

The North Fork Board of Education met in **Regular** session on Monday, April 18, 2022, at Newton Elementary School, 6645 Mount Vernon Road, Newark, Ohio 43055. Prior to the board meeting an IDEA B public meeting was held at 5:30 p.m. An opportunity for public comments was provided.

The meeting was called to order by President Cooperider at 6:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Hartley.

The following members were present: Mrs. Barbara Bruce, Mrs. Farrah Cooperider, Mr. Andy Hollenback, Dr. Rob Krueger, Mrs. Lori Stradley.

RECOGNITIONS

- District Ag Sales and State Ag Sales – Audrey Boeshart, Kenneth Davenport, Tyson McElroy, Melinda Wesley

REPORTS:

1. **Superintendent's** – Mr. Hartley
State Testing; Update from County Superintendents' Meeting; End of Year
2. **Treasurer's** – Mrs. Breehl
Health Insurance Renewal, Property Insurance, Copiers
3. **Student Liaison** – Mrs. Bruce
 - Utica Elementary Literature Night; Kindergarten publishing a book; Adopt-a-Pet

WORK SESSION

- Bullying Discussion

HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

Public comment was requested and the following responded:

- Mamie Hollenback – Bullying
- David Berger – North Fork Foxes
- Bethany Simon – Bullying, Communication, State Testing, IEP Transition
- Deb Paxton – Bullying, Item 3.9 remove Gina Neff

AGENDA ADJUSTMENTS

- Item 3.9 Remove Gina Neff
- Item 3.16 Change from Vo Ag to "Ag Education"

OLD BUSINESS

- None

NEW BUSINESS

2022-04-0044

Mrs. Bruce moved, seconded by Mr. Hollenback, that the Board waive the reading of and approve the minutes of the March 21, 2022, Regular Meeting, and the March 24, 2022, Special Meeting.

Yea: Mrs. Bruce, Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger, Mrs. Stradley – 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0045

Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Stradley, that the Board go into Executive Session, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(1), for the purpose of discussing:

- The employment of an employee or official.

Time: 7:02 p.m.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger – 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

The Board returned to open session at 8:42 p.m.

2022-04-0046

Mrs. Bruce moved, seconded by Mrs. Stradley, that the Board approve the following personnel actions:

Certified

- 3.1 Approve the Licking County Educational Service Center Certificated Substitute List No. 10 for the 2021-2022 school year.
- 3.2 Accept a letter of resignation from Kimberly Coad, elementary teacher, effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year for the purpose of retirement.

- 3.3 Accept a letter of resignation from John Maher, high school teacher, effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year for the purpose of retirement.
- 3.4 Accept a letter of resignation from Lillian Wall, high school Spanish teacher, effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year.
- 3.5 Accept a letter of resignation from Lisa Earnest, high school science teacher, effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year.
- 3.6 Accept a letter of resignation from Abigail Smith, high school math teacher, effective the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

- 3.7 Approve the following certificated staff members to be awarded one-year limited contracts for the 2022-2023 school; compensation to be as per the NFEA Negotiated Agreement.

Drew Billman	Christina Mahan	Morgan Sheasby
Michelle Burd	Derek Morey	Michael Twymon
Kelsey Hite	Kaitlynn Palmer	Allison Walton
Kari Kelly	Jacquelyn Roudebush	Scott Wray

- 3.8 Approve the following certificated staff members to be awarded two-year limited contracts for the 2022-2023 school; compensation to be as per the NFEA Negotiated Agreement.

Brittany Bianco	Jaime Hale	Spencer Kendall
Leigh Anne Dickson	Preston Johnston	Taylor Piatak
Shelby Erlandson	Micah Keith	Madison Russell

- 3.9 Approve the following certificated staff members to be awarded three-year limited contracts for the 2022-2023 school; compensation to be as per the NFEA Negotiated Agreement.

