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TO BE APPROVED AT THE MEETING ON MAY 19, 2008

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
CANTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2008

The Canton City School District Board of Education met for a regular meeting on Monday, April 14, 2008, at 6:00 p.m. at McKinley Sr. High School, 2323 – 17th Street N.W., Canton, Ohio 44708.

Members present: Richard S. Milligan, Nadine McIlwain, Jennifer Keaton and James Carman, Jr.

Staff members in attendance included Michele Evans-Gardell, Tad Ellsworth and Tim Pickana.

President Milligan presided.

At this time, President Milligan welcomed all people in attendance at the regularly scheduled meeting which included Joe Gartrell, Repository, Nancy Molnar, Akron Beacon Journal, Derek Gordon, City of Canton, Barbara Stanley, OAPSE Local #161 and Jackie Leisure, OAPSE Local #609.

At this time, Mr. Milligan led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

08-060 Mr. Carman moved, seconded by Mrs. McIlwain, that the Canton City School District Board of Education Agenda for April 14, 2008 meeting be approved with the following changes: Add, Board of Education Committee Section Report.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, McIlwain, Keaton and Carman
Motion carried.

At this time Michele Evans-Gardell, Superintendent, spoke about good things happening in Canton City Schools.

Timken Senior High School showcased a variety of art forms at the IlluminArts Finale on Saturday, April 12th. This event was a great success and those who attended enjoyed the music, dancing, crafts and art displays.

McKinley Student Council purchased a Bulldog statue to place in front of the school.

At this time Pam Davis was introduced to the audience as the coach of the McKinley Girls' Basketball team. Ms. Davis then addressed the audience at the Board meeting and thanked the community for their support.

At this time Mr. Milligan and Mrs. Keaton offered congratulations and thanks to Pam Davis and the McKinley Girls' Basketball team on a great season.

Mrs. McIlwain congratulated the Timken Boys' Basketball team on a great season and commented on a banquet held in their honor at the Canton Negro Old Timers Club.

Mrs. Keaton commented on how well the elementary team that went to Barberton for Destination Imagination represented Canton City Schools.

Mrs. Keaton also spoke about the Timken Robotics Team (Trobots) traveling to Atlanta for the national competition.

Mrs. McIlwain spoke about the Bridging the GAP event on May 15, 2008 at Trinity Gospel Temple with Canton City Schools Director of School Improvement, Sandy Womack, as the feature speaker.

There were no comments from the previous meeting's hearing of the public.

The following individuals requested to speak during the public hearing segment of the Board meeting:

- Barb Stanley, President of OAPSE Local 161, questioned the Board on the qualifying process for the Canton City Schools Arts Academy.
- Ron Blackledge, Timken Sr. High School Alumnus and Booster spoke in favor of the City of Canton, Timken Sr. High School, and Terry Garner and the work he has done at Timken Sr. High School through the years.
- Adam Makridis, student at McKinley Sr. High School, spoke to the Board about the student dress code and flip flop footwear.

08-061 Upon the recommendation of Tim Pickana, Treasurer, Mr. Carman moved, seconded by Mrs. McIlwain, that the amounts and rates for taxes to be collected in 2008 be adopted as shown in Exhibit T-1 and that the Treasurer be authorized to submit a copy of this resolution to the Stark County Auditor.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, McIlwain, Keaton and Carman
Motion carried.

08-062 Upon the recommendation of Michele Evans-Gardell, Superintendent, Mrs. McIlwain moved, seconded by Mrs. Keaton, that the following changes in the employment of the certified staff be approved:

RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS:

Administrative Staff:

Patrick, Stephanie, retirement, e. June 30, 2008

Regular Certified Staff: (Retirements)

Brahler, Ron, retirement, e. June 13, 2008

Daniels, Susan, retirement, e. May 31, 2008

Gann, Deborah, retirement, e. June 6, 2008

McIntosh, Carla, retirement, e. June 30, 2008

Regular Certified Staff: (Resignations)

Chew, Stephanie, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

Gordon, Bryan, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

James, Minty Kelly, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

Pancher, Tammy, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

Rocheleau, Karen, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

Tomak, Valerie, resignation, e. June 6, 2008

Adult Career and Technical Education (Retirement)

Cabassa, Pamela, Disability Retirement, e. March 1, 2008

Regular Certified Substitute:

Zimmerman (Burger), Shawna, resignation, e. April 9, 2008

LEAVES OF ABSENCE:

Regular Certified Staff:

Allison, Jeanna, F.M.L.A. Leave (unpaid), e. March 20, 2008 through May 7, 2008

Lepley, Stephanie, Child Care Leave, e. September 2, 2008 through January 22, 2009

Palomba, Stefanie, F.M.L.A. Leave (unpaid) e. April 17, 2008 through June 6, 2008

APPOINTMENTS:

Administrative Staff:

Jones, Carisa, BA/BS, step 1, Supervisor of Purchasing, 228 days, (CLAD/OPMTS, 0.92 ratio salary schedule) e. April 14, 2008

Administrative Staff:

Piccari, Thomas, 10 Days Extended Time, e. 2008-2009 school year

Regular Certified Substitute,

Garofalo, Deborah, e. April 7, 2008

Krawson, Stanley, e. April 7, 2008

Reynolds, Carrie, e. March 10, 2008

Gifted Arts Assessment, \$18.50 per hour, e. 2007-2008 school year

Skalsky, Amanda

Adult Career and Technical Education, \$18.50 per hour, e. February 4, 2008

through June 30, 2008

Banfield, Michael

District Consultant, e. March 20, 2008 through June 30, 2009, maximum of 6 hours per week at a rate of \$50.00 per hour

Hatchett, Mary

G.O.L.D. (Growing Outstanding Leaders Daily) Participants, \$150.00 stipend e.

