

**Jesup Community School District**  
Regular Board Meeting  
October 11, 2021, 6:00 p.m.  
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**REGULAR BOARD MEETING 10/11/21**

The Board of Directors of the Jesup Community School District regular meeting was called to order by President Riensche at 6:02 p.m., October 11, 2021, in the PreK-8 Media Center.

**PRESENT:** Covington, Donlea, Masteller, Riensche, Thorson

**ABSENT:** Bucknell, Clayberg

**J-HAWK CULTURE**

PS-12 staff heard Joe Beckman speak this morning on the feedback of human connection and Mr. Beckman will return in November to speak to students and parents; Middle School student council put locker signs up for those students out for activities; appreciation for the hire of Brittany Wilson in the Middle school; elementary students earning SOARR expectation recognitions and earning tickets for weekly prize drawings; and shout-out to Sarah Nolan for growing cheer program with over 90 registrations for the elementary cheer camp that will perform at Friday's football game.

**LOOKING AHEAD**

November agenda items: supplemental aid for enrollment growth, county board assignments, and school board election on November 2; and official canvas of votes will be after regular November meeting so may need to hold special meeting to swear in new directors.

**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS (I)**

High School: October 1 computer science planning meeting at AEA with next meeting December 14 as have to offer and teach computer science next school year, weekly meetings to identify struggling students, 9 students interested in student tech team which would control new video board in South gym, October 26 is end of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter, and successful High School service day on October 6; Middle School: 5<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Fontana, Ryan Nesbit speaking October 15 on suicide prevention and markers to report, and offering Zoom, email, and face-to-face fall conferences; Elementary/Rural: will offer virtual and in-person conferences, rural students to farm safety day at Fontana on September 28, thank you extended to the Jesup Fire Department for PS-2<sup>nd</sup> fire safety training at school, leadership team focus on beneficial and streamlined collaboration time, and October 27 professional development will include training from the new literacy publisher; District: preliminary enrollment count up 21 students and total of 105 open-enrolled in, facilities committee meeting October 27 at 6 pm, Brock Sabers and Supt. Marting attended the City open forum for proposed daycare/community center bond, Board polled for interest in splitting costs with Booster Club to replace wall and floor mats in the wrestling room, Supt. Marting presented the FY2021 District Financial Health Report, labor management committee meetings starting, and Chris Bresson presented the AEA technology audit report.

**CONSENT ITEMS (II, III, IV)**

The following consent items: A) Minutes of the September 13, 2021 Regular Board Meeting and September 29, 2021 Special Board Meeting; B) September Financial Statements; and C) October Expenditures and Claims

Upon motion by Thorson, seconded by Donlea, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the consent items as presented  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **BOARD POLICY REVIEWS (V)**

Upon motion by Donlea, seconded by Masteller, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve board policies 604, 604.1, 604.1E1, 604.2, 604.3, 604.4, 604.5, 604.6,  
604.7, and 604.8 as presented  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Upon motion by Thorson, seconded by Donlea, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the resignations of Meleah Thuesen (Cook) and Kurt VanSlyke  
(Custodian); contracts for Brenda Stone (Para Educator), Valerie Decker (Para Educator), Gail  
Hadley (Para Educator), and Shad Decker (Full-Time Bus Driver)  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **OUT OF STATE TRAVEL FOR FFA TO THE NATIONAL CONVENTION IN INDIANAPOLIS, IN (VI)**

Upon motion by Masteller, seconded by Donlea, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the out of state travel for the FFA to the National Convention in  
Indianapolis, IN  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **PERKINS PURCHASE FOR INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY**

Upon motion by Covington, seconded by Donlea, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the purchase of a GlowForge Pro for the Industrial Technology  
Program in the amount of \$6,990 using Perkins funding  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **MODIFIED SUPPLEMENTAL STATE AID FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION DEFICIT (VII)**

Upon motion by Donlea, seconded by Covington, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve modified allowable growth in the amount of \$252,650.61 for special  
education deficit spending during fiscal year 2021  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **ANNUAL FIREWALL AND ANTIVIRUS RENEWAL**

Upon motion by Donlea, seconded by Masteller, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the annual renewal for the District firewall system from CloudCover  
USA/B1 Group in the amount of \$6,087  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

#### **2021 IOWA SCHOOL BOARD CONVENTION DELEGATE**

Upon motion by Masteller, seconded by Donlea, it was  
RESOLVED: to approve the appointment of Nate Clayberg to serve as representative at the 2021  
Iowa School Board Association Delegate Assembly  
ALL AYE: Motion Carried

**Next regular meeting: Monday, November 8, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.**

Upon motion by Masteller, seconded by Thorson, it was

RESOLVED: to adjourn

ALL AYE: Motion Carried

President Riensche declared the meeting adjourned at 7:14 p.m.