

Ohio County Board of Education Meeting  
August 19, 2021 6:00 PM  
Central Office  
315 E. Union St.  
Hartford, KY 42347

Attendance Taken at 6:00 PM:

Present Board Members:

Mrs. Karen Boling  
Mrs. Angelia Canary  
Mr. Jeff Evans  
Mr. Anthony Geary  
Mrs. Beth Lunsford

1. Call to Order
- 1.a. Welcome
- 1.b. Mission Statement
- 1.c. Proposed Amendment Agenda

Order #4368. - Motion Passed: Approval of the agenda as presented passed with a motion by Mrs. Karen Boling and a second by Mrs. Beth Lunsford.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

2. Recognitions
3. Presentations
4. Consent Agenda

Order #4369. - Motion Passed: Approval of consent agenda as presented passed with a motion by Mrs. Karen Boling and a second by Mr. Anthony Geary.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

- 4.a. Approval of Prior Minutes

Discussion:

July 15 & July 22, 2021 minutes were presented for your review and approval.

- 4.b. Pay Bills
- 4.c. Receive SBDM Council Reports
- 4.d. Approve Fundraisers

Discussion:

Fordsville PTO - Fordsville Days/Cold Stone Ice Cream & Henna Tattoos; Paragon Sale, Bags for Bucks, Little Caesars  
Horse Branch - Scholastic Book Fair (Fall and Spring)  
Wayland - Book Fair  
Wayland Beta Club - Auntie Anne's Food Truck  
Wayland PTO - Blood Drive, Paragon Sale, Fall Festival, Christmas Dance  
Western PTO - Fall Festival, Penny War, Spirit wear, Yard Sale

4.e. Approve Rental Request

4.f. Approve Leaves of Absence

Discussion:

Amanda Cecil - Instructional Asst., Wayland - 8/10/21-8/27/21

Jennifer Thomas - Teacher, Beaver Dam - 8/10/21-9/22/21

Stephen Flener - Bus Driver, Transportation - 8/11/21-9/29/21

Ashley Drake - Teacher, Wayland - 8/11/21-12/17/21

Lisa Baize - Custodian, Beaver Dam - 6/21/21-8/31/21

4.g. Approve Petition for Early Enrollment Forms

Discussion:

Hadley Burden, Maddy Lynch, Jack Elliott Shepherd, and Mya Smith

4.h. Approve Reading Recovery Grant with University of Kentucky

4.i. Declare Middle School Science Teacher as an Emergency Certification Position

4.j. Declare High School Math Teacher as an Emergency Certification Position

4.k. Declare Elementary Teacher as an Emergency Certification Position

4.l. Approve Agreement to Lease School Buses between Audubon Area Head Start

4.m. Approve to Surplus 2 Buses and Additional Items

4.n. Approve to Salvage Bus #2005 & Bus #9166

4.o. Approve Tax Rate

Discussion:

This would make the Real Estate Property Rate continue to be 54.6 cents and the Tangible Personal Property be at 54.8 cents (including 0.02 cents for exonerations).

4.p. Approve to Support CBE

4.q. Approve Non-Resident Contracts

4.r. Modify Cook/Baker at Ohio County High School 5 Hours to 5.5 Hours

4.s. Modify Cook/Baker at Ohio County High School 5 Hours to 5.5 Hours

4.t. Modify Cook/Baker at Ohio County High School 5 Hours to 6 Hours

4.u. Modify Cook/Baker at Ohio County High School 5 Hours to 6 Hours

4.v. Modify Cook/Baker at Ohio County High School 5 Hours to 6 Hours

4.w. Approve Uniform Rotation Cycle for OCHS & OCMS

4.x. Approve Payment #3 to Hartz Contracting for Area Tech Center Addition & Renovation Project (including Sub-Contractors)

Discussion:

Approve Payment #3 to Hartz Contracting for Area Tech Center Addition & Renovation Project (including Sub-Contractors) in the amount of \$626,305.29.

4.y. Approve Payment #4 to Hartz Contracting for Auxiliary Gym/ROTC Training Facility Project

Discussion:

Approve Payment #4 to Hartz Contracting for Auxiliary Gym/ROTC Training Facility Project in the amount of \$128,897.91.

