

**AVONWORTH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Special Purpose Meeting**  
**Dr. Thomas W. Ralston Learning Lab & Virtually**  
**6:00 PM Tuesday, June 21, 2022**  
**BOARD NOTES**

The following items were approved at this meeting:

- Minutes of the May 2, 2022 Work Session/General Purpose Meeting, the May 9, 2022 Regular Meeting, and the May 23, 2022 Special Purpose Meeting.
- To ratify payment of General Fund bills for May 2022, beginning with Check #53463 and ending with Check #53689 in the amount of \$716,348.37.
- To ratify the May 2022, payroll in the amount of \$1,312,015.86.
- Treasurer's Report for April 2022.
- To ratify payment of Food Service Fund bills for May, 2022, beginning with Check #3195 and ending with Check #3200 in the amount of \$25,482.54.
- To ratify payment of the Athletic Fund checks for May, 2022, beginning with Check #9621 and ending with Check #9660 in the amount of \$1,877.50.
- Capital Project Fund payments for June, 2022, in the amount of \$87,046.84.
- Drs. Jeff Hadley and Jillian Bichsel to attend the AASA Learning 2025 National Summit in Washington DC June 28-30, 2022 at no cost to the District. The cost, not to exceed \$1,616 each plus mileage, will be paid from funds provided by the Grable Foundation.
- Final Budget for the 2022-2023 School Year in the amount of \$38,257,160 as presented on State Form PDE-2028.
- The adoption of Resolution 061322-A to establish millage at 20.19 mills for the 2022-2023 School Year as presented.
- The adoption of Resolution 061322-B Homestead and Farmstead Exclusion as presented.
- The following depositories for school funds for the 2022-2023 School Year: Dollar Bank, PNC Bank, and PA School District Liquid Asset Fund (PSDLAF).
- The 2022-2023 Renewal Coverage for the District's insurance coverage for "Package, Property, Automobile, Excess Liability, and Errors & Omissions" through UTICA at a total annual premium of \$83,384 and cyber coverage through Chubbs/PSBA at an annual premium of \$10,782.
- The District Worker's Compensation program renewal through UPMC Health Benefits for the 2022-2023 School Year at an annual premium of \$70,814.
- The Memorandum Of Understanding with the AIU for 2022-2023 Title III Consortium initiatives as presented.
- The Amendment Agreement with First Student, Inc. for the 2022-2023 School Year.
- The EITC Letter of Support for the Japan-America Society of PA to accompany their application for inclusion for educational improvement organizations to the Dept. of Community and Economic Development.
- The MOU with Ohio Township Police Department for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 School Years.
- Resignations as presented:

Name	Position	Effective Date
Mrs. Mary Ann Mihalko	Kindergarten Teacher	Retiring as of July 1, 2022
Dr. Sandra Swen	School Psychologist	Retiring as of August 12, 2022
Mrs. Pharlan Ives	Assistant Elementary Principal	Final day of employment in the Avonworth School District is July 1, 2022
Ms. Sonia Ewell - <b>Addenda Item</b>	High School English Teacher	June 30, 2022
Ms. Rose Klein - <b>Addenda Item</b>	Middle School Paraprofessional	May 6, 2022

- Appointment(s), as presented:

Name	Position	Effective Date
Ms. Sally Scherling	Substitute School Board/Confidential Secretary to the Superintendent at a rate of \$25.00/hour with no benefits	2022-2023 School Year
Ms. Mallory Accamando	As a Temporary Professional Employee with an assignment as a Third Grade Teacher according to the current AEA contract at Category M, Step 3, with benefits.	2022-2023 School Year

- Leave requests as presented:

Employee	Reason	Dates
#1478	For up to 12 weeks FMLA and Unpaid Child Care Leave	From November 3, 2022 to March 15, 2023.
#2160 - <b>Addenda Item</b>	For Child Care Leave	From August 19, 2022 to October 26, 2022.

