

FORT PAYNE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
BOARD BRIEFS

Regular Monthly Meeting, October 20, 2020 at 6:00 PM in the Conference Room of the Central Office

Called the meeting to order and welcome the guests.

Established a quorum.

Approved the following board minutes, as submitted:

- September 24, 2020, Regular Monthly Board Meeting
- October 9, 2020, Emergency Called Meeting

I Personnel

A. Retirements

1. Accepted the resignation of Ronnie Crabtree, Central Office Administrator, effective January 1, 2021, due to retirement, as submitted.
2. Accept the resignation of Karen King, First Grade Teacher at Wills Valley Elementary School, effective January 1, 2021, due to retirement, as submitted.
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B. Leaves

1. Approved a request from Morgan Morgan, Pre-K Teacher at Wills Valley Elementary School, for a Maternity Leave of Absence, effective December 8, 2020, through December 18, 2020, as submitted.

C. Recommendation

1. Approved Lorrie Cleveland, as a Pre-K Aide at Wills Valley Elementary School, effective October 8, 2020, and non-renew her contract on May 28, 2021, as submitted.

D. Other

1. Approved the additions to the following substitute personnel lists, effective for the 2019-2020 school year, as submitted:
 - CNP
 - Teacher

II Approved posting for comment the Fort Payne City Board of Education Policy Manual, as submitted.

III Approved the following out of state travel, as submitted:

- Brian Jett, Athletic Director/Principal at FPHS
 - FPHS – Wrestling Team
 - 12-03-2020 Dade County High School – Dade County, Georgia
 - 12-10-2020 Red Bank High School – Chattanooga, Tennessee
 - 12-15-2020 Chattooga High School - Summerville, Georgia
 - 01-07-2021 Trion High School – Trion, Georgia
 - 01-12-2021 Armuchee High School – Rome, GA

IV Approved a recommendation from Jennifer List, Principal at Williams Avenue Elementary School, to discontinue the services of Susan Conerly as a Substitute Virtual Teacher due to the decline in virtual enrollment, effective October 8, 2020, as submitted.

V Approved the September 2020, financial statements and bank reconciliation report, as

VI Superintendent's Report

Mr. Cunningham announced the Alabama Association of School Boards will offer a Webinar on Thursday, Nov. 19, 2020, from Noon to 1:00 p.m. The title of the webinar is "Drawing the Line: School Boards and 2020 Redistricting."

Mr. Cunningham announced the whole board training session set for November 12, 2019.

Mr. Cunningham announced that the Sectional Cross Country Meet is scheduled for November 5, 2020, at 8:00 a.m. in Cullman, Alabama. The State Cross Country Meet will be held on November 14, 2020, at Jesse Owens Park in Moulton, Alabama.

Mr. Cunningham announced that this is College Application Week and various colleges are on the high school campus this week taking student applications.

Mr. Cunningham congratulated Coach Elmore, his staff, and the FPHS Varsity Football Team for a great season to date and announced the Regional Championship will be decided Friday night when we play Oxford here at Wildcat Stadium. Our record is now 7-1.

Mr. Cunningham discussed the work on the new school is coming together and he is looking forward to seeing the completed school soon.

Mr. Cunningham announced the new electric school busses are a great addition to our transportation department.

Mr. Cunningham was proud to announce the Transportation Department received no deficiencies by the ALSDE during the fall 2020 bus inspection.

VII Approved November 19, 2020, at 6:00 PM in the conference room of the Central Office as the date, time and place of the next regular Board Meeting.

VIII Adjourned