



# ***Board News***

Hartville R-II School District  
Summary of Board of Education Meeting  
April 20, 2021 6:30 p.m.

## **REORGANIZATION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

- Jason Cryer and Jeff Ward were sworn in.
- Dickinson elected President.
- Ward elected Vice President
- Arnall elected Secretary of the Board.
- Jennifer Arnall elected Treasurer
- Dickinson MSBA delegate, Culver alternate
- Board meetings will be held the third Monday of each month.

## **RECOGNITIONS**

- Emma McDaris, Hartville High School Senior, was awarded the Belcher Scholarship by representatives from MSBA.

## **APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**

The Board of Education approved the consent agenda items as presented. They included the following:

- April 2021 open regular session agenda
- March 2021 open regular session minutes

## **FINANCIAL REPORT**

The Board of Education approved the March payment of bills and the fund balance report.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS**

Reports were given as follows:

- MSBA Delegate Report
- Building Level Reports
- Superintendent Report

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- The Board of Education approved the proposal to purchase the 2019 Blue Bird bus from Central States Bus Sales for \$67,390.
- The superintendent reported to the Board of Education regarding employee insurance with Cox Health Plans. Premiums for the base plan in 2021-22 will be \$571 per month per employee. There is a base

plan change from \$2000 deductible to a \$2500 deductible. The board approved raising the cap on health insurance from \$538 to \$571 per month per employee for the 2021-22 school year.

- The Board of Education approved retirement resolutions for Dale Conklin, Tammy Rose, David Rose, Vicki Hilliard, Teresa Teske, and Barb Palmer.

Open session concluded at 7:03 p.m.

### **CLOSED SESSION**

- The Board of Education approved the March 2021 Closed Session minutes.
- The Superintendent discussed issues related to Student Records with the Board of Education.
- The Superintendent and Board of Education discussed issues related to Personnel.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Charles Laird, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Dale Conklin, School Resource Officer.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Emily Straw, Vocal Music Teacher.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Vicki Hilliard, School Nurse.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Tammy Rose, Custodian.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from David Rose, Head of Maintenance.
- The Board of Education accepted a resignation from Kenna O'Dell, Cook.
- The Board of Education voted to hire Amy McDaris, Jr. High Administrative Assistant.
- The Board of Education voted to hire Alyssa Johnson, Elementary Teacher.
- The Board of Education voted to hire Jason Parker, Head of Maintenance.
- The Board of Education voted to rehire Ann Dickinson.
- The Board of Education voted to rehire Annette Culver.
- The Board of Education accepted the recommendations from the superintendent. All remaining non-certified staff were rehired.

Closed Session concluded at approximately 9:33 p.m.