Laura Brown	Douglas Leaman	Charles Rowley	Ronda Stevens
Michael Dean		Joshua Sichina	Julie Zimmerman
Alexandra Keith	Kambra Ridgeway	Jodie Smith	

Non-Degree Substitutes

- 3.10 Approve the following as non-degree substitutes for the 2021-2022 school year pending proper certification and background checks:

Caitlyn West

Extra Service/Supplemental

3.11 Approve the following supplemental positions for the 2022-2023 school year:

Name	Position	Level	Step
Broc Stradley	Golf Head Coach	2	0
Amanda Engelman	Cheerleader Advisor – H.S.	1	2
Lee Ann Renner	Cheerleader Assistant Advisor – H.S.	4	2
Terry Logue	Basketball (Girls) Head Coach	1	4
Brian Radabaugh	Basketball (Boys) Head Coach	1	4
Mark Rakoczy	Wrestling Head Coach	1	4
Michele Bricker	Bowling Head Coach	4	4
Abigail Franks	Volleyball Assistant Coach	3	3
Danielle Doup	Volleyball Assistant Coach	3	4
Mikaela Weldy	Volleyball Assistant Coach	3	4
Laura Gilmore	Volleyball Assistant Coach	3	1
Brandon Wygle	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
Cameron Drake	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
James Robinson	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
Mike Heckman	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
Jamie Taylor	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
Paul Gregory	Football Assistant Coach	3	4
Mark Smith	Football Assistant Coach (50%)	3	4
Jimmy Meek	Football Assistant Coach (50%)	3	2

3.12 Approve an additional Golf Assistant Coach for the 2022-2023 school year; compensation to be at Level V of the Supplemental Salary Schedule of the NFEA Negotiated Agreement. This position is for the 2022-2023 school year only.

3.13 Approve Middle School Golf as a club sport for the 2022-2023 school year.

3.14 Employ Silas Buckenberger on an Extra Service Contract for summer computer cleaning under the supervision of the Technology Supervisor, effective May 23, 2022, not to exceed 40 hours per week; total hours not to exceed 400 hours at the rate of \$12.00 per hour.

3.15 Employ Waylon Stoll on an Extra Service Contract for summer computer cleaning under the supervision of the Technology Supervisor, effective May 23, 2022, not to exceed 40 hours per week; total hours not to exceed 400 hours at the rate of \$10.00 per hour.

3.16 Approve extended service time for the 2022-2023 school year:

Middle School Dean of Students – 15 days
Middle School Guidance Counselor – 15 days
Middle School-Sr. High Guidance Counselor – 15 days
High School Guidance Counselor – 20 days
Ag Education Teacher – 30 days
CBI Teacher – 10 days
Technology Staff and Student Training Coordinator – 40 days
Technology Coordinator – 40 days
High School Computer Science Teacher – 20 days
Technology Support Coordinator – 20 days

Classified

3.17 Accept a letter of resignation from Ray Saum, bus driver, effective April 4, 2022.

3.18 Accept a letter of resignation from Steven Williams, bus driver, effective the end of the day on April 8, 2022.

3.19 Approve the following classified staff members to be awarded two-year limited contracts for the 2022-2023 school year; compensation to be as per the OAPSE Negotiated Agreement.

Jaelyn Bennett	Deanna Gilmore	Bradford Hufford	James Wilfong
Shelbi Bixler	Becky Green	Leisa Kain	Melissa Woodard
Kimberly Bonham	Beth Haines	Andrew Spaulding	Melissa Wray
Sylina Elliotte	Daisy Hazlett	Trisha Ware	Brandon Wygle
Marla Filbrun	Barton Hufford	Debra West	

Administrative

3.20 Approve a four-year contract for Brett Ballinger as Elementary Principal, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2026; compensation to be at the Elementary Principal's rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.

3.21 Approve a four-year contract for Michele Gorius as Elementary Principal, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2026; compensation to be at the Elementary Principal's rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.

3.22 Approve a four-year contract for Shawn Wilhelm as Middle School Principal, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2026; compensation to be at the Middle School Principal's rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.

- 3.23 Approve a one-year contract for Alecia Russell as School Psychologist, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023; compensation to be at the Psychologist's rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.
- 3.24 Approve a three-year contract for Jayme Blackstone as Director of Student Services, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025; compensation to be at the Director of Student Services rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.
- 3.25 Approve a three-year contract for Adam Reynolds as Maintenance Supervisor, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025; compensation to be at the Maintenance Supervisor's rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.
- 3.26 Approve a three-year contract for Mike Maxwell as Coordinator of District Services, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025; compensation to be at the Coordinator of District Services rate of the Administrative Salary Schedule.

