Monroe-Gregg Board of School Trustees Minutes of the Regular Meeting Administration Office November 10, 2014

The regular meeting of the Monroe-Gregg Board of School Trustees began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Vice-president, Mr. Scott Everett at 6:31 P.M., in the Administration Office conference room. Board members in attendance were: Mrs. Nancy Dorsett, Mr. Jim Shields and Mr. Jack Elliott. Dr. William Roberson, Superintendent; and Mr. Steve Harris, School Attorney were both present. Also attending the regular monthly meeting was Mr. Mike Spring, High School Principal; Mrs. Yolanda Goodpaster, Middle School Principal; Mrs. Melissa York, Elementary Principal; Mr. Brian Lewis, Athletic Director; and Mr. Brett Everett, Maintenance Director. Board member Mr. Tim Pridemore was unable to attend.

CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES

The motion was made by Mr. Elliott to approve the following minutes as presented:

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Mr. Shields seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF CLAIMS

Mr. Elliott made the motion to approve claims #2845 through #3006 as presented in the amount of \$1,621,169.10. There being no changes or additional claims, Mrs. Dorsett seconded the motion, motion carried 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATIONS

Dr. Roberson recommended the Board approve the Personnel Report as presented. Mr. Shields made a motion to extend and approve Dr. Roberson's Superintendent contract for an additional six months as well as all other personnel items as presented. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Dorsett, motion carried 4-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

Dr. Roberson and the School Board recognized and congratulated the staff on several exciting things taking place in the school district:

Monrovia Elementary Received an "A" from the state

Varsity Football Team Sectional Champions

Marching Band Headed to Lucas Oil for Grand Nationals.

Cheerleaders State Runner Up

CONSIDERATION OF RILEY HOSPITAL FUND RAISER

The National Honor Society asked permission to host a Dance Marathon to raise money for Riley Hospital. Foundation Coordinator, Karlee Hepp presented the benefits and details involved for hosting a Dance Marathon. This event would take place sometime in the spring of 2015. See attached brochure for additional details.

Mr. Shields made the motion to approve the fund raiser as presented and proposed that all Board Members participate in the event. Motion was seconded by Mr. Elliott and passed 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF PERSONAL ½ DAY FOR TEACHING STAFF

Dr. Roberson explained the Letter of Assurance from the M-GTA. This would compensate the certified staff for their time during Parent/Teacher conferences.

Mr. Shields made a motion to approve, Mr. Elliott seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF THREE (3) MIDDLE SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS

Mrs. Goodpaster requested permission for the following student field trips: Chicago, Kings Island and Lincoln Memorial. Mr. Elliott made the motion to approve as presented. Seconded by Mr. Shields, motion carried 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE

Dr. Roberson asked the Board to approve Neace Lukens as the M-GSD School Insurance Carrier for 2015. Mr. Shields made a motion to approve seconded by Mrs. Dorsett, motion passed 4-0.

CONSIDERATION OF IU ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND OTHER DRUG USE SURVEY

Mr. Springer and Mrs. Goodpaster requested approval from the Board to participate in the IU Drug Survey. Mr. Elliott made the motion to approve administering the survey at Monrovia High School and Middle School, Mr. Everett seconded and the motion carried 4-0. See attached details from Indiana University.

OTHER

High School Principal, Mike Springer presented the Career and Technical Education available to Monrovia High School Students. Mr. Springer discussed the benefits of Ag Science and other new programs being introduced to the students. See attached information.

Dr. Roberson stated this would be a great weekend for Monrovia with all the exciting activities and good things taking place.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Elliott made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Shields. Vice-President, Scott Everett adjourned the meeting at 6:50 P.M.

Mr. Tim Pridemore, Board President

Mr. Jack Elliott, Board Secretary