

**GREENSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**  
**REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING**  
**TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2020 7:30 PM**

Those present were: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens. Also present were Tom Hunter, Tammy Williams, Andrea Phillips and Vicki Houk.

Mark Wolter opened the regular school board meeting at 7:30 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Steve Doerflinger to approve minutes of the December 10, 2019 school board meeting. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve vouchers 30489 – 30710. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Mr. Hunter reported on the fund balances. Gail Rueff made a motion, seconded by Amy Wickens to approve the monthly financial report as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

Tammy Williams updated board members on Curriculum and Instructions updates. She provided them with the Federal Accountability data. The schools are closing the gap, meeting expectations, and approaching expectation. We know we have work to do. Our teachers are doing a good job every day.

Tammy also updated on two grants awarded to GCS.

- 1) Pirate Preschool, effective with the 2020-2021 school year.
- 2) STEM Acceleration Grant

Detailed information was provided to board members.

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the 2<sup>nd</sup> reading of NEOLA policy and bylaws as presented. Policies 0151.1, 1520, 1520.08, 3120.08, 4120.08, 8120, 8455, 3220.01, 3220.02, 5111, 5111.01, 5223, 5335, 5600, 5610, 6220, 6230, 6520, 7300, 8310, 8400, 8405, 8420, 8462, 8600, 7530.02, 7540, 7540.02, 7540.04, and 7544. Bylaw :0100. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Superintendent's Report**

Mr. Hunter updated board members with the 2019 Inductees into the Greensburg High School Hall of Fame, Rick Acra from Class of 1965 and Bob Williams from the Class of 1941. A ceremony will be held on January 4, 2020. Board members are invited to attend.

**Donations:**

Amy Wickens made a motion, seconded by Jeff Dougan to approve the following:

\$709.56 from Fraternal Order of Eagles to GES Nurse Clinic Supplies

\$50.00 from Pam and Daniel Pratt to GJHS Archery

\$500.00 from GHS Big Blue Boosters to GJHS Athletics

\$250.00 from Tree City Tool to GHS Robotics Team.

\$400.00 from Wade and Teresa Fenley to GHS Robotics Team

\$300.00 from First Baptist Church to GHS Robotics Team

\$500.00 from Decatur Co Memorial Hospital to GHS Pirate Spirit Crew

\$580.35 from Knights of St. John to GHS Special Education Dept.

Motion carried 7-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

**Resignations:**

Gail Rueff made a motion, seconded by Steve Doerflinger to approve the following;

Jody Bergman – GJHS Teacher Resignation

Lauren Barkdull – GES Teacher Resignation

Motion carried 7-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

**Appointments:**

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Shannon McLeod to approve the appointment of Ben Buening as Health/PE Teacher at GJHS covering Leave of Absence. Motion carried 7-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.

**Other:**

Congratulations to Matt Clifford he was recipient of the Indiana Middle School Principal of the Year for State of Indiana for 2019. Matt Clifford thanked his great staff.

Three High School students attended the meeting as part of the Education Professions class, they were Hannah Friend, Patricia Olds and Alaina Nobbe. Future plans for each of them will be attending college after graduation and pursuing teaching careers.

The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, January 14, 2020 at 7:30 PM at the Greensburg Community Schools Central Office.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 PM. Motion carried 7-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, Christy Norton, and Amy Wickens.