohio School Boards Association (OSBA) for January-December 2024.

The vote was:	Mr. Johnson	Yes	Mrs. McKee	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mr. Tingley	Yes
	Mr. McDermott	Yes		

#### INFORMATION AND PROPOSALS

The Board discussed (1<sup>st</sup> reading) of the following Board Policy:

IGD	Cocurricular and Extracurricular Activities
IGDJ	Interscholastic Athletics
KGB	Public Conduct on District Property

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION



2024-065

**Upon Motion** by Mr. Kvochick and seconded by Mrs. McKee, the Board enters into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing pending or imminent court action and the employment of a public employees at 7:56 pm.

The vote was: Mr. Johnson Yes  
Mr. Kvochick Yes  
Mr. McDermott Yes

Mrs. McKee Yes  
Mr. Tingley Yes

#### EXIT EXECUTIVE SESSION

2024-066

**Upon Motion** by Mr. McDermott and seconded by Mr. Tingley, the Board exit Executive Session at 10:04 pm.

The vote was: Mr. Johnson Yes  
Mr. Kvochick Yes  
Mr. McDermott Yes

Mrs. McKee Yes  
Mr. Tingley Yes

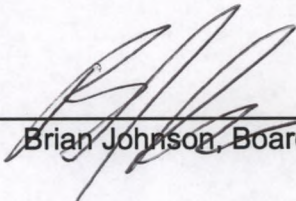
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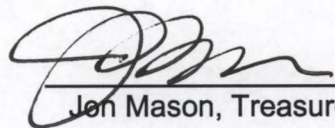
2024-067

**Upon Motion** by Mrs. McKee and seconded by Mr. Kvochick, the Board adjourn the meeting at 10:04 pm.

The vote was: Mr. Johnson Yes  
Mr. Kvochick Yes  
Mr. McDermott Yes

Mrs. McKee Yes  
Mr. Tingley Yes

  
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Brian Johnson, Board President

  
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Jon Mason, Treasurer