

**GREENSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2020 7:30 PM**

Those attending meeting were Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan, and Christy Norton. Also present were Tom Hunter, Andrea Phillips Tammy Williams, 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 Christy Norton to approve minutes of the May 12, 2020 school board meeting. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Shannon McLeod to approve vouchers as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

OLD BUSINESS:

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

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve “Resolution to Transfer Operations Fund Monies to the Prepaid Lunch Fund”. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the 2020-2021 Board of Trustees Officers. Mark Wolter-President; Shannon McLeod-Vice President; Gail Rueff-Secretary. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Shannon McLeod to approve the following recommendations from Connie Million, Food Service Director for the 2020-2021 school year. Meal Prices will remain the same: Breakfast: Student \$1.55 Adult \$1.90; Lunch: Student \$2.65 Adult \$3.60. Dairy Bid: Prairie Farms; Bakery: Aunt Millie’s Bread Company; Large Food Bid: HPS/Gordon Food Service. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

NEW BUSINESS:

Stephanie Kress, School Board Attorney was present at the meeting to swear in board members to the Greensburg Community Schools Board of Trustees. Mark Wolter has been reappointed by the Greensburg City Council. Mark Bower is being appointed by Mayor Joshua Marsh to replace Steve Doerflinger. Mrs. Kress administered the Oath of Office to both Mark Wolter and Mark Bower. Mr. Hunter presented Steve Doerflinger with a plaque and gold card. Steve was thanked for his service to Greensburg Community Service during the past eight years.

Mr. Hunter reminded board members that negotiations with the GTA will be necessary, the contract will expire this year. A future date will be scheduled.

Gail Rueff made a motion, seconded by Steve Doerflinger to approve the summer school teacher contracts as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the 2020-2021 Certified Staff Handbooks as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the 2020-2021 Classified Employee Handbooks as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Shannon McLeod made a motion, seconded by Jeff Dougan to approve the 2020-2021 GCS Evaluation Plan as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Steve Doerflinger to approve new policy “Student Mental and Behavioral Services Record”. This was the second reading. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Donations:

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Shannon McLeod to approve donation of \$500.00 from First Baptist Church to GJHS FCA. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Superintendent’s Report

- Gail Rueff made a motion, seconded by Steve Doerflinger to reappoint Peggy Dudley to the Greensburg/Decatur County Library Board. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.
- All school employees are required to view online videos through Safe Schools to be in compliance. Most staff members have completed the training.
- Mr. Hunter reviewed the 2020 Circuit Breaker loss to GCS.
- Mrs. Williams discussed the GCS Survey At-Home Learning results with the Board Members.
- Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Jeff Dougan to approve the GES Reading Plan as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.
- The annual Climate Survey has been distributed to staff members. Mr. Hunter emailed the board members the results. We had positive feedback from all three buildings.
- Mr. Hunter talked about the GCS Task Force Committee that has been put together; this is for the re-opening of schools. The next meeting will be held at central office on June 18, 2020 at 8:00 AM. All board members are invited to participate.

Retirements:

Jeff Dougan made a motion, seconded by Gail Rueff to approve the following;

Norma Maddux – Retirement from GES as Custodian

Linda Owens – Retirement from GES as Custodian

Carla Leach – Retirement from GCHS as Teacher

Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Appointments:

Shannon McLeod made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the following:

Ben Buening – GES Interventionist / GES Teacher covering a Leave of Absence (LOA)

Meredith Acra – GES Temporary Teacher covering a LOA

Anna Hartsock – GES Kindergarten Teacher

Haley Litzinger – GES Kindergarten Teacher

Stacey Walke – GJHS Math Chair

Marci Kunz – GES Cafeteria Manager

Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

Other:

Mr. Hunter and board members discussed a Fall Board Retreat. A future date will be scheduled later in the year.

Mayor Josh Marsh was present at the meeting. He thanked Steve Doerflinger for serving the GCS Board of Trustees the past 8 years. The City of Greensburg received a new sign as a gift from the Rotary Club. It will be event focused for community events. If GCS has events they want published on the sign, contact his office.

Reminder, GCHS graduation is scheduled for Saturday, July 11, 2020 at 9:00 AM in the High School gymnasium. Each student may invite up to six people to allow for social distancing. Please let Mr. Hunter know which board members plan to attend the graduation ceremony. It will be aired on GTV and WTRE.

Steve Doerflinger made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 PM. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Mark Wolter, Gail Rueff, Shannon McLeod, Steve Doerflinger, Jeff Dougan and Christy Norton.

The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 14, 2020 at 7:30 PM.