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# BOARD REPORT

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This report summarizes the actions taken by the Penn Cambria Board of Education at its regular meeting, September 16, 2014. Routine business, such as approval of minutes, treasurer's report, financial reports and payment of bills was accomplished. The Board also took the following actions:

- I. Approved an agreement to provide school lunches to Smart Start Learning Center for the 2014-2015 school term.
- II. Approved the Superintendent's recommendations as follows:

## **APPROVED THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL ACTIONS**

### **ACCEPTED RETIREMENTS**

*Mr. Bruce Frycklund*, Health and Physical Education Teacher, PC High School, effective at the end of the 2014-2015 school year, after 27 years of service at Penn Cambria

*Ms. Nancy Rowe*, Payroll Clerk, Central Office, effective January 30, 2015, after 41+ years of service at Penn Cambria

### **ACCEPTED RESIGNATIONS**

*Mr. Fred Illig*, Custodian, effective September 4, 2014

*Ms. Barb Trybus*, Assistant Coach, Softball, effective immediately

*Ms. Heather Kerfonta*, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading Competition Advisor, effective immediately

### **APPROVED MEDICAL LEAVE**

*Mr. Doug Fogel*, PC Elementary Health and Physical Education Teacher, effective October 8, 2014 for 6-8 weeks

### **APPROVED SHORT-TERM SUBSTITUTE**

*Ms. Miranda Gray*, Cresson, Instructional I, Health and Physical Education K-12, at PC Elementary for Mr. Doug Fogel, effective October 8, 2014 for 6-8 weeks

### **APPROVED FOLLOWING APPOINTMENT**

*Ms. Erika Strittmatter*, Hollidaysburg, Assistant Coach, Junior High Girls Basketball, effective with the start of the 2014-2015 season, stipend \$1510.60 (70% of \$2158 for first year coach), per PCEA contract

### **APPROVED SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICE**

*Mr. Corey Hicks*, Cresson Police Department

*Mr. Paul Mummert*, Cresson Police Department

### **APPROVED SUBSTITUTE TEACHER**

*Ms. Rhiannon Stager*, Ebensburg, Inst I, Early Childhood N-3/Elementary K-6/Mid-Level Citizenship Ed 7-9

**APPROVED SUBSTITUTE SUPPORT STAFF**

*Ms. Krista Harris*, Cresson, Aide/Food Service

*Ms. Erin Healy*, Gallitzin, Aide/Food Service\*

*Ms. Sara Kruley*, Ebensburg, Secretary

*Ms. Veronica Noll*, Loretto, Aide/Food Service/Secretary

*Ms. Tiffany Parker*, Lilly, Aide/Food Service/Secretary\*

*Ms. Chelsea Shaffer*, Cresson, Aide/Secretary\*

*Ms. Julie Weamer*, Ashville, Aide

\*Pending required clearances

**REMOVED THE FOLLOWING SUBSTITUTES**

*Mr. Mark Alex*, Substitute Teacher

*Ms. Susan Maurer*, Substitute Teacher

**APPROVED REVISION TO THE 2014-2015 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

- III. Approved a modification to the Support Staff Dress Code 325-AR-1.
- IV. Approved a revision to the Non-Contract Non-Professional Classified Personnel Benefit Plan.
- V. Approved the Administration recommendation to approve a 12 month contract with Washington Gas Energy for the purchase of electricity. The weighted average price per kilowatt hour will be 6.75. This represents a 13.9 percent increase.
- VI. Approved the donation of gymnasium scoreboards and controllers from Mount Aloysius College.

**ADMINISTRATORS REPORT**

*Mr. Jeffrey Baird*, Middle School Principal, reported to the Board on various activities, effective changes and transitions that have taken place for the start of the new school year at the Middle School.