



## Marion Community Unit School District # 2

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### Superintendent Summary Board Meeting – June 19, 2018

#### Call to Order

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

#### Roll Call

Mrs. Bradley absent

#### Audience to Visitors

Devon Davis, MHS softball player and 2018 graduate, spoke to the Board in regards to concerns she has with the softball program.

Jamie Clark-Verbeck, MHS Girls Soccer Coach, gave an overview of the successful season the MHS Soccer program had during the 2018 season. The team had an overall record of 17-5-3 and placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the South Seven Conference and are Regional Champions. She acknowledged Marissa Basi and Blake Clark for landing in the IHSA record book for their accomplishments during the season as well as making the all-sectional team. Marissa Basi spoke about the program and what the team means to her as well as her teammates. She also introduced team members in attendance: Madison Goodley, Hunter Robinson and Gloria Wofford.

#### Closed Session

No closed session needed

#### Consent Agenda

The Board voted 6-0 to approve the consent agenda as presented.

- a. **Minutes** - the minutes from the May 15, 2018 regular meeting and closed session meeting and the May 31, 2018 special meeting.
- b. **Bills** – the May supplementary bills and the June bills for payment as presented.
- c. **Donations**
  - i. Anonymous to MHS - \$5,000.00 for supplies
  - ii. SIH to MJHS - \$170.00 for school physicals
  - iii. Life Touch to Jefferson - \$395.00 for supplies
  - iv. Skybridge Americas, Inc. to Washington - \$27.70 for supplies
  - v. Cornerstone to Adams – labor & materials to landscape around marquee, mulch in front of building and trim hedges
  - vi. Anonymous to MJHS - \$5,000.00 for PBIS rewards trips and lunch for Teacher Appreciation week
- d. **Board of Education Meeting Dates**

#### Depository Bank

Tabled for July meeting

#### Board Policy Adoption

The Board voted 6-0 to approve changes to the following board policies: 2:260, 4:40, 5:20, 5:20E, 5:200 as presented.



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### **School Resource Officer Agreement**

The Board voted 6-0 to approve the agreement between Marion CUSD #2 and the City of Marion for a School Resource Officer as presented with one word change in Section 4. H.

### **Personnel Recommendations**

The Board voted 6-0 to approve the following personnel recommendations as presented.

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

##### **Certified**

Crystal Housman, English/Language Arts Teacher assigned to Marion Junior High School, effective for the 2018-2019 school year.

Julie Maze, General Music Teacher assigned to Marion Junior High School, effective for the 2018-2019 school year.

Janna Gillispie, Alternative Classroom Teacher assigned to Marion High School, effective for the 2018-2019 school year.

Dewayne Fowler, Automotive Technology Teacher assigned to Marion High School, effective for the 2018-2019 school year.

#### **ASSIGNMENTS/REASSIGNMENTS FOR THE 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR:**

Sara Gordon, Social Worker, from Longfellow/Jefferson to MHS/Credit Recovery.

Lindsay Watts from Washington Elementary School Assistant Principal to Longfellow Elementary School Principal.

The Board voted 5-1 to approve the following personnel recommendations as presented.

#### **RETIREMENTS:**

Donna Bragee, Science Teacher assigned to Marion Junior High School, intent to retire at the end of the 2021-2022 school year and implementing the terms of the most recent contract agreement with regards to the TRS adjustments.

Melanie Poole, English Teacher assigned to Marion High School, intent to retire at the end of the 2021-2022 school year and implementing the terms of the most recent contract agreement with regards to the TRS adjustments.

### **2018-2019 Parent-Student Handbook**

The Board voted 6-0 approve the 2018-2019 Parent-Student Handbook as presented.

### **Elementary & District Title I School Plans**

The Board voted 6-0 to approve the elementary and Title I school plans as presented.



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### **Resolution to Prohibit Sexual Harassment**

The Board voted 6-0 to approve the resolution to prohibit sexual harassment as presented.

### **Prevailing Wage Rates**

The Board voted 5-1 to adopt the ordinance regarding the prevailing rate of wages as presented.

### **Board Policy Review**

Board members will review policies updates this month and will vote at the July Board Meeting.

### **Technology Report**

Received e-rate reimbursement for Lincoln & Washington infrastructure upgrade.

High school chromebook lease termination and the return of 1200 chromebooks completed.

All Samsung chromebooks staged for sale to vendor and new Lenovos have been deployed.

Ordered 325 new Acer Chrome tablets for Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade classrooms. (Foundation Gift and Title 1)

Preparing digital curriculums for new school year.

