

Ashland Board of Education

February 26, 2024 5:15 PM

Regular Meeting

1820 Hickman Street

Ashland, KY 41101

The Ashland Board of Education met in regular session on February 26, 2024, at the Regular Meeting, 1820 Hickman Street, Ashland, KY 41101. Chairperson David Latherow called the meeting to order.

Attendance Taken at 5:15 PM:

Present Board Members:

Mr. Don Ashby

Ms. Ashley Layman

Mr. David Latherow

Dr. Blake Gillum

Dr. Matthew Lewis

1. Call to Order

1.1. Pledge to the Flag

2. Discussion and possible approval of minutes from the Regular Meeting of January 22, 2024

Order #2228 - Motion Passed: Approval of minutes from the Regular Meeting of January 22, 2024 passed with a motion by Dr. Blake Gillum and a second by Ms. Ashley Layman.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby Yes

Ms. Ashley Layman Yes

Mr. David Latherow Yes

Dr. Blake Gillum Yes

Dr. Matthew Lewis Yes

3. Communications

3.1. AMS Student Showcase

3.2. Presentation of the 2023 Financial Audit Report

3.3. CSIP & CDIP Presentations

3.4. Putnam Stadium Renovation Project

3.5. Construction Update

3.6. Head Start PIR Report

3.7. Public Comments

4. Treasurer's Action Items

4.1. Discussion and possible approval of a copier lease agreement for Poage Elementary

Order #2229 - Motion Passed: Approval of a copier lease agreement for Poage Elementary passed with a motion by Dr. Matthew Lewis and a second by Ms. Ashley Layman.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes

4.2. Discussion and possible approval of the SFCC Offer of Assistance for annual debt service for \$62,429.78

Order #2230 - Motion Passed: Approval of the SFCC Offer of Assistance for annual debt service for \$62,429.78 passed with a motion by Ms. Ashley Layman and a second by Dr. Blake Gillum.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes

5. Treasurer's Consent

5.1. Approve Bills for February 2024 as presented by Board Treasurer

5.2. Approve Head Start bills for February 2024 as presented by Board Treasurer

5.3. Approve salaries for February 2024 in accordance with the 2023-2024 salary schedule

5.4. Approve Head Start salaries for January 2024 in accordance with the 2023-2024 salary schedule

Order #2231 - Motion Passed: Approval of Treasurer's Consent passed with a motion by Mr. Don Ashby and a second by Dr. Blake Gillum.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes

6. New Business Action Items

6.1. Discussion and possible approval of paying \$225.00 towards the fee for any student to attend the KAAC (Governor's Cup) camp in the summer of 2024

Order #2232 - Motion Passed: Approval of paying \$225.00 towards the fee for any student to attend the KAAC (Governor's Cup) camp in the summer of 2024 passed with a motion by Dr. Matthew Lewis and a second by Dr. Blake Gillum.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes

7. New Business Consent

7.1. Donations

Donations			
February 26, 2024			
School	Amount	Donor Name	Description
Ashland FRYSC	\$2,100.00	Friends of the Children	FRYSC Contributions
Ashland FRYSC	\$1,500.00	United Way of Northeast KY	FRYSC Contributions

7.2. Fundraisers

SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS		
February 26, 2024		
School	Group	Items
AMS	Track & Field	World's Finest Chocolate Sale, Fill the Calendar to purchase warm-ups, starting blocks and batons for relays
AMS	Beta Club	Stride for Strays to raise funds for AARF
AMS	Cheer	Meal sponsors for Disney to go towards cost of meals while at Disney for Nationals
Hager	Student Council	Freeze Dried Candy sale to raise funds to update (paint) basketball court and update recess activities

7.3. Trips

Trip Requests		
February 26, 2024		
School	Group	Event
AMS	KUNA	YUMC KUNA, Louisville, KY 3/17-3/19/24 via District provided transportation
AMS	8th Grade	8th Grade trip to King's Island 5/20/24 via District provided transportation

7.4. Surplus

Surplus Items
February 26, 2024

Item	Serial #	Control #	Disposal/Location Date
Convection Oven	06110019	N/A	Blazer / ASAP

Order #2233 - Motion Passed: New Business Consent passed with a motion by Dr. Blake Gillum and a second by Mr. Don Ashby.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes

8. Personnel for Board Information Only in Accordance with KRS 160.390

Personnel Information

February 26, 2024

EMPLOYED

First	Last	Site/School	Position	Date
Johnda	Adkins	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Bowen	Bailey	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Jeremie	Bayless	Blazer	Assistant Baseball Coach	2/14/2024
Mike	Brown	AMS	Golf Coach	1/30/2024
Natasha	Dillow	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Austin	Ferguson	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Sarah	Fralely	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher and Substitute IA	1/3/2024
Stacie	Fuller	Poage	Instructional Assistant II (Special Ed.)	1/23/2024
Angela	Harrison	Blazer	Allied Health Teacher	2/5/2024
Preston	Ledford	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	1/3/2024
Bridget	Lemon-Justice	District-Wide	Substitute School Nurse	2/7/2024
Mindy	Lowe	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Maya	Madden	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher	2/7/2024
Delaney	Mollett	District-Wide	Substitute Teacher and Substitute IA	2/1/2024
Amber	Ray	Blazer	5-hour Food Service Worker	2/7/2024
Akari	Sassa	Blazer	5-hour Food Service Worker	1/23/2024
Jeremiah	Stambough	Transportation	Bus Driver	2/5/2024
Micah	Taylor	AMS	Social Studies Teacher	1/29/2024
Connie	Young	Transportation	Substitute Bus Monitor	2/1/2024
Autumn	Wooten	District-Wide	Substitute IA	2/7/2024

Resignation / Termination / Retirement / Transfer

First	Last	Site/School	Title	Date
Barbara	Calhoun	Crabbe	IA / Retirement	1/31/2024
Alicia	Childers	Head Start	IA / Resignation	3/1/2024

Carrie	Dinkens	AMS	Transfer to Custodian	2/5/24
Kaytlin	Dooley	AMS	IA II / Termination	2/12/2024
Bruce	Gibson	Blazer	Asst. Football Coach / Resignation	2/9/2024
Opal	Hobson	Head Start	Transfer to Food Service Manager	2/16/2024
Jacob	Keeton	AMS	Custodian / Resignation	1/30/2024
Delaney	Mollett	Oakview	IA II / Resignation	1/31/2024
Jaiyme	Peterman	AMS	Algebra Teacher / Retirement	6/30/2024
Amber	Ray	Blazer	Food Service Worker / Resignation	2/7/2024
Kristin	Rowe	AMS	Social Studies Teacher / Resignation	1/12/2024

FMLA

First	Last	Position	Location	Date
William	Fraley	Teacher	Oakview	1/10/24 Intermittent
Marion	Sparks	Custodian	Poage	1/31/24 - 3/27/24

9. Board Discussion

10. Adjourn

Order #2234 - Motion Passed: Adjournment passed with a motion by Mr. Don Ashby and a second by Ms. Ashley Layman.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mr. Don Ashby	Yes
Ms. Ashley Layman	Yes
Mr. David Latherow	Yes
Dr. Blake Gillum	Yes
Dr. Matthew Lewis	Yes



 David Latherow Chairperson



 D. Sean Howard Superintendent

