

UNAPPROVED MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
WORKSHOP MEETING
SEPTEMBER 5, 2023
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF HARPER WOODS



1.0 Call to Order

President Stacey White called the Regular Meeting of the Harper Woods School District to order at 7:18 p.m.

2.0 Roll Call

Present: *Stacey White, Ramona Simmons, Terry Hughes, Johnetta Tabron Joan Mannino, Reginald Tabron, Michael Jarvis.*

Also Present: *Steven McGhee, Carla West, Robert Brooks, Shirley Ashford, Carrie Tenkel,*

3.0 Acceptance of Meeting Agenda

Stacey White requested to amend the agenda to add item 4.6 Edustaff.

Motion by Ms. Hughes supported by Michael Jarvis to accept the amended agenda.

Motion passes 7-0

4.0 Discussion Items:

4.1 High School Parking Lot Patch Up Asphalt

Superintendent McGhee shared with the board the ongoing repairs to the High School parking lot asphalt.

4.2 High School Partial VC Tile Replacement

Superintendent McGhee shared with the Board that the replacement tiles at High School will continue as needed. If needed the services will go out to bid.

4.3 Board Retreat

Stacey White informed the Board that the Board Retreat will be held on September 30, 2023

4.4 District Student Count

The Superintendent updated the Board regarding the student count for the district. Informal count 315.

4.5 Wayne County Regional Board Award Ceremony

Terry Hughes shared with the Board that Harper Woods has been selected to host the Wayne County Regional Award Ceremony

5.0 Future Action Items

5.1 Personnel Matters

5.1.1 Resignations/Terminations/Retirements

5.1.1.1 Chad Steele- Football Coach-Harper Woods High School

5.1.1.2 Amy Conrad- 3rd grade Teacher Tyrone Elementary

5.1.1.3 Christopher Ellis-Kindergarten Teacher-Beacon Elementary

5.1.1.4 Erica Breshgold-CI Teacher-Harper Woods Middle School

5.1.1.5 Janetta Hubbard- Speech Pathologist-Beacon Elementary

5.1.1.6 Gregory Walker- Teacher-Beacon Elementary & Tyrone Elementary

5.1.1.7 Maria Lograsso- English Learner K-12 Instructional Specialist

5.1.2 Rehires/New Hires



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- 5.1.2.1 Brittaney Bateman- Teacher- Tyrone Elementary
- 5.1.2.2 Jordin Robbins- Teacher- Tyrone Elementary School
- 5.1.2.3 Carla Caldwell-Teacher-Tyrone Elementary
- 5.1.2.4 Ting Ting Liu- Teacher Beacon Elementary
- 5.1.2.5 Antonia Johnson- Paraprofessional – CCI
- 5.1.2.6 William Davison- META 24 Paraprofessional-Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.7 Mariah Hemingway-META Paraprofessional- Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.8 Corey Waites- Special Education Paraprofessional- Harper Woods High School
- 5.1.2.9 Angela Brooks- Clerical Support-Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.10 Robbin Trice- Clerical Support-Beacon Elementary
- 5.1.2.11 Dewayne Davis- Success Coach-Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.12 Asia Rooks- Lunch Aide- Beacon Elementary
- 5.1.2.13 Adrian Lyles- Crossing Guard-Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.14 Rosetta Washington- Lunch Aide
- 5.1.2.15 Madison Atlas- Athletic Coach Assistant- Harper Woods High School
- 5.1.2.16 Demetrius Wadley- Head Football Coach- Harper Woods Middle School
- 5.1.2.17 Brian Carmichael- Bus Aide

6.0 Public Participation

The Harper Woods Board of Education highly values the input of citizens in making important decisions that affect the children of our community. We also believe in the rights of citizens to observe Board Meetings. To ensure that all of our citizens have the opportunity to attend School Board Meetings and offer comment, and to ensure that the Board can conduct the important business of the district, we ask that speakers follow the guidelines for making public comments.

Please respect the following procedures for Public Participation:

1. All members of the public attending School Boards Meetings must treat each other and the Board with respect.
2. State your full name and address.
3. Submit your questions to the Board of Education with your name, address and telephone number where you can be contacted. Your questions will be answered within a reasonable time.
4. Individuals offering citizen comment are not permitted to make personal attacks on any District employee, Board Member, other testifier or member of the public.
5. Failure to adhere to the above procedures can result in immediate removal from the meeting.
6. Please keep all comments to 3 minutes or less.

None

7.0 Items of Interest to Board Members

7.1 MASB Annual Leadership Conference- November 9th -12th Lansing, MI

7.2 NSBA Equity Symposium- January 27, 32024 Washington D.C.

7.3 NSBA Advocacy Institute- January 28-January 30, 2024 Washington D.C.

7.4 NSBA Annual Conference and Exposition- April 6- April 8, 2024

8.0 Adjournment

Stacey White adjourned the meeting at 7:37 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted by
Johnetta Tabron
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