

REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
SOUTHEAST FOUNTAIN SCHOOL CORPORATION  
BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

November 12, 2020

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Mr. Jeff Fishero, President

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Mrs. Crystal Brewer, Vice President

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Mr. Scott Minick, Secretary

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Mrs. Kim Sowers, Member

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Mrs. Donna Deel, Member

SOUTHEAST FOUNTAIN SCHOOL CORPORATION

Minutes of the Regular Meeting  
of the Board of Education on  
November 12, 2020  
744 East U.S. Highway 136  
Veedersburg, Indiana 47987

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order by Board President,  
Mr. Jeff Fishero, at 6:30 p.m.

ROLL:	Mr. Jeff Fishero, President	Present
	Mrs. Crystal Brewer, Vice President	Virtual
	Mr. Scott Minick, Secretary	Present
	Mrs. Kim Sowers, Member	Virtual
	Mrs. Donna Deel, Member	Present
	Mrs. Dawn Puckett, Acting Superintendent	Present

OFFICIAL:	Mrs. Kelli Morgan, Principal	Absent
	Mr. Josh Davenport, Assistant Principal	Present
	Mrs. Ashley Hammond, Principal	Present
	Mr. Chris Webb, Assistant Principal	Present
	Mr. Jason Good, Director of Student Activities	Absent

NEWS MEDIA:	Commercial News	Absent
	Journal Review	Absent
	Fountain County Neighbor, Adam Gilbert	Absent
	Review Republican	Absent

GUESTS:

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD – November 12, 2020 – 6:30 P.M.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

2020-21--053

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

A motion was made that the agenda of the November 12, 2020 regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees be approved as presented.

Motion by	Mr. Scott Minick
Seconded by	Mrs. Crystal Brewer
Vote	5-0

2020-21--054

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A motion was made that the minutes of the October 8, 2020 regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees be approved as presented.

Motion by	Mrs. Donna Deel
Seconded by	Mrs. Kim Sowers
Vote	5-0

A motion was made that the minutes of the October 22, 2020 special meeting of the Board of School Trustees be approved as presented.

2020-21--055

Motion by	Mrs. Kim Sowers
Seconded by	Mr. Scott Minick
Vote	5-0

2020-21--056

**STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

None

**ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS**

**A. Claims**

A motion was made that claims numbered 2140 to 2244 be approved as presented.

Motion by                Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Seconded by            Mrs. Kim Sowers  
Vote                        5-0

**B. Personnel**

1.     A motion was made that the resignation from Brandy Walls be approved as presented.

Motion by                Mrs. Donna Deel  
Seconded by            Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Vote                        5-0

2.     A motion was made that Laura Dunca be employed as a temporary teacher for the maternity leave position in business education beginning December 4, 2020 and ending on or around April 5, 2021.

Motion by                Mrs. Donna Deel  
Seconded by            Mr. Scott Minick  
Vote                        5-0

3.     A motion was made that Casey Hoagland be employed as the library assistant at Fountain Central Jr./Sr. High School for the 2020-21 school year.

Motion by                Mrs. Kim Sowers  
Seconded by            Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Vote                        5-0

4.     A motion was made that the resignation from Stevi Cornelious be approved as presented.

Motion by                Mr. Scott Minick  
Seconded by            Mrs. Donna Deel  
Vote                        5-0

5. A motion was made that the employment of the Extra Curricular Duty Assignments for the 2020-21 school year be approved as presented.

Motioned by Mr. Scott Minick  
Seconded by Mrs. Donna Deel  
Vote 5-0

**C. 2020-2021 Teacher Bargaining Agreement**

A motion was made that the Tentative Teacher Bargaining Agreement be adopted as presented.

Motion by Mrs. Kim Sowers  
Seconded by Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Vote 5-0

**D. Future School Bus Purchase**

A motion was made that the quote from Kerlin Bus Sales in the amount of \$92,990.00 each (including cameras) less trade in allowance for two 66 passenger school buses to be purchased in the calendar year 2021 be adopted as presented.

Motion by Mr. Scott Minick  
Seconded by Mrs. Donna Deel  
Vote 5-0

**E. Gasoline and Fuel Products**

A motion was made that the Superintendent be granted permission to advertise for gasoline and fuel products for the 2021 calendar year.

Motion by Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Seconded by Mr. Scott Minick  
Vote 5-0

**F. Sexual Harrassment Policy**

First reading of the revised policy #412

**G. Equipment of No Value**

A motion was made by and approved that Chromebook protective cases from the technology department be declared of no value.

Motion by Mrs. Donna Deel  
Seconded by Mrs. Kim Sowers  
Vote 5-0

**H. Resolution for Extended FFCRA Pay During Declared Emergency**

A motion was made and approved for the Resolution for Extended FFCRA Pay During a Declared Emergency.

Motion by Mr. Scott Minick  
Seconded by Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Vote 5-0

**I. Extra Curricular**

A motion was made and approved for the 2020-2021 Extra Curricular assignments.

Motion by Mrs. Kim Sowers  
Seconded by Mrs. Crystal Brewer  
Vote 5-0

**Other Business**

None

2020-21--058

## **REPORTS**

Mr. Josh Davenport reported for the elementary school starting with our fall parties looking a little different this year. The kids were still able to do a socially distanced costume parade and enjoyed seeing themselves and their peers on video. The students also enjoyed a haunted house headed by Mrs. Duncan and the high ability RTI group. Mr. Davenport also wanted to extend a thank you to parents and staff for their understanding during this difficult time.

Mrs. Ashley Hammond reported for the high school beginning with a congratulations to the spell bowl team, coached by Brandy Walls, for their 4th place finish in the state. The spell bowl consisted of Samantha Krout, CJ Yager, Carson Eberly, Cole Kirkpatrick, Colin Severs, and Willow Walsh. Mrs. Hammond wished to thank Mrs. Walls for all of her time at Southeast Fountain as she will be missed and extended a welcome back to Casey Hoagland in her new position as high school library assistant.

Mrs. Hammond reported that the new Hudl live stream system has been installed in the middle of the basketball court and is up and running. Accessories have been ordered to allow this same live streaming at other sporting activities.

Mrs. Hammond relayed that a survey went out to virtual students to chart who may be returning in January with 8 out of 10 reporting they would rejoin the classroom.

2020-21--059

## **STATEMENTS FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT**

Mrs. Dawn Puckett reported that the restrooms in the high school are near completion and look really good. In addition, 70% of the new classroom clocks have been installed.

Mrs. Puckett wished to thank the administration that in these most difficult and trying times they “never fail to do what is best for kids”.

2020-21--060

## **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Mr. Fishero, board president, reported that the remainder of the interviews will be conducted on Saturday with the final three superintendent candidates. There will also be a walking tour of the facilities.

2020-21--061

## **STATEMENTS/CONCERNS OF THE BOARD**

Mr. Scott Minick wished to thank Brandy Walls for her time at FC and the administration for all that they are doing.

Mr. Jeff Fishero wanted to mention the loss of Mr. Ron Howard who taught and mentored numerous students in the Southeast Fountain School Corporation. Mr. Howard will be missed.

2020-21--062

**DOCUMENT SIGNING**

Claims and minutes were signed.

2020-21--063

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 6:57 p.m. a motion was made to adjourn.

Motion by	Mr. Scott Minick
Seconded by	Mrs. Donna Deel
Vote	5-0