Yea: **Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, **Mr. Hollenback, Dr. Krueger – 5 *except for the following:*

Nay: - 1 – Mr. Hollenback on Item 3.11 No -Terry Logue, Brian Radabaugh, Mike Heckman

Abstain: 1-Mrs. Stradley on Item 3.11 Abstain - Broc Stradley

The president ruled the motion carried. (Item 3.11 4-0-1 Brock Stradley, 4-1 Terry Logue, Brian Radabaugh, Mike Heckman; all other items 5-0)

2022-04-0047

Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce, that the Board approve the following financial actions:

- 5.1 Approve the financial and reconciliation reports for the Month of March, 2022.
- 5.2 Approve bills as presented for March 2022, and payment of bills with “Then and Now” certificates.
- 5.3 Authorize the Treasurer and Superintendent to issue purchase orders in accordance with Board Policy 6400. This list will be made a part of the minutes.
- 5.4 Renew the OASIS Trust Dental Program with no increase for 2022-2023.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger, Mrs. Stradley - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0048

- 7.1 Mrs. Stradley moved, seconded by Mr. Hollenback, that the board approve an overnight Outdoor Education Program for the seventh-grade students at Utica Middle School to be operated at the Heartland Outdoor Environmental Education School in Marengo, Ohio, on November 15 – 17, 2022.

Yea: Mrs. Stradley, Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0049

- 7.2 Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce, that the board authorize the Treasurer to advertise the sale of, and receive offers for, four (4) out of service buses at \$2,500.00 or best offer, per bus.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger, Mrs. Stradley - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0050

- 7.3 Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Stradley, that the board approve an eight (8) year lease purchase agreement with The Vinton County Bank at a 2.39% rate for the high school roof replacement project.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0051

- 7.4 Mrs. Stradley moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce that the board approve the offering of a summer school program for Utica Elementary and Newton Elementary students.

Yea: Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0052

- 7.5 Mrs. Stradley moved, seconded by Mr. Hollenback that the Board approve the Early Childhood Disabled Preschool Contract Amendment with the Licking County Educational Service Center for FY23.

Yea: Mrs. Stradley, Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0053

- 7.6 Mrs. Stradley moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce, that the board approve the Early Education Services for Children with Disabilities Contract with the Licking County Educational Service Center for FY23.

Yea: Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Mr. Hollenback, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0054

- 7.7 Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Stradley, that the board approve the General Services Contract with the Licking County Educational Service Center for FY23.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0055

- 7.8 Mrs. Bruce moved, seconded by Mr. Hollenback, that the Board approve Addendum I to the Special Education contracts with the Licking County Educational Service Center for the 2022-2023 school year. All other provisions of said contracts shall remain in full force.

Yea: Mrs. Bruce, Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger, Mrs. Stradley - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0056

7.9 Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Stradley that the Board approve the following volunteers for the 2021-2022 school year:

Crystalann Aronhalt Billy Jo Daughriety

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

2022-04-0057

7.10 Mrs. Stradley moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce, that the board approve the following volunteer coaches for the 2022-2023 school year:

Terry Logue Football Volunteer Coach
Randy Whisner Golf Volunteer Coach

Yea: Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Bruce, **Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger – 5 **

Nay: - 1 **Mr. Hollenback – No on Terry Logue**

The president ruled the motion carried. (4-1 Terry Logue, 5-0 Randy Whisner)

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT/INSTRUCTION:

HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

Public comment was requested and the following responded:

- John Wieber – Agenda Item – Middle School Golf
- Bethany Simon – Special Education – IEP
- Gina Neff – Terminology

Special Meeting April 26, 2022, 7:00 a.m.

Mr. Hollenback moved, seconded by Mrs. Bruce, that the meeting be adjourned.

Yea: Mr. Hollenback, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Cooperider, Dr. Krueger, Mrs. Stradley - 5

Nay: - 0

The president ruled the motion carried.

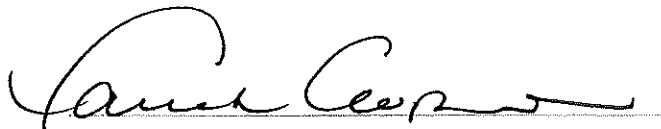
Time: 9:25 p.m.

Special Meeting **April 26, 2022**
Administrative Office
7:00 a.m.

Next Regular Meeting: May 16, 2022

Location Utica Senior High School
 260 Jefferson Street
 Utica, Ohio 43080

Time: 6:00 p.m.



Farrah Cooperider, President



Kellie Brehl, Treasurer