March 13, 2008 through May 21, 2008

Aquino, Melinda	Kosenski, Nichole	Oliver, Chad
Hadnett (Warner) Melissa	Maiorana, Lisa	Scheetz, Patricia
Kalafice, Pamela	Monahan, Elena	Seiple, Jolinda

Coordinators of Summer Programs, \$1,500 stipend for Design of the Program and \$3,500 stipend for Coordination of the Programs

Bartley, Ann (Elementary)

Grubbs, Wanda (Middle School)

Stokes-Davis, Dee (High School)

High School/Middle and Elementary Summer School Programming Design Team,

\$18.50 per hour, e. 2007-2008 school year

Albrecht, Jennie	Kisha Wise, Kathy
Aleusan, Kristen	Lehotay, Michael
Anderson, David	Mann, Terra
Bashoor, Sue	McIntyre, Laura

Brunner, Ken	McNeal, Jeanne
Dixon, Jason	Pukys, James
Emmons, Maria	Reinhard, Dana
Essig, Erik	Schott, Jennifer
Fiorello, Janice	Smith, Tim
Ford, Laura	Spence, Yamile
Kessler, Tiffany	Swope, David

Home Instructors, \$18.00 per hour, as needed, e. 2007-2008 school year

Hale, Kris
Novacich, Linda

Professional Instructor, \$18.50 per hour, as needed, e. March 6, 2008 through June 6, 2008

Hosking, Amy

Camp Invention Summer Program, Coordinator, \$23.00 per hour, e. April 14, 2008 through August 30, 2008

Long, Patrice

Credit Recovery/Tutoring for the Governors Initiative for Increasing the Graduation Rate, \$18.50 per hour, as needed, e. April 14, 2008 through June 30, 2008

Brewer, Teresa
Owolabi, Dan
Smith, Lee

After School Intervention, \$18.50 per hour, as needed, e. 2007-2008 school year

McLeod, April

Encore Training Workshop, \$10.00 per hour, e. 2007-2008 school year

Borack, Celia	Mazzarella, Michele
Garlow, Lisa	McDonald, Margaret

Assistive Tech Meetings, \$10.00 per hour, as needed, e. 2007-2008 school year

Arvidson, Marianna	Petrarca, Karen
Biddle, Diana	Pryor, Mary
Clark, Kathy	Schauer, Denise
Dillon-Young, Linda	Scott, Dawn
Fonte, Kay	Smith, Jayme
Howland, Wyck	Smith, Jon
Hull, Susan	Tondra, Jan
Lundquist, Judy	VanVoorhis, Rich
Muirhead-Gould, Sandy	Williams, Monica

eTech Professional Development Workshops, \$10.00 per hour, eTech Preparation for Professional Development, \$14.00 per hour and eTech Presenters for Professional Development (paid by eTech Grant Fund) e. October 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008

Borland, Angela	Lamp, Tamie
Common, Cynthia	Long, Patrice
DeComo, Michael	McKay, Tonya
Emmons, Maria	Monnot, Colleen
Furno, Darren	Pfabe, William
Gauding, Ronald	Phillabaum, Deb

Grubish, Lisa	Schott, Jennifer
Hughes, Brett	Springer, Kim
Jackson, Steve	Thornton, Lance
Johnson, Dawna	Turner, Carolyn
Johnson-Clark, Cherie	Valentine, Brenda
Konigsberger, Amy	Vanicek, Diana
Kuhn, Kristen	Watson, Michael

Principal's Building Stipend Fund, e. 2007-2008 school year

Balaski, Beth, Souers, eTech Computer Training, \$50.00
 Emmons, Maria, Crenshaw, Website Development and Maintenance, \$400.00
 Gerber, Richard, Timken, Bowling Advisor and Coach, \$1,000.00
 Miller, Robert, Timken, Robotics, \$500.00
 Rooney, Daniel, Timken, Robotics, \$500.00
 Small, William, Timken, Robotics, \$500.00
 Zutali, Karen, Souers, Spelling Bee Coordinator, \$200.00