- The following as summer tutors with an hourly rate per the current AEA contract:

- Ms. Miranda Broniak
- Ms. Alyssa King
- Ms. Cheryl Noethiger
- Ms. Trisha Floyd-Scheller
- Ms. Tracy Harris
- Ms. Crystal O'Neil
- Ms. Jennifer Revesz
- Ms. Anastasia Simpson

- Summer ESY Program staff commencing July 6, 2022, at a rate per the current AEA and AESPA bargaining agreements as presented.

ESY Teachers	ESY Paraprofessionals
Ms. Erica Snyder	Ms. Pam Wingfield
Ms. Hannah Fassler	Ms. Lisa Simmons
Mr. Pam Rawlings	Ms. Makenzie Wetzel
Ms. Lucy Negron	Ms. Olivia Scheller
Ms. Erica Koelsch	
Ms. Rebecca Kolesar	
Ms. Maddy Persinger	
Ms. Elaine Schmidt-Speech	
Ms. Olivia Scheller - Teacher Substitute	

- Changing the 10 month Attendance/Athletic Secretary position to a 12 month position.

- The Addendum to the ESS Northeast LLC Agreement as presented.
- The following as Curriculum Leaders beginning with the 2022-2023 School Year:
  - Computer Science/Tech Ed/Engineering/Business (MS & HS) - Ms. Nicole Findon
  - ELA (MS) - Ms. Kathy Galecki
  - ELA (HS) - Mr. Scott Tuffiash
  - World Language (8-12) - Ms. Melissa Reagle
  - Science (MS) - Ms. Megan Campedel
  - Science (HS) - Mr. Greg Wolfe
  - Social Studies (MS and HS) - Ms. Molly Long
  - FCS & HPE (MS & HS) - Mr. Phil Coffin
  - Music & Art/Media (MS & HS) - Mr. Will Guess
  - Math (MS & HS) - Mr. Tony Cario
  - Student Services (MS & HS) - Ms. Katelyn Straley
- The Agreement with Shannon Feit, Consultant, for Professional Development support from July 1, 2022 through July 1, 2023 for an amount not to exceed \$10,000.
- The Agreement with Sallie Kaan for K-5 Eureka Math Implementation Support at an amount not to exceed \$8,000.
- The Agreement with the Fox Chapel Area School District for Elementary Principals and Teachers to implement Foundations and literacy foundational skills within the ELA classrooms at an amount not to exceed \$5,000.
- The MOU with the Sewickley Public Library as presented.
- To declare several Primary Center and Elementary School library books as obsolete and to donate/dispose of accordingly.
- To accept the proposal from R&B Mechanical to replace the boilers that provide hot water to the Middle School at a cost of \$79,875. (Payment to be made from the Capital Projects Fund)
- The resignation of coaches as presented:

Name	Position	Effective Date
Ms. Lindsey Reichert	Asst. Varsity Girls Soccer Coach	May 12, 2022
Mr. Scott Savatt	Asst. MS Softball Coach	May 9, 2022
Mr. Brody Zangaro	Head MS Boys Basketball Coach	May 24, 2022

- The resignation of the supplemental sponsors as presented.

Sponsor	Position	Effective Date
Ms. Molly Chester	GSA	May 6, 2022
Ms. Kathy Galecki	Gr. 8 Lunch Duty	May 13, 2022
Ms. Shelby James	Pittsburgh Galleries	May 10, 2022
Ms. Breanna Maisner	Personal Pathways - Public & International Relations	May 2, 2022
Ms. Karen Russell	Primary Center Bus Duty	April 29, 2022
Ms. Katie Straley	Middle School Lunch Duty	May 1, 2022
Ms. Kerri Villani	GSA	May 6, 2022
Ms. Tiffany White	Pers. Pathways - Business, Finance, Entrepreneurship	May 16, 2022
Mr. Bill White	TSA - Middle & High School	May 25, 2022
Ms. Jennifer Wickert	High School Lunch Duty	May 17, 2022

- The 2022-2023 Student Athletic Insurance underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company at an annual premium of \$6,950.
- The second and final reading of the following new policies: 150.1 Title I Comparability of Services, 309.1 Telework, and 347 Workers' Compensation Transitional Return-to-Work Program.
- Approve the first reading of policy 816 District Social Media.