

Dugger Union Community Schools Corporation

February 10, 2020

Present: Gina Lovelace, Jim Stringer, Carri Howard, Darin Simpson, Stephanie Kinnett, Kyle Foli, Kylee Knoepfle

A. Call to Order

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Moment of Silence

B. Reading and Approval of November Meeting Minutes

Motion to Approve- Carri Howard

Second- Jim Stringer

All Vote Yes

C. Signing of Accounts Payable Voucher Registers- August- November, 2019- Board Treasurer

D. New Business

1. Staff/Athletic Recommendations

a. None

2. Field Trips/ Events

a. Feb. 11- Acorn Ridge facility in Dugger- sophomore class officers (possible 2021 prom location)

b. March 18- Brown Baggers help in Sullivan- JR. Beta

c. April 1- Candles Museum in Terre Haute- US History classes

d. May 1- 6th grade to St. Louis

e. May 11- Ivy Fit in Terre Haute- JH Good Conduct

Motion to Approve- Kylee Knoepfle

Second- Kyle Foli

All Vote Yes

3. Approval of 2020-21 school calendar

Motion to approve- Jim Stringer

Second- Carri Howard

All Vote Yes

4. Approval to add language to student handbook

a. "if a student refuses to be searched, whether it's himself/herself, student's backpack, locker, or vehicle, student is assumed guilty"

b. Metal wand policy

Motion to approve- Carri Howard

Second- Kyle Foli

All Vote Yes

5. Approval of new hourly rate of \$21.14 for school nurse to better align with state average
Motion to approve- Kylee Knoepfle
Second- Kyle Foli
Three Votes Yes
Jim Stringer Abstains
6. Approval of 5th bus route beginning Tuesday, February 18 and approval of additional bus purchase
Motion to approve- Kyle Foli
Second- Jim Stringer
All Vote Yes

E. Updates

1. Finances

Operating: \$984,125 (\$217,500 in facility money paid on 1/22) ECA: \$82,713 Total: \$1,066,838

2. Enrollment -

- a. K-6: 243(-5)
- b. 7-12: 263(-5)
- c. Total: 506(-10)

F. Announcements

1. Next executive session- Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at 6:00 PM
2. Next public board meeting – Monday, March 9, 2020 at 7:00 PM
3. eLearning days- Mon., Feb. 17 and Friday, May 8

- Questions from the Public

a. Fishing Club speaker

Presentation from Will Newlin – President Chairman of the Board-Bass Unlimited Fishing club for grades 7-12

Meeting to take place the following evening at Terre Haute South- encouraged representative from school to attend

- b. Parent Jill Cobb along with second parent addressed bus issues their children were experiencing – Darin noted adding the 5th route will alleviate overcrowding and stated any issues concerning a particular driver and/or other students would be addressed privately
- c. Shane Keller- Jr High Basketball – noted problems with 8th grade players from other school- Carri Howard responded the athletic committee/ school board will address and a policy for allowing non- DUCS students on athletic teams will be discussed

G. Adjournment

Motion-Carri Howard

Second- Jim Stringer

All Vote Yes

Carri Howard

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Jim Stringer

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Kyle Foli

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Gina Lovelace

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