

Plainfield Community Consolidated School District 202
Board of Education Meeting

Notes

We prepare learners for the future

June 25, 2018 Regular Meeting

District Administrative Center

(Please Note: these are not official meeting minutes)

Board Member Robert Smith was absent

Board President's Comments

Board of Education President Greg Nichols:

- Reminded current and future District 202 families to register online or call their schools for help, and to complete all medical and health requirements.

Board Salutes

- Board member Rod Westfall congratulated **Plainfield North High School junior Marcellus Moore**, who was named the 2018 Gatorade 2018 Illinois Track and Field Athlete of the Year;
- Mr. Westfall also saluted **Plainfield High School – Central Campus graduate Kahmari Montgomery** for being named a two-time All-American at the recent NCAA Division I Men's Outdoor Track and Field Championships at the University of Oregon.

Special Recognitions

- Plainfield Foundation for Excellence Chairman Matt Starr recognized **Plainfield East High School guidance counselor Michel Pawlak** as the winner of the 2018 Walter G. and Juanita F. Niehus Award.

More information about the [2018 Niehus Award](#) is posted under "News" on the District 202 website.

Citizen Comment

- One community member shared concerns about transportation safety for special education students.
- Two community members shared concerns about a proposed residential development

being considered for land on 119th Street near Plainfield East High School.

Consent Agenda

The Board approved:

- Regular session minutes from May 29 and June 11, 2018; and special session minutes from June 3, 2018.
- The certified and non-certified personnel reports as presented.

For Action

Committee Reports

Site and Finance

Board secretary David Koch made the report. The Committee recommended approval for these items, and the Board approved all recommendations, unless otherwise noted:

- Accepting the treasurer's report.
- Paying bills in the amount of \$5,888,405.05
- The Prevailing Wage Ordinance.
- Putting the proposed 2018-19 budget on public display for 30 days as required by law and scheduling a public hearing to be held on August 20, 2018.
- Two lease purchase schedules with Dell Financial Services for technology at a cost not to exceed \$1,726,400.
- Installations as presented:
 - Central Elementary - Planting of a tree;
 - Drauden Point Middle School - Installation of picnic style benches and tables, and installation of vinyl MDO mounted mural;
 - Eagle Pointe Elementary - Installation of playground and outdoor classroom;
 - Freedom Elementary - Installation of six Smartboards;

- Grand Prairie Elementary - Installation of wall padding to gymnasium;
 - Ira Jones Middle School - Installation of eight trees;
 - River View Elementary - Installation of picnic tables and bench;
 - Timber Ridge Middle School - Installation of benches and tables
- Donations to:
 - Central Elementary - \$11,000 from PTA for VariQuest cutter and magazine subscriptions and \$13,251.37 to go towards an electronic sign;
 - Creekside Elementary - \$2,527.89 from PTA for classroom supplies;
 - Eagle Pointe Elementary - \$53,000 from PTO for playground and outdoor classroom;
 - Eichelberger Elementary - \$5,000 from PTA to go towards Marquee;
 - Freedom Elementary - \$10 from YourCause Corporate Giving; Six Smartboards from PTO;
 - Ira Jones Middle School - \$51.30 from YourCause Corporate Giving;
 - Liberty Elementary - \$1,509 from PTA for a new laminator; four iPevo document cameras, \$1,500 from Exxon Mobile matching gift;
 - Meadow View Elementary - \$409.50 from PTO towards 5th grade Outdoor Ed t-shirts;
 - Ridge Elementary - \$563.97 from PTO-Social Work Materials; \$6,300 from PTO for start of year staff shirts, teacher chairs and PR equipment;
 - River View Elementary - \$5,149.92 from PTO for the purchase of a Gaga Ball Pit; \$18,280.25 from PTO for picnic tables and bench, water coolers, recess equipment and media center furniture;
 - Timber Ridge Middle School - \$100 from Network for Good-Exelon;
 - Lincoln Elementary - \$6.30 YourCause Corporate Giving; \$373.50 from PTA for 5th grade farewell movie trip;
 - Eagle Pointe Elementary - \$150 from Donate Well.

- Disposal of broken assets from Charles Reed Elementary School, Plainfield South High School and the Student Services department.

More information about the [proposed 2018-19 budget](#) is posted under “News” on the [District 202 website](#).

Personnel, Policy and Administration

Board Member Heather Drake made the report. The Committee recommended approval for these items, and the Board approved all recommendations, unless otherwise noted:

- Tom Hernandez, director of community relations reported that the department is busy with summer projects including redesigning the Education Partners email newsletter, starting work on the 2018 Hunger Action Month food drive; the 2019 Great Read program and helping with the annual school safety review.
- Staffing changes in the Administration and Personnel, Curriculum and Instruction and Business and Operations departments (Mr. Westfall abstained for all three recommendations)

For Action-Other

The Board of Education approved:

- An employment agreement with Patricia Decker for the 2018-19 school year.

For Information

- Board member Rod Westfall gave the Wilco Career Cooperative report.

Freedom of Information Requests

None

Announcements/Scheduled Activities

- **Wednesday, July 4, 2018 – Independence Day**, all buildings closed.
- **Wednesday, June 20, 2018 -- Board of Education Committee meetings**, District

202 Administration Center, 15732 Howard Street, Plainfield.

- Curriculum and Technology – 6 p.m.
- Site/Finance – 6 p.m.

- **Monday, July 23, 2018 – Board of Education regular meeting**, District 202 Administrative Center, 15732 Howard Street, Plainfield. Public session starts at 7:30 p.m.