



# WYOMING PUBLIC SCHOOLS

3575 Gladiola Avenue SW | Wyoming, Michigan 49519

## WPS BOARD BRIEFS

### Regular Board Meeting

May 13, 2019 ~ 6:00 PM

2018-19 WPS Retirees:

The following staff members were recognized during the meeting in front of an audience of their peers, family members, teachers and administrators:

- Jayne Bartrand, Teacher – WIS, 1996-2019
- Lanny Bastos, PE, 1987-2019
- Maddy Cook, Teacher – Gladiola, 1988-2019
- Linda Fahling, Resource Room – Parkview, 2004-2019
- Terri Finkbeiner, Secretary – Oriole Park, 1998-2019
- Anne Marie Gaglio, Teacher – WJH, 1990-2019
- Kathy Hodge, Teacher – WIS, 2004-2019
- Christine Krive, Teacher – Parkview, 1989-2019
- Dave Rader, Teacher – WJH, 1994-2019
- Deb Terpstra, Transportation, 1999-2018
- Bev Vickers, Teacher – WIS, 1990-2019
- Katie Westcott, Teacher – WIS, 1993-2019

2018-19 End of the Year Awards:

The Board recognized the following end of the year award winners in front of an audience full of their peers, family members, teachers, and administrators:

- Professional Staff Member of the Year – Paul Debri, WIS
- Support Staff Member of the Year – Jerry Campbell, West & WJH
- Volunteer of the Year – Tammy Walsh, Parent

Personnel Transactions:

**Action Item – Approved**

The Board approved the following personnel transactions:

#### **Retirements / Resignations:**

- Jayne Bartrand, Teacher – WIS, Effective 5/31/19
- Lanny Bastos, PE, Effective 5/31/19
- Maddy Cook, Teacher – Gladiola, Effective 5/31/19
- Amy Dunn, Teacher – WJH, Effective 8/14/19
- Linda Fahling, Resource Room – Parkview, Effective 5/31/19
- Terri Finkbeiner, Secretary – Oriole Park, Effective 6/30/19
- Anne Marie Gaglio, Teacher – WJH, Effective 5/31/19
- Kathy Hodge, Teacher – WIS, Effective 5/31/19
- Jessica Seidl, Teacher – West, Effective 8/14/19
- Liz Kenney, Teacher – West, Effective 5/30/19
- Christy Krive, Teacher – Parkview, Effective 5/31/19
- Ellissa Lauer, Teacher – Parkview, Effective 8/14/19
- Dave Rader, Teacher – WJH, Effective 5/31/19
- Troy Reynolds, Paraprofessional – WJH, Effective 5/07/19
- Bev Vickers, Teacher – WIS, Effective 5/31/19
- Katie Westcott, Teacher – WIS, Effective 5/31/19

The Board approved a resolution for the layoff of professional staff members as necessary due to student numbers and / or course selections for the 2019-20 school year.

