JOHNSTOWN-MONROE LOCAL SCHOOLS

May 11, 2020 **Regular Session**

The Johnstown-Monroe Local Board of Education met in Regular Session on Monday, May 11, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. via. Zoom and streamed via the District's Facebook account. Roll call was answered by Mr. Benton, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Swauger, Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Booher.

SILENT PRAYER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

TREASURER'S REPORT

TREASURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS

20-044 Moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mrs. Davis to approve the Treasurer's Recommendations as presented.

a. To approve the minutes of the April 13, 2020 Regular Session Meeting.
b. To approve the April, 2020 Treasurer Report.
c. To approve Permanent Appropriations and Amended Certificate of Estimated Resources for FY 2020 as follows:

ESTIMATED RESOURCES:

General Fund	$34,781,533.10
Special Revenue	$1,722,182.60
Debt Service	$3,850,411.35
Capital Projects	$6,657,057.36
Enterprise	$1,136,428.18
Agency Funds	$138,240.40
Private Purpose	$92,025.62
Total	$48,377,878.61

PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS:

General Fund	$19,436,935.10
Special Revenue	$1,076,971.02
Debt Service	$1,913,075.00
Capital Projects	$4,197,089.67
Enterprise	$709,936.74
Agency Funds	$118,524.00
Private Purpose	$56,955.00
Total	$27,509,486.53

Aye: Mr. Benton, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Swauger, Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

20-045 Moved by Mrs. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Swauger to approve the Treasurer's Recommendations as presented.

d. To approve the following donations:

"Amishorama Brothers" in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$2,000	High School
Tom and Nancy Siegel in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$75	High School
Anonymous	Donation for Scoreboard	$500	High School
Anonymous in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$25	High School
Charon Wright in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$25	High School
Mary Jo Stout in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$50	High School
Allen and Cindi Reeves in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$50	High School
Terry Priest in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$100	High School
Denise "Piotrowski" O'Leary in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$150	High School
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Roger and Viviana Yost in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$100	High School
Anonymous	Donation for Scoreboard	$500	High School
Michael Moore	Donation for Scoreboard	$2,000	High School
Tim Kidwell in memory of Mike Shull	Donation for Scoreboard	$50	High School
Peter Klauder	Donation to Karen Hartman Scholarship Fund	$200	High School
Kurtis McDavid	Donation for Scoreboard	$250	High School
John and Anne Klauder	Donation to Karen Hartman Scholarship Fund	$100	High School

Aye: Mrs. Thomas, Mr. Swauger, Mr. Benton, Mrs. Davis, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Dickson thanked the graduation committee for their work to honor the graduating class. We think the day will be very special.

The most frequent question Mr. Dickson hears is what does next year look like, and the answer is we don't know yet. We have to plan in multiple directions until we know what will happen. Possibilities are face-to-face with health cleaning protocols, hybrid in-school and distance learning, or full distance learning. Mr. Dickson noted that if we must remain on distance learning, more efficient upgrades to our system would be coming.

Mr. Dickson also noted that as of right now, August 19 is still the first day of school for the next year. For now, there are no changes to the calendar. The support of the community has been wonderful to hear. As for sports, we are still under a no contact and no use of facilities order through June 30. Unfortunately, we simply don't know what the next few months will bring.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS

20-046 Moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mrs. Thomas to approve the Superintendent's Recommendation (a) as presented.

a. To approve the list of Johnstown High School Graduates for 2020, contingent upon their satisfactory completion of all state and local requirements for graduation, as presented:

Mckenzie Paige Andrix		Vladislav Yuriyvich Kovtunenko
Taylor Danielle Armstrong		Ethan Samuel Kratzman
Tyler William Arter		Molley Lee Krstich
Autumn Grace Atkinson		Chloe Ann LaFollette
Luke Brayden Atwood		Madison Rae Lester
Londen Maurie Babbs		Bailee Nicole Linger
Calynn Nicole Baker		Elena Kirsten Mankins
Kassidy Mae Lynnette Beeson		Garrett Lee Mason
Reagan Renee Behne		Lily Rochelle Mast
Kaela Michelle Berkley		Elise Michele McClelland
Casey James Blackburn		Charles James McMillan
Sidney Mae Blair		Daylyn Breann Merkle
Christian William Allen Bragg		Olesya Lynne Mertz
Cecelia Leanne Brooks		Isabella Angelique Molton
Chase Allen Brown		Kenedy Lea Moody
Haley Rebecca Bunner		David Christian Mutchler
Ryan Matthew Byerly		Hunter Lewis Nickell
Hope Tyah Campbell		Alexis Owusu-Boateng
Luke Alan Clark		Ryan Richard Pasqualetti
Haley Nicole Cook		Allison Paige Peck
Hannah Michelle Cook		Cody Alan Phelps
Joshua Matthew Cook		Jordan Skylar Rammon
Joshua Michael Cordell		Ashley Nicole Rankin
Wyatt Eli Danflous		Sydney Noelle Rankin
Stewart James Davis		BayLee Rose Rochus

