



FREEMPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Happenings

*During the Regular Meeting of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors held on Wednesday, **December 10, 2014**, the following agenda items were approved:*

Personnel

The employment of Susan M. (Peggy) Howard as a long-term substitute secretary, effective December 15, 2014 and continuing through the remainder of the 2014-2015 school year.

Athletics and Activities

The request of Thomas D. Koharchik, Junior/Senior High School Choral Director for approval to attend the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association District 3 Band Festival in Strattanville, Pennsylvania, on January 8-9, 2015.

The request of Charles M. Shipman, Jr., Junior High/Senior High Band Director, for approval to attend the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association Region II Band Festival in Erie, Pennsylvania, with approximately four Senior High School students, on February 12-14, 2015.

Finance

The November financial reports and a list of bills for payment.

The District's acting as project co-sponsor, along with Buffalo Township, in the submission of a Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission Livability Through Smart Transportation Program Pre-Qualification Application for the Project titled, "South Pike Street (SR 0356) Corridor - A Community Connectivity Plan."

The District's entering into a 60-month lease for the District's multi-function printers with WPS, Inc.

The District's entering into joint purchasing agreements with other school districts or intermediate units in Pennsylvania for the purchase of general supplies and equipment for the 2014-2015 school year.

A list of budgetary transfers.

Other Business

The authorization of VEBH Architects to proceed with the further development of the design options for the construction of a multi-use athletic stadium located on the Middle School/High School campus.

The request of Ryan M. Manzer, Business Manager, for approval to attend the Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials Annual Conference in Hershey, Pennsylvania, on March 11-13, 2015.

The request of Dawn Brennan, owner of Studio 356 in Sarver, to waive facilities use fees for the Jingle Jamz charity event, to benefit pediatric cancer research and awareness through Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, to be held on December 14, 2014.

The acceptance of a donation from KDKA/WPCW TV in connection with its Extra Effort Award presented to a District student.

The authorization of the District Business Manager to execute the sale of the District's former phone system and equipment.