Extra-Duty Supplemental Assignments, e. 2007-2008 school year

Ancil, Jennifer, Vocal Music, scale 11, .04 index
 Fleischaker, Rachael, Vocal Music, scale 11, .05 index
 Flowers, Al, Instrumental Music, scale 11, .045 index
 McCorvey, Kenneth, Vocal Music, scale 11, .04 index
 McCleskey, Tim, Timken, Asst. Baseball, scale 06, .11 index
 Newman, Robert, Instrumental Music, scale 11, .045 index
 Paulis, Deborah, Vocal Music, scale 11, .04 index, e. December 5, 2007
 Samoila, Fran, Vocal Music, scale 11, .045 index
 Stewart, Tim, Instrumental Music, scale 11, .045 index
 Ulrich, Susan, Vocal Music, scale 11, .045 index
 Zook, Shawna, Vocal Music, scale 11, .04 index

ADJUSTMENTS:

Regular Certified Staff:

Corey, Jeff, resignation, From: effective March 4, 2008; To: effective April 7, 2008

Rescind Extra-Duty Supplemental Assignment Changes

Peters, Chuck, Timken, Asst. Baseball, scale 06, .11 index

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approved the following Grandparent Tuition Waiver for the 2007-2008 school year.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Parent's School (from)</u>	<u>Grandparent's School (to)</u>
Mitchell, Jasmynn	11	CCS	Perry Local
Hambrick, Es'ence	12	CCS	Perry Local

At this time the Superintendent offered congratulations to Carisa Jones for her appointment as Supervisor of Purchasing.

Mrs. McIlwain and Mr. Milligan commented on Stephanie Patrick's years of service to the district and her retirement.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, McIlwain, Keaton and Carman
 Motion carried.

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08-063 Upon the recommendation of Michele Evans-Gardell, Superintendent, Mrs. Keaton moved, seconded by Mr. Carman, that the Board of Education award an honorary McKinley High School diploma to Warren D. Wise. The Office of Veteran Affairs form and his discharge record are on file in the Department of Pupil Services.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, Mcllwain, Keaton and Carman
Motion carried.

08-064 Upon the recommendation of Michele Evans-Gardell, Superintendent, Mrs. Mcllwain moved, seconded by Mrs. Keaton, that the Board of Education approve the overnight/out-of-state student trip for five Canton Arts Academy students to Columbus, OH on April 20 & April 21, 2008 for the Forging New Links Conference.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, Mcllwain, Keaton and Carman
Motion carried.

08-065 Upon the recommendation of Tad Ellsworth, Business Manager, Mrs. Mcllwain moved, seconded by Mrs. Keaton, that the Board of Education approve the following changes in the employment of the support staff:

RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS:

Jones, Carisa, System Support Tech III, resignation, e. April 11, 2008

APPOINTMENTS:

Substitute Bus Driver and Substitute Bus Assistant, as needed, e. April 1, 2008
Brooks, Gidget

Truancy Mediation, \$10.00 per hour, e. 2007-2008
Dolan, Hedy

Educational Related Substitute, as needed, e. 2007-2008 school year
Doud, Adam, e. March 31, 2008
Johnson, Brenda, e. April 3, 2008
Kirkpatrick, Tim, e. April 3, 2008
Oliver, Vanita, e. April 2, 2008

Family Support Specialist for the Governor's Initiative for Increasing the Graduation Rate, \$12.75 per hour, as needed,
Boyd, Kemp, e. April 14, 2008 through June 30, 2008
Hubbard, Steve, e. March 1, 2008 through June 30, 2008
Lodge, Shauntel, e. April 14, 2008 through June 30, 2008
Mihelik, Terry, e. April 14, 2008 through June 30, 2008

High School/Middle School Summer School Programming Design Team, \$12.75 per hour, e. 2007-2008 school year
Boyd, Kemp

eTech Professional Development Workshops, \$10.00 per hour, eTech Preparation for Professional Development, \$14.00 per hour and eTech Presenters for Professional Development (paid by eTech Grant Fund) e. October 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008
Balaski, Beth

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Jones, Toriano
Leggett, Susan

ADJUSTMENTS:

Bowman, Cathy, Bus Driver, From 7.25 hours per day; To: 8 hours per day, e. April 4, 2008

Kirkbride, Karla, Bus Driver, From: 5.5 hours per day; To: 6 hours per day, e. April 4, 2008

Be It Resolved that this Board of Education does confirm the termination of employee Patricia Werner, effective April 2, 2008.

Be It Resolved that this Board of Education does approve the Memorandum of Understanding for Alternative Schools between OAPSE Local 609 and Canton City School District, as shown in Exhibit B-I.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, McIlwain, Keaton and Carman
Motion carried.

At this time Jennifer Keaton reported to the Board on three bills the State of Ohio House of Education Committee is considering:

- Student Nutrition and Wellness
- AYP Growth Model
- Suicide Prevention

Mrs. Keaton also noted that there is a Voucher Bill being introduced for special education students.

At this time Mrs. McIlwain asked about scheduling a date for a Board of Education Retreat. Dates in May are still being discussed.

08-066 There being no further business to come before the Board, Mr. Carman moved, seconded by Mrs. McIlwain, that the meeting be adjourned.

Roll call: Ayes: Milligan, McIlwain, Keaton, and Carman
Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 6:42 p.m.