Austin Timothy Decot		Hannah Elizabeth Rose
Baljot Singh Dhillon		Sophia Nicole Sahr
Adrian Duarte Alcantara		Olivia Faith Sauder
Logan Ryan Dunlap		Matthew David Sayer
Jeffrey Louis Dyer		Lara Anne Schaffer
Devyn Alexis Dyer		Luke Patrick Schlagheck
Korey Michael Evans		Rachel Nicole Seymour
Breanna Nicole Farmer		Brice Franklin Shaub
Alicia Rose First		Grace Marie Slader
Justin Richard Flora		Peyton Jeremy Smith
Derek Alan Foe		Kourtney Lea Spangler
Daniel Reed Garcia		Jeffrey Alan Stiles
Hayden William Garland		Trey Ashton Stranges
Abigail Rene Gibson		Heather Eva Stump
Daniella Alejandra Graham		Dar'ya Sergeevna Sulkouskaya
Korrie Lynn Green		Ashley Ann Tabor
Isaiah Stephen Gulley		Blake Scott Tennant
Brandon Waltz Haley		Kylie Sue Terry
Reagan Leigh Helmke		Adam Wesley Thomas
Ryan Anne Helmke		Jesse Richard Thompson
Claire Elise Hendren		Brooke Michelle Thompson
Daniel Shane Hilliard		Chase Dylan Van Deest
Danielle Rizpah Hinkle		Jack William Veal
Rachael Dawn Hobbs		Nathaniel Ryan Watt
Alexandria Grace Huggins		Fred Albert Wentworth
Lauren Olivia Hurt		Corey Alexander West
Lyra Meg Irwin		Marquezze Donta Williams
Brandon Lee Jensen		Joshua Thomas Wood
Conner Timothy Johnson		Ainsley Grace Work
Autumn Renay Jones		Cole Bailey Workman
Kelvin Emil Jones		Bryce Marshall Writesel
Liam Austin Kelly		
Grace Elizabeth Kenney		

Aye: Mr. Benton, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Swauger, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

20-047 Moved by Mr. Swauger, seconded by Mr. Benton to approve the Superintendent's Recommendations (b-e) as presented:

b. To approve the following student handbooks:
High School
Middle School
Elementary School
JOLT
Gifted Handbook

c. To waive all classroom fees for the 2020-2021 school year to provide relief to families during the time of response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

d. To approve 2019-2020 District Calendar as adjusted in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

e. To approve MOU with J.E.A. clarifying impact of evaluations being declared impractical on teacher contract renewals.

Discussion after the motion: Mr. Dickson noted the handbooks and the waiver of the fees was a much appreciated Board initiative.

Aye: Mr. Swauger, Mr. Benton, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATIONS

20-048 Moved by Mr. Swauger, seconded by Mrs. Davis to approve the Superintendent's Recommendations (a-g) as presented:

a. To approve the following Certified positions for employment contracts as listed, pending approval of BCI and/or FBI clearance as required, contingent upon obtaining/holding required certification and completion of all other required documentation. Should requirements not be met, this offer of employment will be considered null and void.

