



MARION COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2
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**Superintendent Summary
Board of Education Meeting
February 16, 2021**

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Roll Call

All board members present.

Audience to Visitors

No public comment offered.

Closed Session

The Board did not enter into closed session.

Consent Agenda

The Board voted 7-0 to approve consent agenda as presented:

- a. **Minutes** - the minutes from the January 7, 2021 special meeting and the January 19, 2021 regular meeting.
- b. **Bills** – the January supplementary bills and the February bills for payment as presented.

Personnel Recommendations

The Board voted 7-0 to approve the following personnel recommendations:

EMPLOYMENT

Lily Clark, Custodian assigned to Marion Junior High, effective February 19, 2021.

David Norris, Maintenance Department, effective February 19, 2021.

RESIGNATION

Karee Johnston, Cook assigned to Marion High School, effect February 26, 2021.

The Board voted 7-0 to approve the following personnel recommendation:

REASSIGNMENT

Becky Moss, reassigned from Marion Junior High Principal to Assistant Superintendent, effective July 1, 2021.

Bids & Proposals

The Board voted 7-0 to award the bid for Lincoln Elementary HVAC, Roof and Door Replacement to A & W Plumbing and Heating for the base bid amount of \$1,997,000.00 and Alternate Bid #1 in the amount of \$201,000.00 for a total bid of \$2,198,000.00.

Technology Report

Weekly update of Securly accounts for parents.

Daily monitoring of SysCloud to ensure daily backup of all Unit #2 Google accounts.

Daily monitoring all student and staff data for Amplify on-line curriculum.

Completed first training with BlackBoard for district web site re-design and upgrade.

Technology planning for the 2021-2022 school year.

Working with Ruckus to fine tune and get MHS wireless network up to peak performance.

Replaced all Ruckus wireless access point at MHS with the newest model.

Daily processing of broken/damaged Chromebooks for Adams and all Elem buildings.

Received and processed 116 Tech Work Requests.

Projector troubleshooting. Repair and/or replace. On-going.

Daily email account creations for new students.

Maintenance Report

Buildings

Lincoln School – we are working on a project that will take two summers to complete. The work consists of replacing exterior doors that will have keyless entry, new HVAC on the roof to replace the original unit heaters in classrooms as well as the gym, kitchen, media center and the office area. The gym will get a new roof along with a section of C hall.

We have started taking down the old Channel 1 Televisions that are no longer used. Televisions will be recycled. We will work on taking them down at each school when we have extra time. The walls will be patched and painted in the areas of the classroom where the televisions were removed.

Custodians and Maintenance crew have been working hard to keep the ice and snow cleared.

Custodial

Custodians are staying busy disinfecting all of our facilities while trying to keep them clean, as well as helping out with day to day activities and sporting events.

Maintenance

Maintenance Department is working on preventive maintenance items, emergency situations, work order requests, HVAC issues along with anything else we can help with.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Oates presented the Board with updated COVID information and was pleased to report a decline in the number of faculty, staff and students affected by the virus.

Assistant Superintendent Report

Student Recognition

Academic

Marion High School

Welding 3 & CAD Engineering Design – Dylan Graves, Ben Parks, Dyson Roye and Matthew Wilkerson completed the OSHA 10 certification. This certification is a professional-level certification through OSHA, and it is a requirement to work on many commercial industrial and construction jobsites.



Dylan Graves
CAD



Ben Parks
Welding 3



Dyson Roye
CAD



Matthew Wilkerson
Welding 3

Assistant Superintendent Report (con't)

Student Recognition

Extra-Curricular/Clubs

Marion High School

FBLA – The following students placed in their events at the FBLA Southern Area Conference Virtual Award Ceremony:

Emily Jones & Victoria Shore – 1st place/Broadcast Journalism

Gabe Kosco, Noah Walters & River Doss – 2nd place/Business Ethics

Penelope Gordon – 2nd place/Economics

Shaelen Hudson – 2nd place/Healthcare Administration

Nehemiah Goodman – 2nd place/Introduction to Business

Paige Newlin & Rece Roper – 1st place/Sports & Entertainment Management

In addition, River Doss was elected as the 2021-2022 FBLA Southern Area Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

The District is 58.33 % of the way through the fiscal year as of January 31, 2021. The Education Fund expenditures are at 54.37% and Operations and Maintenance Fund expenditures are at 63.98%. Expenditures for all district funds are at 55.90%.

Miscellaneous and/or Discussion

John Barwick, Board President, acknowledged Jeff Moake, Director of Facilities and his staff, as well as the City of Marion, for their efforts in clearing the snow and ice from the District's parking lots and sidewalks.

Adjournment

The Board voted 7-0 to adjourn the meeting at 6:12 p.m.