

LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Minutes  
Regular Board Meeting  
Monday, October 14, 2024  
7:00 p.m. - Leslie High School Library

**CALL MEETING**

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Leslie Public Schools, Ingham and Jackson Counties, Michigan, was called to order by Dave Cowing at 7:00 p.m.

Members present:     Dave Cowing  
                          Bud Fifield  
                          Eric Isham  
                          Deann Maynard  
                          Dominic Ambroggio  
                          Brad Dunlap  
                          Beth Yeider

Members absent:     None

Also present:         Scott Powers, Superintendent

**Pledge of Allegiance given.**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

No public comments were received.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Moved by D. Maynard, supported by D. Ambroggio to approve the October 14, 2024 Agenda; Minutes of the September 16, 2024 Special and Closed Meetings; Minutes of the September 23, 2024 Special and Closed Meetings; Bills in the amount of \$289,664.88 be approved for payment as presented; Pcard Statement; General Fund Budget Report and Food Service Budget Report as of 9/30/2024.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

September 16, 2024 Ingham ISD Board Briefs: No discussion.  
September 26, 2024 School Law Notes: No discussion.  
Thank You Note - League of Enchantment

**INFORMATIONAL REPORTS**

**Title 1 Intervention Coordinator & Instructional Coaching-Amy Arnold**

Amy Arnold informed the board about what an instructional coach is. Amy explained how she supports literacy at Woodworth. Amy showed how her work is helping teachers and in turn helping the students at Woodworth.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

**2024-25 School Funding**

Superintendent Powers presented the MDE budget for school for the 24-25 school year and the recent changes.

**Leslie Learning Center**

Superintendent Powers presented that the Learning Center has had a setback in the opening date. He explained how the permits and license timelines are out of our control.

**BOARD DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION:**

**2024-2025 Staff Handbook**

"Moved by B. Fifield, supported by B. Dunlap that the Board of Education approve the 2024-2025 Leslie Public Schools Staff Handbook as introduced at the September 9, 2024 Regular Board Meeting."

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

**2024-2025 Leslie High School Student Handbook Addendum**

"Moved by D. Maynard, supported by E. Isham that the Board of Education approve the Leslie High School Student Handbook Addendum as introduced at the September 9, 2024 Regular Board Meeting."

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

**Hire Junior Varsity Boys Basketball Coach**

"Moved by B. Fifield, supported by E. Isham that the Board of Education hire Alaina Sunken as Leslie High School Junior Varsity Boys Basketball Coach, as recommended by Athletic Director Johns."

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT**

"Moved by D. Ambroggio, supported by B. Fifield to adjourn the meeting at 7:34 p.m.

Vote: ayes 7, nays 0, absent 0, abstention 0. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Eric Isham  
Secretary,  
Board of Education  
Leslie Public Schools