Cox, Shannon	High School Student Support Specialist	M+30/Step 6	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Fresch, Robert	Middle School - .5 FTE Physical Education	M+15/Step 10	1 yr. FY21
Fry, Patsy	Elementary – 3rd Grade	B/Step 1	1 yr. FY21
Guess, Alicia	High School Spanish	M/Step 10	3 yr. FY21 – FY23
Jungers, Kolee	Middle School – Art	M/Step 7	3 yr. FY21 – FY23
Kirkpatrick, Laurie	Elementary Intervention	B+15/Step 6	1 yr. FY21
McGinnis, Jennifer	Elementary – 5th Grade	M+15/Step 8	1 yr. FY21
Mellott, Mallory	Elementary – 2nd Grade	M/Step 8	1 yr. FY21
Metelko, Julie	Elementary – 4th Grade	M/Step 7	4 yr. FY21 – FY24
Napoliello, Lauren	High School – English Language Arts	B/Step 1	1 yr. FY21
Ruffle, Holly	Elementary – Intervention	M+15/Step 6	1 yr. FY21
Shell, Gina	Elementary – 2nd Grade	M+15/Step 7	1 yr. FY21
Spayde, Kristin	High School – English Language Arts	B+15/Step 5	1 yr. FY21
Szlag, Carrie	High School Intervention	M/Step 3	1 yr. FY21
Toncler, Devan	High School – English Language Arts	M/Step 6	1 yr. FY21
Tucker, Nicole	Elementary – 5th Grade	M/Step 6	1 yr. FY21
Warner, Brianna	Middle School/High School Vocal Music	B/Step 6	1 yr. FY21
Winegardner, Paige	Elementary – 3rd Grade	B+15/Step 6	3 yr. FY21 – FY23

b. To approve the following Classified positions for employment contracts as listed, pending approval of BCI and/or FBI clearance as required, contingent upon obtaining/holding required certification and completion of all other required documentation. Should requirements not be met, this offer of employment will be considered null and void.

Embaugh, Donette	Elementary Computer Literacy Parapro	Step 4	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Herald, Kari	High School – Food Service	Step 1	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Kaufman, Shayna	Elementary Paraprofessional	Step 1	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Marston, Lenae	Elementary Paraprofessional	Step 8	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Peterman, Brandie	Elementary Student Attendant	Step 1	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Poulton, Ellen	Middle School Student Attendant	Step 12	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Preeman, Christina	Elementary Student Attendant	Step 8	2 yr. FY21 – FY22
Stoltz, Jennifer	Middle School – Food Service	Step 1	2 yr. FY21 – FY22

c. To employ Alexis Lowe as a temporary scanner, at the current minimum wage for the 2020-2021 school year.

d. To approve Elizabeth Dexter for the position of High School Math for the 2020-2021 school year, B/Step 3, pending approval of BCI and/or FBI clearance as required, contingent upon obtaining/holding required certification and completion of all other required documentation. Should requirements not be met, this offer of employment will be considered null and void.

e. To accept the resignation of Kelcey Drumm, JV Head Softball Coach, effective February 22, 2020.

f. To accept the resignation, for the purpose of retirement, of Janet Kelly, at the end of the 2019-2020 school year.

g. To approve the following as district approved tutors for the 2020-2021 school year:
Erin Reilly – Government, World History, American History, Algebra, Test Proctor
Carrie Szlag – K-12 All Subjects
Kristen Cappitte – K-2 All Subjects
Jenny Cartwright – K-4 Language Arts, Social Studies
Darcy Alexander – K-5 Reading, Math
Paige Winegardner – K-3 Reading, Math
Jessica Ryan – K-5 Reading
Tess Fry – K-3 All Subject

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

20-049 Moved by Mrs. Thomas, seconded by Mrs. Davis to move into Executive Session at 7:09 p.m. As permitted by law, matters to be discussed in Executive Session involve:

Consideration of the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee, or official;

Aye: Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Benton, Mr. Swauger, and Mrs. Booher
Mr. Dickson and Mrs. Seibel joined Executive Session at 7:30 p.m.
President declares Board out of Executive Session at 8:04 p.m.

20-050 Moved by Mr. Swauger, seconded by Mrs. Davis to approve the Superintendent's Personnel Recommendations (a-g) as presented.

Aye: Mr. Swauger, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Benton, Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

20-051 Moved by Mr. Benton, seconded by Mr. Swauger to approve the Superintendent's Personnel Recommendation (h) as presented:

h. To approve Sean Thompson for the position of Middle School Innovation Teacher for the 2020-2021 school year, B/Step 10, pending approval of BCI and/or FBI clearance as required, contingent upon obtaining/holding required certification and completion of all other required documentation. Should requirements not be met, this offer of employment will be considered null and void.

Aye: Mr. Benton, Mr. Swauger, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Thomas, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

Board took a few moments to address visitor's questions and comments.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Mrs. Thomas shared that the Grounds Committee is currently negotiating the custodial contract and hope to have that contract for the next meeting. She also noted the bleachers have been removed from the middle school. Mr. Dickson added that the floors have been refinished as well.

ADJOURNMENT

20-052 Moved by Mrs. Thomas, seconded by Mrs. Davis to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 p.m.

Aye: Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Benton, Mr. Swauger, and Mrs. Booher
Motion carried.

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Treasurer President