

KANKAKEE VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION  
REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
NOVEMBER 13, 2006

IC 5-14-1.5-61 (b-2-B,9) The Board met in executive session before the public work session to discuss initiation of litigation or litigation that is either pending or has been threatened specifically in writing, to discuss a job performance evaluation of individual employees and to discuss before a determination, the individual's status as an employee.

Board President, Mr. John Spurgeon, call meeting to order at 8:07 p.m. with all members present except for Mr. William DeVries.

Approved minutes from the regular meeting and the executive session of October 23, 2006.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved Corporation Claims in the amount of \$7,649,359.23.

Motion: Mr. John Jungels                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved Cafeteria Claims in the amount of \$84,631.14.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Vote: 6-0

Superintendent's Report: Dr. Glenn Krueger informed the Board and the public concerning two recent drinking water violations. The first occurred at DeMotte Elementary regarding a high level of copper. The second occurred at the Intermediate School regarding a detection of Coliform and E-Coli that exceed the maximum contaminant level. In both buildings, the drinking water appliances were turned off and replaced with water coolers and bottled water. Additional samples were taken as required by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management and sent to the laboratory for testing. Bottled water will continue to be available for students and staff until test results indicate an acceptable level.

KV Work Ethic: Robert Heid and Mark Ladd were awarded the prestigious Dick Ramey Above and Beyond Award at the Annual Academic Coaches Conference in Indianapolis on October 3, 2006.

Mrs. Barbara Peregrine presented the following Students of the Month for November 2006:

Melanie Daniels	Business
Tracie Ducan	Fine Arts
Shanndy Hanaway	English
Tina Eenigenburg	Foreign Language
Ryan Parker	Health Occupations
Jack Laski	Mathematics
Joe Barrera	Science
Joshua Baiel	Social Studies
Vicki Murray	Technology

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Approved the reduction in contract of Jill Steiner, Language Arts Teacher at KV High School, for ½ day on November 22, 2006.

Motion: Mr. John Jungels                      Second: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the reduction in contract of Linda Bakker, 7<sup>th</sup> grade Aide at KV Middle School, for November 2, by ½ day and November 3<sup>rd</sup> by one day for a total of 1.5 day's reduction.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved employment of Ms. Alexis Hoffman as M/S Nurse as of October 25, 2006.

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Accepted the resignation of Lorraine Barrera, lunchroom/playground Aide at Wheatfield Elementary, as of November 2, 2006.

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Second: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Vote: 6-0

Approved employment of John Shotliff to be a woodwind instructor for the H/S and M/S and also Mr. Joe Bondi to be a brass instructor for the H/S and M/S both with the gifted and talented program.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Vote: 6-0

Approved employment of Rebecca Monticello for KV Intermediate Cafeteria.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mr. John Jungels                      Vote: 6-0

Approved employment of Janet Noland for the position of Lunchroom Aide at Wheatfield Elementary School.

Motion: Mr. John Jungels                      Second: Jason Wallace                      Vote: 6-0

Approved a medical leave for Samantha Tompkins, KV Intermediate Cafeteria, from January 1, 2007 to an undetermined time of three to six months.

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved a maternity leave for Chandi Williams, Special Needs Bus Driver, from December 1, 2006 to January 29, 2007.

Motion: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved a medical leave for Linda Boruff, KV Intermediate School Cafeteria, from January 15, 2007 to March 15, 2007.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved a medical leave for Shirley Burnette, DeMotte Cafeteria, from November 15, 2006 to January 2, 2007.

Motion: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Second: Mr. John Jungels                      Vote: 6-0

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Approved a medical leave for Elaine Dykstra, Indian Trails Aide at KV High School, from January 3, 2007 to February 1, 2007.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Vote: 6-0

Approved coaching recommendations from the three (3) attached lists.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the application for a Connect and Respect Grant from Lilly Endowment by Carol Wienrank, teacher at KV Intermediate School.

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine              Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the early graduation of Tracie Duncan at the end of her seventh semester.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mr. John Jungels                      Vote: 6-0

Approved to support disciplinary action 2006-1.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Vote: 5-1  
Opposed: Mr. John Jungels

Approved the proposal of \$22,650.00 from Liberty Sound for outside security cameras at the High School/Middle School complex.

Motion: Mr. John Jungels                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the attached list of donation items to the respective schools' record of fixed assets.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the payment of \$10,200.00 to LoopMaster International, Inc. regarding the Test Well conductivity test and report for the High School/Middle School Geo-Thermal well field.

Motion: John Jungels                              Second: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the proposal from A & L, Inc. (Walstra Landscaping) to provide snow removal service for the 2006-2007 school year.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the renewal of the Cash Rent Lease Agreement for the 2007 Harvest with Sandra Groet for a term of one (1) year commencing on the 13<sup>th</sup> of November, 2006 and terminating with the harvesting of the 2007 crops. The cash rent shall be for seventy-five dollars (\$75) per acre for fifty-nine (59) tillable acres for a total sum of four thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars and no cents (\$4,425.00) payable by November 1, 2007. Since the terms and provisions of the 2006 agreement remained unchanged, by Indiana Code IC 5-22-17-4(b), the Board may renew a contract any number of times.

Motion: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Second: Mr. Robert Misch                      Vote: 6-0

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Approved the purchase of a new John Deere Gator with attachments for \$10,908.15 from A & M Farm Center.