4.z. Approve Payment #10 to Q & S Enterprises for Wayland Preschool Addition Project

Discussion:

Approve Payment #10 to Q & S Enterprises for Wayland Preschool Addition Project in the amount of \$75,639.71.

4.aa. Approve Payment to Associated Engineers, Inc. for Auxiliary Gym Project

Discussion:

Approve Payment to Associated Engineers, Inc. for Auxiliary Gym Project in the amount of \$5,858.70.

4.bb. Approve Virtual Criteria

4.cc. Create 1.0 Full-Time Substitute Bus Driver

4.dd. Create Virtual Teacher for 2021-2022 School Year

5. New Business

5.a. Review Items

5.a.1. Personnel

5.a.2. Data Security and Breach Notification Best Practice Guide

5.b. Action Items

5.b.1. Approve Treasurer's Report

Order #4370. - Motion Passed: Approval of Treasurer's Report passed with a motion by Mrs. Beth Lunsford and a second by Mrs. Angelia Canary.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

5.b.2. Approve FY2022 SBDM Allocations

Order #4371. - Motion Passed: Approve FY2022 SBDM Allocations passed with a motion by Mr. Anthony Geary and a second by Mrs. Beth Lunsford.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

5.b.3. Approve Emergency Day Resolution and Request Form

Order #4372. - Motion Passed: Approve Emergency Day Resolution and Request Form passed with a motion by Mrs. Karen Boling and a second by Mrs. Beth Lunsford.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

6. Communications/Dialogue (No Action)

6.a. Request to Speak

Discussion:

Ben Everley, former player under Coach Bruce Raley, requested that the OCHS Football Field be named in Coach Raley's honor.

Bruce Cardwell, former player under Coach Bruce Raley, also requested that the OCHS Football Field be named in Coach Raley's honor. He spoke of Coach Raley's success and compassion he had for his players and his teams.

Jerry Hoskins requested that the OCHS Football Field not be named in Bruce Raley's honor. He referenced a past incident with Mr. Raley.

Mandy Abney stated that she represented a group of parents concerned with the masking of their children in school. She commented that she respected the Board for beginning each meeting with prayer. She asked what funding would be lost if kids were not masked. She asked if a virtual option would be available. Ms. Abney asked if there will be a 30 day or 270 day mask mandate. She voiced concern that a vaccine mandate would be next.

Antony Moore provided information regarding religious exemptions to the mask mandate. He questioned what funding was being referenced if the mandate was not followed.

Superintendent Southard stated that the Kentucky Board of Education is over all local school boards and withhold funding if districts are not compliant. He also stated that the administrative certificates can be revoked if districts are non-compliant.

April Peech voiced concern regarding the mask mandate as well. She is experiencing frustration from her own children which has not been a concern in the past. She has a son who is a junior who is asking for ways to complete school earlier. He has ran track and cross country and does well, but he's not participating this school year because of having to wear a mask. Ms. Peech stated she doesn't think everyone realizes that mask are a silencer to our children. She feels the mask causes the brain to shut off communication and kids are not getting the fresh air they need.

Cheryl Perry stated that she feels the Board is the parents' voice. If the Board speaks up, those that are in higher positions will listen.

Lynn Worthington stated that she has been in education and realizes that the Board's hands are tied. She expressed that she feels for the Board members who have been put in this position. She stated to the persons in attendance that there are several people who need to be contacted that can make change and was willing to provide contact information. Ms. Worthington stated that parents need to continue to stand up for their children.

Peabody Calloway, former player under Coach Bruce Raley, requested that the OCHS Football Field be named in Coach Raley's honor. He talked about Coach Raley's compassion for him, especially when he was younger. Coach Raley made Mr. Calloway the person he is today.

#### **6.b. Board Members**

#### **6.c. Superintendent**

#### **Discussion:**

Superintendent Southard believes that staff and students are doing the best they can do in the situation that we are in to start the school year. Superintendent Southard gave an update on all the building projects at this time.

