

REGULAR MEETING WEST HANCOCK BOARD OF DIRECTORS

May 19, 2025

The West Hancock Community School Board of Directors met in regular session in the West Hancock Elementary School Cafeteria. Board President Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

Members present: Harle, Johnson, Wilson, Swanson, Bixel, Purvis and Burgardt. Absent: None

Others present: Superintendent Kronemann, Business Manager DeGroote, Principals Peterson, Molina and DeHart, staff, Andy Buffington, Ben Hassebroek from The Leader, Todd Louwagie, staff, students and community members.

Motion by Burgardt, seconded by Swanson, to approve the items listed under the consent agenda. Carried: 7-0

Presentation by Andy Buffington about the county hazard mitigation plan.

Administrator reports were given.

Motion by Wilson, seconded by Harle, to accept the resignation of Elizabeth Gretillat as Assistant Concession stand position. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Swanson, seconded by Purvis, to accept the resignation of Karen Brunsen as Cleaner. Carried 7-0

Motion by Bixel, seconded by Wilson, to accept the resignation of Liana Lemay as Paraprofessional. Carried 7-0

Motion by Burgardt, seconded by Swanson, to approve the hire of Ryan Wagner as Assistant Baseball Coach and rescind the assignment of Paul Sonius for this position. Carried 7-0

Motion by Harle, seconded by Purvis, to accept the resignation of Tony Reineke as Building and Grounds Director. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Swanson, seconded by Bixel, to approve the hire of Rebecca Donaghy as Part-Time Elementary Teacher/Librarian. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Burgardt, seconded by Bixel, to approve the hire of Shae Smith as Football Cheer Coach. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Purvis, seconded by Harle, to approve the hire of Jordan Anderson for the Winter Cheer Coach. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Harle, seconded by Purvis, to assign Melinda Tremmel as Assistant Volleyball Coach. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Burgardt, seconded by Wilson, to approve the bid from Trafera in the amount of \$27,324 for Chromebooks. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Swanson, seconded by Bixel, to approve the milk bid from Anderson Erickson. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Harle, seconded by Purvis, to approve the bread bid from Pan-O-Gold. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Burgardt, seconded by Harle, to approve the copier/printer bid from Visual Edge in the amount of \$4,922. Carried: 7-0

Motion by Wilson, seconded by Harle, to approve the vinyl flooring bid from Hillega Flooring, LLC in the amount of \$13641.10 and the carpet flooring bid from In Step Flooring in the amount of \$7425.02. Carried: 7-0

The first reading of policy numbers: 102, 102.R1, 102.E1, 102.E2, 102.E3, 102.E4, 102.E5, 104.E2, 104.E3, 206.03, 302.01, 303.02, 401.01, 401.05, 402.02, 501.08, 503.09, 503.09R1, 506.01, 600, 603.04, 605.01R1, 708, 710.01R1, 710.01E1, 710.01E2, 804.02, 804.06, and 901.

Members from the public shared their thoughts with the board.

Motion by Purvis, seconded by Bixel, to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 p.m. Carried: 7-0

Angie Johnson, President

Beth DeGroote, Board Secretary