Motion: Mr. Jason Wallace                      Second: Mr. John Jungels                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the following Corporate Sponsors with the amount payable to the High School Athletic Department during the 2006-2007 school year:

- Sandy Pines                      \$2,500.00
- Hamstra Builders              \$5,000.00
- Continental Dairy              \$5,000.00
- Jasper County REMC           \$5,000.00
- DeMotte State Bank           \$4,500.00
- Kaper's Building Materials   \$5,000.00

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine              Second: Mr. Bryan Tillema                      Vote: 6-0

Approved ADDENDUM I to the Agreement for Operation of School at Christian Haven, Inc. by Kankakee Valley School Corporation regarding policy and procedures related to the delineation of responsibilities for Title I.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the following Field Trip Request:

1. Band and Orchestra; participation in the Disney Theme Parks in Orlando, Florida from April 25, 2007 to April 27, 2007, Ken Steidle, Sponsor.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch                      Second: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine                      Vote: 6-0

Approved the following Use of School Facilities:

1. Pathfinders; December 8, 2006 from 7:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m., KVHS Auditorium; Elaine Dykstra, Sponsor.
2. Student Council; KVHS Gymnasium; November 17, 2006 ; 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.; Dodgeball Tournament; Heather Carey, Sponsor.
3. Post Prom Committee; Pool Party; November 14, 20 and the 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:30-8:30 p.m.; Swimming Pool; Heather Carey, Sponsor.
4. Prom Committee; KVHS Auditorium; December 15, 2006 from 5:00 –10:00 p.m.; Heather Carey, Sponsor.
5. All State Choir; KVHS Choir, Band and Orchestra Rooms; January 13, 2007 from 8:30a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; Bill Darnell, Sponsor.
6. God Squad; DeMotte Gymnasium; October 30, 2006 and successive Mondays from 6:00-8:00 p.m.; Dave Alexander, Sponsor.
7. Boys' AAU Basketball; KVHS Gymnasium; Dates and Times listed; Doug Greenlee, Sponsor.
8. Boys' AAU Basketball; KVMS Gymnasium; Dates and Times listed; Doug Greenlee, Sponsor.
9. Boys' AAU Basketball; KVHS Gymnasium; Dates and Times listed; Doug Greenlee, Sponsor.

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Use of School Facilities Continued:

10. Boys' AAU Basketball, WES Gymnasium; Dates and Times listed; Doug Greenlee, Sponsor
11. Brownie Troop #2207; DeMotte Elementary Cafeteria; meeting every other Tues. from 2:45-4:00 p.m.; Jackie Gidley, Sponsor.
12. Girl Scout Troop #71; Swimming Pool for earning badges; November 29, 2006; 3:30-6:00 p.m.; alternate date Dec. 4, 2006 or Dec. 6, 2006. Jennifer Justice-Sponsor.
13. Child Evangelism Fellowship; Good News Club; DeMotte Cafeteria, Gymnasium, Music room and Restrooms; 2:45-5:00 p.m.; Fridays for the months of November and December 2006; Chris Higgins, Sponsor.

Motion: Mrs. Barbara Peregrine

Second: Mr. Robert Misch

Vote: 6-0

Approved the following Professional Leave Requests:

1. William Auker-Conference for Principals; November 19-21, 2006.
2. Heather Killion - Indiana Music Educators Association Annual Convention; Indianapolis, IN.; January 19-20, 2007.
3. Jeff Moolenaar – Indiana School Safety Specialist Basic Academy; Indianapolis, IN.; November 15-16, 2006.
4. Ken Steidle- Indiana Music Education Association; Indianapolis, Indiana; January 12-14, 2007.
5. Brian Flynn – National Sports Clinics; Crown Plaza O'Hare Rosemont; December 1-2, 2006.
6. Kathy Scamihorn & Sharon Marich; Staff Development for Educators; November 30-December 1, 2006; Adams Mark, Indianapolis, IN.

Motion: Mr. John Jungels

Second: Mr. Jason Wallace

Vote: 6-0

Future Business: Award Contracts for the HVAC Project at the KV High School and Middle School buildings on November 27, 2006.

Communications: FFA Auction Notice, DeMotte Library Community Connections, Performance Newsletter, Texas School Gunman Position Paper, Kankakee Valley Counselor's Corner, What's News at Wheatfield Elementary, Kankakee Valley Staff Directory 2006-2007, Doug Greenlee's letter to Justin Breen, Bill Orsburn's Discussion Items, Wheatfield Elementary School Summer Vacation Program, ISBA School Law Seminar December 8, 2006.

Patrons: Mr. Jeff Schultz expressed his concerns regarding a high school coach who would not allow his son to try-out for an athletic team sport. He said he had talked to the Athletic Director and wants the Board to investigate the matter.

Ms. Diane Daniels requested information regarding policy or procedures for a parent to file a complaint about a coach. Dr. Krueger suggested that she talk to the Coach, Athletic Director and Principal in an attempt to resolve the issue at the building level. The Superintendent would be next in line before taking the issue to the Board of School Trustees.

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Adjournment: 8:45 p.m.

Motion: Mr. Robert Misch

Second: Mr. Jason Wallace

Vote: 6-0

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Mr. John Spurgeon, President

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Mrs. Barbara Peregrine, Secretary

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For discussion of strategy with respect to collective bargaining.

