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SESE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
Wednesday, September 14, 2022
SESE Central Office
Ste. Marie, IL

TENTATIVE MINUTES

The September meeting of the South Eastern Special Education Executive Board was held Wednesday, September 14, 2022 at 9:30 a.m., at the SESE Central Office in Ste. Marie, IL. Travis Wyatt, Chairperson for the SESE Executive Board, called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

Members present: Joe Sornberger, Chris Simpson, Julie Kraemer, Josh Quick, Jessica Sisil, and Chair Travis Wyatt.

Members absent: Michelle Meese, Jakie Walker, Doug Daugherty, Jill Barger, and Joel Hackney.

The agenda was presented for review. Simpson moved, seconded by Sornberger to approve the agenda. Roll call vote was taken with all present voting yea. Motion carried.

The consent agenda was presented for review. Kraemer moved, seconded by Sisil to approve the consent agenda. Roll call vote was taken with all present voting yea. Motion carried.

Kraemer moved, seconded by Quick to approve the Final Reading of the IASB Recommended Policy Updates. Roll call vote was taken with all present voting yea. Motion carried.

The Executive Board did not go into closed session.

Kraemer moved, seconded by Sisil to approve the resignations of Tricia Ohnesorge, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to August 11, 2022; Jennifer Sparlin, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to August 11, 2022; and Nancy Walker, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to September 2, 2022. Roll call vote was taken with Sornberger, Simpson, Kraemer, Quick, Sisil, and Wyatt voting yea. Motion carried.

Simpson moved, seconded by Quick to approve the resignation of Morgan Westjohn, Speech-Language Pathologist, retroactive to August 11, 2022. Roll call vote was taken with Sornberger, Simpson, Kraemer, Quick, Sisil, and Wyatt voting yea. Motion carried.

Kraemer moved, seconded by Quick to employ Julie Jones, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to August 12, 2022; Julia Earnest, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to August 16, 2022; Catherine Douga, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to August 19, 2022; Amy Webster, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to September 6, 2022; Katrena Burton, Educational Support Personnel, retroactive to September 7, 2022; and Melissa Bible, Educational Support Personnel, effective September 22, 2022. Roll call vote was taken with Sornberger, Simpson, Kraemer, Quick, Sisil, and Wyatt voting yea. Motion carried.

Simpson moved, seconded by Quick to employ Mick Whittler as part-time School Psychologist, retroactive to August 19, 2022. Roll call vote was taken with Sornberger, Simpson, Kraemer, Quick, Sisil, and Wyatt voting yea. Motion carried.

The Case Study Evaluation Report was reviewed.

Kessler recognized the following employees for their years of service to SESE:

5 Years
Taylor Robinson - School Psychologist
Shane Roe-Weaver - Hutsonville Autism I/II Teacher
Nancy Walker - North Clay I/II Paraprofessional
Lorrie Welty - Robinson MSI IV Paraprofessional

10 Years
Angela Edwards - Flora ECE Teacher

15 Years
Joyce Reis - Administrative Assistant

20 Years
Pam Briscoe - Speech-Language Pathologist

25 Years
Robyn Payne - Technical Assistance Supervisor

30 Years
Susan Vaughn - Pre-Vocational Coordinator

District Contacts for SIS were distributed for updates.

Updates were given by Director Kessler regarding the Central Office Building Project.

Discussed scheduling a Strategic Planning Meeting for October or November.

A 13th payment for the Egyptian Trust Insurance was discussed.

Discussed the COVID Admin days.

Medicaid Billing was discussed.

There being no further business, Kraemer moved, seconded by Simpson to adjourn the meeting. Roll call vote was taken with all present voting yea. Motion carried. Time: 10:22 a.m.

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Travis Wyatt, Chair

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Renee Barthelme, Recording Secretary