Info-Snap on-line registration ready for elementary, jr. high and high school.

Imaging of remaining computer labs and teacher computers.

Responded to 41 Classroom Tech requests.

Assisting contractor with infrastructure upgrade at Jefferson and Longfellow.

Continued testing of new network routing. Deploying new switches for new routing.

Advanced planning for summer work and chromebook deployment.

Preparing a new server for the Switch Management Software program and the high school.

Advanced preparations for the remove/replace 110 Ruckus Wireless Access Points.

Assisting in the new Digital Literacy labs at the elementary schools.

### **Maintenance Report**

#### **Jr. High Roof**

The roofers have been working steady at the Jr.High replacing the east gym roof. Anticipated completion is the second week of July.

#### **Custodial/Maintenance**

Our school custodians have been busy cleaning and polishing all our schools.

Ground crews busy with grass and weed control.

Complex area crew working on all sports fields with fertilization, weed control, watering, landscaping items as well.

Maintenance – At the Jr. High, we have been removing old door knobs and installing new lever handles along with security locking feature on all classroom doors.

We continue summer work requests, maintenance issues and any issues that may come up.

### **Assistant Superintendent Report**

#### **Student Special Recognition**

### **Academic**

#### **Marion High School**

**Art** –Two MHS Art students received Awards of Excellence at the Belleville Art



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### Assistant Superintendent Report

#### **Student Special Recognition**

#### Academic

##### Marion High School

**Art** –on the Square Competition. Levi Bryant and Cheridan Couty received a ribbon and \$200.00. The Award of Excellence is given to the top 4 pieces in the exhibit. There were over 250 entries submitted for this competition from 50 area schools.

Graphic Design students had a clean sweep at the HerrinFesta poster design competition. Participation is open to all area artists from students to professionals. Award winners are: 1<sup>st</sup> place – Kaitlin Neikes, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Xander Wright and 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Kathryn McClellan.

#### Clubs/Extracurricular

##### Marion High School

**Baseball** – The MHS Baseball Team won a share of the South Seven Championship as well as the Class 3A Regional Championship. South Seven Conference Honors are as follows: Drake Gravatt – Co-Player of the Year, First Team: Mitchell Jackson, Cavan Cameron and Brendan Soldner. Second Team: Josh Griffin, Cory Howard, and Austin Palmer. Honorable Mention: Hez Goodman. Drake Gravatt and Mitchell Jackson were selected to the SICA All South Team.

**Basketball** – The MHS Girls Basketball team received the IHSA Team Academic Achievement Award. The team had a 3.74 cumulative GPA.

**Soccer** – The MHS Girls Soccer team won the Class 3A Regional Championship. South Seven Conference Honors are as follows: Blake Clark – South Seven Offensive Player of the Year. First Team: Blake Clark, Marissa Basi, Lauryn Kadela, and Nicole Szidik. Second Team: Maria Charez, Ana Cuartas, and Paige Newlin. Honorable Mention: Maddie Goodley and Makenzie Miller. Marissa Basi and Blake Clark made the Division 12 Soccer All-Sectional team.

**Tennis** – Malachi Williams placed 4<sup>th</sup> at the Carbondale Sectional tournament and has qualified for State.

**Track** – IHSA Class 2A State Track Meet results:

2<sup>nd</sup> place 4x800 relay: John Bruce, Levi Bryant, Michael Rutkowski and Tim Surburg. Set new MHS record (7:53.32)

4<sup>th</sup> place – High Jump: Marissa Holmes (5'4")

6<sup>th</sup> place – 300 Hurdles: Stuart Adkinson (40:31)

7<sup>th</sup> place – Discus: Josh Schmid (154'1")

7<sup>th</sup> place – 1600 meter run: Michael Rutkowski (4:23.46)

10<sup>th</sup> place – 1600 meter run: John Bruce (4:26.54)



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### **Assistant Superintendent Report (con't)**

#### **Student Special Recognition**

##### **Clubs/Extracurricular**

##### **Marion Junior High School**

**Track** – Boys and Girls Track team won the SIJHAA Class L State Championship.

#### **Staff Special Recognition**

Marty Manfredo, MHS Baseball Coach, was named the 2017-2018 SICA All-South 3A Baseball Co-Coach of the year.

##### **Treasurer's Report**

The District is 91.67% of the way through the fiscal year as of May 31, 2018. The Education Fund expenditures are at 88.54% and Operations and Maintenance Fund expenditures are at 88.64%. Expenditures for all district funds are at 90.03%.

##### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:41 p.m.