#### **7. Closed Session per KRS 61.810 (if necessary)**

Order #4373. - Motion Passed: Approval to enter into closed session per KRS 61.810 passed with a motion by Mrs. Beth Lunsford and a second by Mrs. Angelia Canary.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

8. Return to Open Session

Order #4374. - Motion Passed: Approval to return to open session passed with a motion by Mr. Anthony Geary and a second by Mrs. Karen Boling.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes


9. Adjourn

Order #4375. - Motion Passed: Approval to adjourn meeting at 8:00 p.m. passed with a motion by Mrs. Angelia Canary and a second by Mr. Anthony Geary.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mrs. Karen Boling	Yes
Mrs. Angelia Canary	Yes
Mr. Jeff Evans	Yes
Mr. Anthony Geary	Yes
Mrs. Beth Lunsford	Yes

  
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Chairperson

  
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Secretary

**Personnel Report**  
**Thursday, August 19, 21**

8/19/21

**CERTIFIED**

**Resignations:**

- 1 Kauffman, Jackie; Teacher; Beaver Dam Elementary; Effective: 7/20/2021
- 2 Decker, Greg; .5 Teacher; Render Center; Effective: 8/3/2021
- 3 Decker, Paul; .5 Supervisor/.5 Credit Recovery; Effective: 7/23/2021

**Reduction of Responsibilities:**

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**Increase in Responsibilities:**

1

**Retired:**

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**Leave of Absence:**

- 1 Cecil, Amanda; Teacher; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/11/2021

**Terminations:**

1

**Suspension:**

1

**Non-Renewed**

1

**Transfers:**

- 1 Quinn, Larissa; Wayland Preschool to Wayland Elementary; Effective: 7/21/2021

**Reinstated**

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**Hired:**

- 1 Alexander, Angela; Teacher; Ohio County High School; Effective: 7/29/2021
- 2 Belhasen, Farrah; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/2/2021
- 3 Bennett, Holly; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 7/27/2021
- 4 Clark, Gracie; Teacher; Southern Elementary; Effective: 7/23/2021
- 5 Crowe, Katherine; Teacher; Fordsville Elementary; Effective: 8/4/2021
- 6 Decker, Greg; Interim Principal; Render Center; Effective: 8/4/2021
- 7 Decker, Paul; Assistant Principal; Ohio County High School; Effective: 7/26/2021
- 8 Fulton, Amanda; Teacher; Ohio County High School; Effective: 7/21/2021
- 9 Hale, Sandra; Teacher; Ohio County High School; Effective: 7/29/2021
- 10 Johnson, Amanda; Teacher; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 7/27/2021
- 11 Johnson, Katy; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 12 Johnson, Tasha; Special Education Teacher; Fordsville Elementary; Effective: 7/27/2021
- 13 Jones, Haylee; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/17/2021
- 14 Leach, Dwight; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 15 Martin, Kelly; SPED Teacher; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/4/2021
- 16 Moorman, Amanda; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 17 Robey, Lynda; Substitute Teacher; District; Effective: 8/2/2021
- 18 Segers, Stephen; .5 Credit Recover/.5 AD/Supervision; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/2/2021

19 Swierkosz, Ellen; School Psychologist; District; Effective: 7/16/2021  
20 Truman, Amanda; Preschool Teacher; Southern Elementary; Effective: 7/20/2021

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**Resignations:**

1 Baggary, Kara; Preschool Instructional Assistant; Southern Elementary; Effective:

2 Barton, Nicky; Custodian; Southern Elementary; Effective: 8/18/2021

3 Bennet, Holly; Cook/Baker; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/9/2021

4 Crowe, Katherine; .5 Primary Instructional Assistant/.5 Intermediate Instructional

5 Decker, Paul; Athletic Director; Ohio County High School; Effective: 7/23/2021

6 Keith, Rebecca; Nurse; Wayland Alexander Elementary; Effective: 7/23/2021

7 Lofback, Eric; Bus Driver; District; Effective: 7/21/2021

8 Martin, Kelly; SPED Instructional Assistant; Ohio County Middle School; Effective:

9 Morris, Erica; Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 7/26/2021

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Renfrow, Wendy; Cook/Baker; Ohio County Middle School; Effective: 7/19/2021

11 Sergent, Montana; Afterschool Assistant; Fordsville Elementary; Effective: 7/28/2021

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Thompson, Tabatha; Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 8/8/2021

