

Official Proceedings of the GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT
Monday, April 1, 2019; 7:00pm - Education Center

Board Members in Attendance - Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Mrs. Caryn Friedlander, Mr. Donald Kennedy, Mrs. Jill Koestel, Dr. Jennifer Murray, Dr. Michele O'Brien, Dr. Lisa Peterson, Mr. James Ulrich - 8. Absent - Mrs. Dawn Palange - 1.

Administrators in Attendance - Dr. Steven Gerhard, Superintendent; Dr. Elizabeth Lambi, Assistant Superintendent - Secondary; Mr. David Argentati, Director of Pupil Services; Dr. Lisa Hess, Director of Teaching & Learning; Mrs. Michele Bleacher, Supervisor of Special Education - Elementary; Ms. Erika Thomas, Supervisor of Special Education - Secondary; Mr. Robert Eckenrode, Chief Operations Officer; Mr. Chad Curry, Interim Principal, Cumru Elementary; Mrs. Holly Garner, Principal, Mifflin Park Elementary; Mr. Kevin Hohl, Principal, Middle School; Mr. Steven Murray, Principal, High School; Mr. Tony Alvarez, Associate Principal, High School.

Others in Attendance - Ms. Sharon Patton, Board Recording Secretary; Mark Andrus and Emma Steckiel, Student Board Representatives; Reading Eagle press representative; professional staff and citizens.

The Meeting was **Called to Order** at 7:09pm by Mr. James Ulrich, Board President, who announced that the Board held an **Executive Session** at 6:30pm for discussion of Negotiations matters.

Superintendent's Report - Dr. Gerhard reported on the first meeting held by the Focus 2020 Strategic Planning Committee on March 26th. There were 85 people in attendance and all were hard at work in laying the foundation for the work ahead. The next meeting will be April 23rd and Dr. Gerhard shared, for those interested, that the committee's progress can be followed via a link on the district website.

During review of the Agenda, voting action was taken on the following item:

CURRICULUM/INSTRUCTION

Motion by Murray and second by Koestel to Approve the **Year-End Calendar** for the 2018-2019 school year, as presented

MOTION CARRIED.

PROPERTY

Mr. Robert Eckenrode provided the Board with information on the following items:

- **Brecknock & Cumru Secured Entrance Vestibules** - SchraderGroup's Fee proposal for Architectural & Engineering Services; the work on these two projects will be completed over the Summer months
- **Mifflin Park** - request to add 'Legacy Garden' image to 2nd floor hallway
- **High School** - request to add a small mosaic mural around doorway in the hallway between the 2 gyms

(The two art projects are minor in scope and, although the Board did not formally need to vote on approving them, photos of both were provided for the Board's information and blessing).

Motion by Kennedy and second by Koestel to **Adjourn the Meeting** at 7:27pm.



Sharon L. Patton
Board Recording Secretary