

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
OF THE COUNTY OF ROANE**

**SEPTEMBER 28, 2023**

**6:00 PM**

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*[PLEASE NOTE: This meeting of the Roane County Board of Education will be held at 6:00 pm at Roane County High School, Spencer.]*

Present: \_\_\_\_\_

Absent: \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting called to order by: \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_ PM)

**This meeting could be joined remotely. The public could join by calling 1-304-553-7794 and entering the provided conference ID or by joining on Microsoft Teams using the provided link.**

**Presentations**

1. Positively Charged
2. Public Participation
3. Student Achievement
4. Attendance Matters - August / September 2023

**New Business for Consideration and Possible Action**

1. Create Aide V / Special Education Assistant Teacher, Geary Elementary / Middle School [1 position]
2. Update on Summer Overpayments for Certain Personnel
3. Discussion of Funding for Athletic Programs
4. Updates on Continuing Business
  - a. Construction of the new Spencer Middle School
  - b. Recreational Improvements at Geary Elementary / Middle School and Spencer Elementary School
  - c. Property Matters involving the Goff Run complex, Madison Avenue complex, and Capitol Street complex

**Consent Agenda - (Action)**

Motion by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ to approve the following consent agenda, as recommended by Richard Duncan, Superintendent.

1. Approval of minutes of Regular Board Meeting on September 14, 2023
2. Finance
  - a. Transfers/supplements to the budget
  - b. Payments of bills as submitted; pre-approval to release checks not to exceed \$20,000 prior to the next board meeting
  - c. Financial Reports
  - d. Board member reimbursements for travel
3. Policies
4. Contract(s) / Bid(s) / Agreement(s)
  - a. Updated Contract with Professional Therapy Services, Inc. for speech/language, occupational, and/or physical therapies and assessments (change in ownership)
  - b. Memorandum of Understanding with Mountain State ESC for professional development and mentoring
  - c. Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Council-Foster Grandparent Program Memorandum of Understanding
5. Field Trips
  - a. RCHS Golf to State Golf Tournament in Wheeling, WV, on October 2 to 4, 2023
6. Volunteers
  - a. Spencer Elementary School
    - i. Judy Saunders, Andrea Carroll, Alexa White and Sharon Stepp
  - b. Spencer Middle School
    - i. Jessica Cooper, Melanie Taylor, Kayla Conley, Krisheana Carey, Megan D. Anderson, Kenneth Bunner, Ronnie Bunner, Heather Webb, Jenny Saunders, Holly Reger, Jessica Miller and Charlotte Stalnaker
  - c. Walton Elementary Middle School
    - i. Laura Smith and Brittani Steele
7. Student Transfers
8. Clinical Experiences
  - a. Olivia VanDam, Glenville State University, placed at Spencer Elementary School as Teacher / 3rd Grade (clinical teacher of record beginning October 10, 2023)
  - b. Joshua Huffman, Marshall University, placed at Spencer Middle School as Teacher / 5th Grade (clinical teacher of record for 2023-24 second semester)

**Personnel Consent Agenda - (Action)**

Motion by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ to approve the following personnel items as recommended by Richard Duncan, Superintendent.

1. Create New Position(s)
  - a. Aide V / Special Education Assistant Teacher (GEMS), 200 days, effective

September 29, 2023

2. Resignation(s)
  - a. Baker, Muriah - Social Media Coordinator (Roane County High School), effective September 21, 2023
  - b. Redman, Laura - Substitute cook (RCS - Substitutes), effective September 26, 2023
  - c. Redman, Jeffery - Custodian III (Spencer Elementary School), effective September 29, 2023
3. New Employment(s)
  - a. Eastman, Jacqueline - Teacher / Title I (Spencer Elementary School), effective September 29, 2023
  - b. (Kinder), Olivia - Aide / ECCAT (Walton Elementary / Middle School), effective September 29, 2023
  - c. Keiffer, Matthew - Substitute teacher (RCS - Substitutes), effective September 29, 2023
  - d. Lowe, Eric - Substitute teacher (RCS - Substitutes), effective September 29, 2023
  - e. Hordyszynski, Kyle - Substitute teacher (RCS - Substitutes), effective September 29, 2023
  - f. Webb, Heather - Substitute aide (RCS - Substitutes), effective September 29, 2023
4. Transfer(s)
  - a. Keaton, Rebecca - Teacher / English (Roane County High School) to Teacher / Career Literacy (Geary Elementary / Middle School), effective October 16, 2023
5. Extracurricular(s)
  - a. Coon, Alicia - Head Teacher (Spencer Middle School), effective September 29, 2023
  - b. Caldwell, Sara - Game Manager (Spencer Middle School), effective September 29, 2023
  - c. Gainer, Katherine - Game Manager (Spencer Middle School), effective September 29, 2023
  - d. Coon, Alicia - Academic Recovery Facilitator (Spencer Middle School), effective September 29, 2023

### **Reports of Committees**

1. Roane Jackson Technical Center Administrative Council (September 19, 2023)

### **Superintendent's Remarks**

### **Adjournment**

1. Adjourn until the next regular meeting on Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at 6:00 pm at Roane County High School.