<p>Certified Professional Staff Reduction Resolution: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved a resolution for the layoff of support staff members as necessary due to grant decisions and / or program changes for the 2019-20 school year.</p>
<p>Support Staff Reduction Resolution: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved a resolution making Craig Popma the District KISD election representative and Tom Mott the alternate election representative.</p>
<p>Kent ISD District Candidate Selection &amp; Election Representatives: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The designated representative or alternate will cast three (3) votes on the first ballot on behalf of the Board for David Drake, Bill Joseph and Matt Rettig at the June 3<sup>rd</sup> Kent ISD meeting.</p>
<p>WPS 2018-19 Budget Amendment: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the 2018-19 WPS budget amendment as presented.</p>
<p>Kent ISD 2019-20 Budget Resolution: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the Kent ISD 2019-20 budget resolution as presented.</p>
<p>3065 Robin Purchase Resolution: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the resolution and purchase agreement for the purchase of property located at 3065 Robin in Wyoming, MI. This parcel shares two (2) boundaries with Wyoming High School.</p>
<p>Construction Management Final Contract: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the construction management final contract with The Christman Company. This agreement will run through series I and series II of the November 2017 bond work.</p>
<p>Architect Final Contract: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the architect final contract with GMB. This agreement will run through series I and series II of the November 2017 bond work.</p>
<p>2019 L-4029 Tax Rate Request: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the 2019 L-4029 tax rate request form as submitted. The operating millage rate will decrease from 17.8595 to 17.5508 due to another Headlee rollback. The sinking fund is also subject to Headlee reduction and will be reduced from .4938 to .4868. Our debt millage is not impacted by Headlee rollbacks and will remain at 5.65 mills.</p>
<p>Phone System Upgrade: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the phone system upgrade proposal and quote submitted by Sentinel Technologies in the amount of \$250,819.03. The current phone system being used by the District is nearly 20 years old. It is difficult to repair and to find replacement parts.</p>
<p>BPA National Leadership Update:</p>	<p>The Board was provided an update on the recent BPA National Leadership Conference which took place last weekend in Anaheim, California. Yailine Palomo, Wyoming High School Senior, finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place nationally in Digital Media Production. This is a huge accomplishment, and all are proud of Ms. Palomo's hard work.</p>
<p>HB4206 – Snow Day Forgiveness Update:</p>	<p>Last Friday, Governor Whitmer signed legislation providing districts with three (3) additional snow days given the state of emergency we experienced last winter. MDE will now auto-grant three (3) additional</p>

<p>2019-20 K-12 Handbooks: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>snow days to districts who had previously submitted the three (3) day waiver. Given the additional days of forgiveness, the last day of the 2018-19 school year will remain May 31, 2019.</p> <p>The Board approved the adoption of the 2019-20 K-12 handbook updates as presented.</p>
<p>Student Trip Request – Indiana Tech University <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the WHS girls basketball team student trip request for travel to Indiana Tech University in Fort Wayne, Indiana on June 7, 2019 to compete in the Indiana Tech Shootout and tour the ITU campus.</p>
<p>Student Trip Request – CMU: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board approved the WJH MiCi student trip request for travel to Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant, Michigan on May 30, 2019 to compete in the Special Olympics.</p>
<p>Student Trip Request – Costa Rica: <b>Action Item – Denied</b></p>	<p>The Board denied the WHS student trip request for travel to Costa Rica in June of 2019.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Student 1819.02 <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>The Board expelled the student known as 1819.02 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year and the entire 2019-20 school year. Re-enrollment of the student in August of 2020 will be dependent upon the student meeting specific criteria.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Student 1819.03 <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>The Board expelled the student known as 1819.03 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year and the entire 2019-20 school year. Re-enrollment of the student in August of 2020 will be dependent upon the student meeting specific criteria.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Student 1819.04 <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>The Board expelled the student known as 1819.04 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year and the entire 2019-20 school year. Re-enrollment of the student in August of 2020 will be dependent upon the student meeting specific criteria.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Student 1819.05 <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>The Board expelled the student known as 1819.05 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year and the entire 2019-20 school year. Re-enrollment of the student in August of 2020 will be dependent upon the student meeting specific criteria.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Student 1819.06 <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>The Board expelled the student known as 1819.06 for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year and the entire 2019-20 school year. Re-enrollment of the student in August of 2020 will be dependent upon the student meeting specific criteria.</p>
<p><b>Upcoming Events:</b></p>	<p><b><u>Board Committee Work Sessions:</u></b> Thursday, June 6, 2019 ~ 4:30 PM – WPS Admin Building Thursday, June 20, 2019 ~ 4:30 PM – WPS Admin Building</p> <p><b><u>Board Meetings:</u></b> Monday, June 10, 2019 ~ 6:00 PM – WPS Admin Building Monday, June 24, 2019 ~ 4:45 PM – Budget Hearing Monday, June 24, 2019 ~ 5:00 PM – WPS Admin Building</p>

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**Other Events:**

May 21, 2019 – Graduation – 7:00 PM – GR First

June 17, 2019 – Wyoming City Council Meeting – WJH – 6:30 PM