

**NORTH UNION LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Work Session**

**July 17, 2023 - 6:30 p.m.**

**North Union Administrative Offices 12920 State Route 739 Richwood, OH 43344**

The North Union Local Board of Education met in a work session on July 17, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the North Union Administrative Offices, 12920 State Route 739, Richwood, Ohio 43344.

Members Present: Mr. Brian Davis, Mr. Matt Staley, Mrs. Shelly Ehret, Mr. Matthew Hall

Vision and Mission

Call for Modifications to the Agenda - Mr. Brian Davis, President - As noted.

Approval of Treasurer/CFO Consent Items: Moved by Mr. Hall and seconded by Mrs. Ehret to approve consent items recommended by the Treasurer as listed below:

Approval of Playground Change Order: Approval of a change order in the amount of 79,339.00 with Midstates Recreation in connection with the Elementary Playground Project (Additional Stone-\$78,709.00, Additional Pickleball Court, \$630.00). 23-55

Davis, Yes; Ehret, Yes; Hall, Yes; Staley, Yes. Motion Passed.

Approval of Consent Item Recommended by the Superintendent: Moved by Mr. Hall and seconded by Mr. DeCamp to approve consent items recommended by the Superintendent as listed below:

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Kelsey Lenhart, middle school cheer coach, effective July 7, 2023. 23-56

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Halle DuMoulin-Camella, elementary school counselor, effective the end of the 2022-2023 contract.

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Sarah Ireton, elementary preschool intervention specialist, effective the end of the 2022-2023 contract.

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Valorie Jolliff, elementary first grade teacher, effective the end of the 2022-2023 contract.

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Josh Sowder, middle school social studies teacher, effective the end of the 2022-2023 contract.

Approval of Resignation: Approval to accept the resignation of Dr. Thomas Lish-Brown, Director of Special Education, effective the end of the 2022-2023 contract.

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Ashley Smith on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 9, MA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: ES - First Grade)

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Tobin O'Reilly on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 9, BA+20) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: MS - 6th Grade English Language Arts)

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Kamryn Waites on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 0, BA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: ES - 5th Grade)

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Madison Neel on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 2, MA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: ES - Counselor)

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Molly Persinger on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 6, BA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: ES - Intervention Specialist)

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Kelsey Gugel on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 5, BA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (Assignment: ES - Intervention Specialist)

Approval of Supplemental Contract: Approval of a one-year limited expiring supplemental contract for the following certified/licensed staff member, effective the 2023-2024 school year, pending BCI/FBI clearance and pupil activity licensure:

Tobin O'Reilly - MS Football Coach, Step 2

Approval of Correction of Steps: Approval to correct an error of the annual step of the following individuals:

Nick Hajjar - Step 11  
Brian Nauman - Step 16

Approval of Supplemental Contract: Approval of a one-year, limited expiring supplemental contract for extended time to the following certified/licensed staff member, effective the 2023-2024 school year:

Madison Neel - Elementary Guidance - 10 days

Approval to Employ: Approval to employ Molly Levings on a one-year certificated contract, on scale (step 7, MA) pending licensure verification and BCI/FBI clearance effective the 2023-2024 school year. (*Assignment: ES - Preschool Intervention Specialist*)

Ehret, Yes; Hall, Yes; Staley, Yes; Davis, Yes. Motion Passed.

Executive Session: Moved by Mrs. Ehret and seconded by Mr. Staley to enter into executive session **In accordance with ORC 121.22G1** - The appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion or compensation of a public employee or official, or the investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee, official licensee, or regulated individual.

Time In: 6:39 p.m. Time Out: 7:42 p.m.

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Hall, Yes; Staley, Yes; Davis, Yes; Ehret, Yes. Motion Passed.

#### Board Work Session Items

Discussion Items (Individual BOE member topics)

- Brian Davis
  1. No Homework Policy at the Elementary school?
  2. Reel Mower
- Matt Staley
  1. Trap Shooting - Varsity Sport
  2. Follow up on January 2023 work session items
- Shelly Ehret
  1. Home Schooled Students
- Bradley DeCamp
  1. Title IX training for entire staff
    - a. One Hour
    - b. MS/HS together
    - c. Elementary School as one group
- Matthew Hall
  1. Traffic Pattern Study - Elementary
  2. Open House for Renovated Athletic Facilities
- Administrative Proposals to the DLT
  1. Attendance
  2. Vape Use
  3. Early Literacy
  4. Wellness Plan
  5. Middle School Math
  6. Student Behavior
  7. Handwriting
  8. Phonemic Awareness
  9. CTE/Workforce Needs
  10. Performing Arts
- June BOE Meeting
  1. House Speaker Letter
- Scott Maruniak/Rich Baird
  1. Levy Committee, Discussion

Adjournment: Moved by Mrs. Ehret and seconded by Mr. Hall to adjourn.  
Time Out: 8:27 p.m.

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Staley, Yes; Davis, Yes; Ehret, Yes; Hall, Yes. Motion Passed.

ATTEST

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President

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CFO/Treasurer