

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Special Board of Education Meeting

January 25

2022

The Mansfield City Schools Board of Education met in a special session on Tuesday, January 25, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. in the Lowell T. Smith Boardroom at the Raemelton Administration Building. The following members answered the roll: Renda Cline, present, Gary Feagin, present, Chris Elswick, present, Linda Golden, present, Sheryl Weber, present. Superintendent, Stan Jefferson and Treasurer, Tacy Courtright were also present.

The pledge of allegiance was recited

22 - 21 Resolution to Approve the Agenda

Ms. Cline moved, seconded by Mr. Feagin to approve the agenda

Roll call: Ms. Cline, Yes; Mr. Feagin, Yes; Mr. Elswick, Yes; Mrs. Weber, Yes; Mrs. Golden, Yes

District Grade Level Configuration

Superintendent Jefferson, along with Stephen Rizzo and Jonathan Burras presented to the Board of Education multiple restructuring efforts that would transition some grades to other buildings. The proposed changes are as follows:

- Pre-K students at Springmill STEM would move together to Sherman Elementary. Moving forward, Sherman Elementary would become one of two attendance area primary schools and serve grades Pre-K-2.
- K-2 students enrolled at Woodland Elementary would move to Prospect Elementary. Moving forward, Prospect Elementary would become the other attendance area primary school and serve grades K-2.
- Grade 3 students at Prospect, Woodland, and Sherman Elementary schools would move to Malabar Intermediate. Malabar would serve grades 3 – 6.
- K-6 students enrolled in Spanish Immersion would move to 460 Davis Road, formerly Woodland Elementary. Grades 7 and 8 students enrolled in Spanish Immersion would transition to an open wing at Mansfield Middle School. The language immersion program would be maintained.
- Springmill STEM has been approved by the ODE STEM Committee to expand to serve students in grades K-6. Grade 6 would be added.

Superintendent Jefferson and his administrative team will hold three community meetings to answer questions about the transition and welcome all to join them for discussions.

Pre-School Facility

Mr. Scott McKenzie, with Veregy Business Development reported that his firm is on track and working with Mr. Booth and Dr. Bradley to complete the plans for the move of the Pre-K students to Sherman Elementary.

22 - 22 Resolution to adjourn to Executive Session

Mr. Elswick moved, seconded by Ms. Cline to go into executive session for the purpose of:

- A. To consider the employment, dismissal, discipline of a public employee

Roll call: Mr. Elswick, Yes; Ms. Cline, Yes; Mr. Feagin, Yes; Mrs. Weber, Yes; Mrs. Golden, Yes

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The board adjourned to the executive session at 6:14 p.m.

The board returned from executive session at 6:53 p.m.

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Resolution to Adjourn

Mr. Elswick moved, seconded by Ms. Cline to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m..

Roll call: Mr. Elswick, Yes; Ms. Cline, Yes; Mr. Feagin, Yes; Mrs. Weber, Yes; Mrs. Golden, Yes

Sheryl Weber , President

Tacy Courtright, Treasurer

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