

Martins Ferry City School District



BOARD NEWS

REGULAR MEETING

Board President Jim Agnew called the regular meeting to order and proceeded with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

All minutes were approved and the Financial Report was filed for audit.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Personnel - Certified - Employment:

1. Hired Greg Kumse as the Resident Educator Program/LPDC Coordinator effective immediately.
2. Hired Brent Holloway as a Middle School Intervention Specialist Teacher for the 2025-2026 school year effective October 15, 2025.
3. Hired Barbara Cunningham as a substitute teacher for the 2025-2026 school year effective immediately.
4. Hired Jaclyn Ketter as a substitute teacher for the 2025-2026 school year effective immediately.
5. Hired Barbie McKeegan as the District Gifted Coordinator effective October 15, 2025.
6. Hired Meagan Totterdale as the Elementary Dean of Students effective October 15, 2025.
7. Hired Taylor Yoder as the Middle School Dean of Students effective October 15, 2025.
8. Hired Richard Materkoski as the High School Dean of Students effective October 15, 2025.

Personnel - Non-Certified - Resignations:

1. Accepted Dan Nixon's resignation as a high school custodian effective June 1, 2025.

Personnel - Non-Certified - Employment:

1. Rescind Maureen Young as a Bus Attendant effective September 10, 2025.
2. Hired Maureen Young as a Bus Attendant effective September 2, 2025.

3. Hired Bob Bender as a 6:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. district maintenance worker effective September 22, 2025.
4. Hired Rich Thomas as a 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. district maintenance worker effective September 22, 2025.
5. Hired Tracie Griffiths as an 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. elementary server effective September 22, 2025.
6. Hired Eric Sigon as a substitute bus driver effective pending certification and background check.
7. Hired Lisa Reasbeck as the Preschool Aide effective October 15, 2025.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Approved 3 days of unpaid leave of absence for Lisa Marchbank.
- Approved a Resolution Implementing a Reduction in Force of Non-Teaching Staff.
- Approved a new scholarship "The William Wagner Excellence in Science Scholarship" in the amount of \$5000.00 donated by Dr. Roger Vitter.
- Approved an additional donation to "The William Wagner Excellence in Science Scholarship" in the amount of \$500.00 donated by the Class of 1975.
- Approved a new scholarship for Martins Ferry High School from Vitalant for \$250.00.
- Approved a donation to the STEM Program from Allen H. Marangoni in the amount of \$250.00.
- Approved a donation to the STEM Program from Charles R. Probst, Jr. in the amount of \$250.00.
- Approved an agreement with Mason Goddard, at no cost to the district, for student athlete action shots and videography.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Athletic Board - Dave Bruney, Chairperson, Jim Agnew
 Finance - Jon Nagel, Chairperson, Allen Marangoni
 Negotiations - Chuck Probst, Chairperson, Jon Nagel
 Personnel - Dave Bruney, Chairperson, James Agnew

Public Liaison - James Agnew, Chairperson, Dave Bruney
 Buildings/Grounds - Allen Marangoni, Chairperson, Chuck Probst
 Curriculum - Allen Marangoni, Chairperson, Chuck Probst
 Safety - Chuck Probst, Chairperson, Jon Nagel

The next regular board meeting will be held on **November 11, 2025**

Administration Office - 7:30 a.m. - 5001 Ayers Limestone Road, Martins Ferry, Ohio