**Retired:**

1 Alexander, Ted; Attendance Specialist; District; Effective: 9/1/2021

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**Leave of Absence:**

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**Reduction of Responsibilities/hours/days**

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**Non-Renewed**

1

**Terminations****Suspension with Pay:**

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**Transferred:**

1 Baird, Terri; .5 Custodian Ohio County High School to .5 Custodian District; Effective: 8/5/2021

2 Barrett, Jill; PK Instructional Asst Beaver Dam Elementary to PK Instructional Asst Southern Elementary; Effective: 8/9/2021

3 Kimbley, Sharon; Monitor/Cook to Cook/Baker (5.5 Hs); Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/4/2021



4 Wood, Britney; Cook/Baker to Monitor/Cook (5 Hrs); Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/4/2021

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**Rescind Retirement:**

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**Rescind Hiring**

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**Hired:**

Ashby, Ashley; SPED Instructional Assistant; Beaver Dam Elementary; Effective:

1 7/27/2021

2 Baize, Patricia; Cook/Baker; Ohio County Middle School; Effective: 8/3/2021

3 Bartlett, Kendel; FRYSC Coordinator; Ohio County Middle School; Effective: 7/21/2021

4 Basham, Zada; SPED Instructional Assistant; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/5/2021

5 Boone, Katina; Nurse; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/19/2021

6 Bowlds, Jamie; Nurse; Western/Southern Elementary; Effective: 7/28/2021

7 Bratcher, Makayla; Kindergarten Instructional Assistant; Beaver Dam Elementary;

8 Case, Virginia; Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 7/30/2021

10 Conkright, Darrell; Substitute Custodian; District; Effective: 8/10/2021

11 Cox, Robert; Assistant Football Coach; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/17/2021

12 Decker, Misty; Assistant Volleyball Coach; Ohio County High School; Effective:

13 Deweese, Tiffany; SPED Instructional Assistant; Ohio County High School; Effective:

14 Ford, Donna; Special Education Liaison; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/10/2021

15 Frizzel, Diane; Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 7/21/2021

16 Fulton, Samantha; Assistant Band Director; Ohio County High School; Effective:

17 Garner, Billy; Program Assistant; Render Center; Effective: 7/30/2021

18 Geary, Donna; Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 8/5/2021

19 Geary, Jennifer; Substitute Nurse; District; Effective: 8/9/2021

20 Geary, Whitney; Substitute Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 7/29/2021

21 Hamilton, Felicia; Cook/Baker; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/9/2021

22 Hamilton, Felicia; Substitute Bus Monitor; District; Effective: 8/3/2021

23 Holbrook, Brenda; Cook/Baker; Beaver Dam Elementary; Effective: 8/9/2021

24 Howard, James; .5 Custodian; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/10/2021

Kennedy, Kim; Assistant Volleyball Coach; Ohio County High School; Effective:

25 7/28/2021

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Kirk, Larry; Assistant Girls Soccer Coach; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/10/2021

- 27** Lofback, Eric; Substitute Bus Driver; District; Effective: 7/21/2021
- 28** Lynch, Ashley; SPED Instructional Assistant; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 7/21/2021
- 29** Middleton, Melody; Cook/Baker; Western Elementary; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 30** Minton, Myra; Kindergarten Instructional Assistant; Wayland Elementary; Effective: 8/5/2021
- 31** Moorman, Amanda; Substitute Instructional Assistant; District; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 32** Morris, Betsy; Custodian; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/10/2021
- 33** Rothgerber, Brandy; SPED Instructional Assistant; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/5/2021
- 34** Sergent, Montana; SPED Instructional Assistant; Fordsville Elementary; Effective: 7/28/2021
- 35** Sharp, Angelia; Cook/Baker; Substitute Bus Monitor; Ohio County Middle School; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 36** Shepherd, Jessica; Substitute Bus Monitor and Substitute Bus Driver; District; Effective: 8/18/2021
- 37** Thompson, Tabatha; Cook/Baker; Ohio County Middle School; Effective: 8/9/2021
- 38** Thurman, Jarod; Assistant Band Director; Ohio County High School; Effective: 8/17/2021
- 39** Velazquez, Kristen; Computer Lab Tech; Beaver Dam Elementary; Effective: 8/17/2021