



FREEMPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Happenings

*During the Regular Meeting of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors held on Wednesday, **October 14, 2015**, the following agenda items were approved:*

Personnel

The resignation of Robert D. Binz, part-time Custodian, effective September 14, 2015.

The resignation of Bonnie J. Reckhart, part-time School Nutrition Program worker, effective October 5, 2015.

The resignation of Denise L. English, part-time School Nutrition Program worker, effective October 5, 2015.

The employment of Deena R. Mitchell as a part-time Custodian, effective October 14, 2015.

The employment of Erin S. Bowser, Mary Ann Boyko, Julie M. Domhoff, Cindy L. Hazelett, Mary Beth Hietsch, Elaine R. Korbeck, Irina Rylowa, Stacy L. Waltenbaugh, and Lugene S. Young as part-time Cafeteria Workers, effective as of the beginning of the 2015-2016 school year.

The employment of Dawn E. Arrington as an Educational Assistant for the 2015-2016 school year, effective October 14, 2015.

The employment of Tahnelle E. Herrit as an English as a second language instructor for the 2015-2016 school year, effective October 1, 2015.

The request of Peggy Jo Corry, Educational Assistant, for uncompensated Family Medical Leave Act leave beginning on or around October 26, 2015 and ending on or around November 13, 2015.

The employment of Ronald A. Grove as Junior High Boys Basketball Coach for the District's athletics programs during the 2015-2016 school year.

The appointment of Wayne M. Greiser, Shane J. Mills, and Christopher W. Speer as volunteer Boys Basketball Coaches, and Mark Shemanski as a volunteer Girls Basketball Coach, for the 2015-2016 school year, at no cost to the District.

The employment of Dana S. Roach as DECA Advisor, and Shaun M. Cartiff, John C. Lowry, Christopher R. McGrady, and Michael C. McGrath, as Technology Help Desk Coordinators for their respective schools, for the District's extracurricular programs during the 2015-2016 school year.

The appointment of Michael C. Helman as volunteer High School Television/Media Department sponsor for the 2015-2016 school year, at no cost to the District.

Curriculum and Technology

The request from Mark L. Caruso and Tiffany M. Trudgen, teachers, to attend the Data Recognition Corporation PSSA Item Scoring/Training Conference to be held in Erie, Pennsylvania, from October 21-22, 2015.

Athletics and Activities

The request from John J. Beneigh, Teacher, for pre-approval of the High School trip to Washington, D.C., on March 19-21, 2016.

The request from Thomas D. Koharchik and Charles M. Shipman, Jr., teachers, for pre-approval of the Symphonic Band and Concert Choir trip to Hershey, Pennsylvania, on May 20-22, 2016.

The establishment of a cooperative sponsorship between Freeport Area High School and Armstrong Jr-Sr High School, for Girls' Lacrosse, at no additional cost to the District and contingent on the approval of the Armstrong School District.

The establishment of a cooperative sponsorship between Freeport Area High School and Armstrong Jr-Sr High School, for Wrestling, at no cost to the District and contingent on the approval of the Armstrong School District.

Finance

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

Other Business

The award of the Athletics Complex Project General Construction Contract to DiMarco Construction Co.

The award of the Athletics Complex Project Plumbing Construction Contract to Rabe Environmental Systems, Inc.

The award of the Athletics Complex Project HVAC Construction Contract to D&G Mechanical, Inc.

The award of the Athletics Complex Project Electrical Construction Contract to Bronder Technical Services, Inc.

The award of a Synthetic Turf System Construction Contract to ProGrass, LLC.

The authorization of VEBH Architects, PC, to prepare conceptual design documents and budget estimates for new Baseball and Softball Fields adjacent to the Freeport Area Middle School.

The authorization of Pennsylvania Soil & Rock to prepare a topographic survey of the proposed baseball and softball field area, for use by the project architect in preparing conceptual diagrams for the new field.

An Addendum to the Agreement between Owner and Owner's Representative dated August 14, 2013, between the District and Dennis Russo, d/b/a Russo Construction Services, for services provided in connection with the Freeport Area Middle School Project, to continue the term of the Agreement through November 30, 2015.

Change Orders No. 9 and No. 10 to the SR 0356 Highway Improvement Project Agreement with A. Folino Construction, Inc. dated March 11, 2015.

Contracts for educational services and special education learning support services with Armstrong School District for the 2015-2016 school year.

An agreement with Catapult Learning to provide Title I services at Evangel Heights Christian Academy for the 2015-2016 school year.

A Service Agreement with State Security and Investigation Services, Inc., to provide uniformed security and consulting services for a term beginning on August 21, 2015 and ending on June 30, 2016.

Next Meetings

Wednesday, November 4, 2015, at 7:30 pm – Committee Meeting

Wednesday, November 11, 2015, at 7:30 pm – Regular Meeting