

Kendall County Special Education Cooperative

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MINUTES

KENDALL COUNTY GOVERNING BOARD

February 13, 2013

KCSEC Administration Center

Present:

Amy Smith, Superintendent (18)
Diane Cepela, Superintendent (66)
Hector Garcia, Superintendent (88)
Mike Rustman, Superintendent (90)

Lynda Shanks, KCSEC Director Denise McCarthy, KCSEC Asst. Director Paul Nordstrom, ROE Superintendent

John Sparlin, Ex. Dir. for Admin. (308)

Christine Nelson, Dir. of Student Services (308)

1. Roll Call

Meeting was called to order by Rustman at 9:00 a.m. Roll call showed that a quorum was present.

Motion by Garcia (88), seconded by Cepela (66), to appoint Mike Rustman as Chairman for today's meeting. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

- 2. Recognition of Cooperative Citizens & Public Comment
- 3. Consent Agenda
 - a. Minutes ~ Move to approve the minutes for January 9, 2013
 - b. Bills ~ Move to approve the bills for January 2013
 - c. Financial Report \sim Move to approve the financial report for January 2013
 - d. Destruction of Executive Session Recordings \sim Move to destroy the August 10, 2011 recording.

Motion by Sparlin (308), seconded by Garcia (88), to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

4. Personnel

Contracts – Certified:

Kerrie Shambo, Occupational Therapist, 87 days, \$27,840 Kaitlin Sisson, Speech Therapist, 72 days, \$15,139 Megan Shaughnessy, Music Therapist, 87 days, \$17,400

Resignations - Non-Certified:

Heather Groetzenbach, Paraprofessional, effective January 11, 2013 Brian Hudson, Paraprofessional, effective January 28, 2013



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Employment Offer - Non-Certified:

Rebecca Conner, Paraprofessional, 78.5 days, \$4,498 Matthew Johnson, Paraprofessional, 78.5 days, \$7,948 Alicia Leprich, Paraprofessional, 92.5 days, \$9,365 Haley Moroni, Paraprofessional, 88 days, \$8,910 Virginia Owens, Paraprofessional, 95.5 days, \$4,512 Patricia Schaum, Paraprofessional, 82 days, \$6,408 Kelly Tackitt, Paraprofessional, 92.5 days, \$6,868 Jillian Trimarco, Paraprofessional, 92.5 days, \$7,228

Motion by Cepela (66), seconded by Sparlin (308), to approve the contracts, resignations and employment offers as presented. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

Leave of Absence:

Amy Mings, Teacher, February 11, 2013 through remainder of 12/13 school year.

Motion by Garcia (88), seconded by Smith (18), to approve the leave of absence as presented. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

5. Extended School Year Budget FY14

Lynda Shanks presented the proposed Extended School Year budget for FY 14. At this time KCSEC is proposing three sites and are awaiting confirmation from the districts for use during programming. Programming is consistent with what was offered last summer and will take place 4 days a week from June 10 – July 18.

Motion by Smith (18), seconded by Cepela (66), to approve the Extended School Year Budget for FY14 as presented. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

6. Salary Committee for 2013/14

Lynda Shanks would like to establish a salary committee that will work on salary proposals for the FY 14 budget. Diane Cepela and Hector Garcia volunteered to serve on the salary committee.

7. Nurses Meeting

A Certified School Nurses (CSN) meeting was held on January 31, 2013 at the KCSEC office. All districts that have CSN's on staff were represented. Lynda Shanks gave the board a summary of this meeting and next steps action plan.

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8. Old Business

KCSEC workshop at Whitetail Ridge on February 20.

Community Services Fair will be adding the Autism Expo this year. The fair will be on March 9 from 9:00 am to noon.

Amy Lee is working with Wabaunsee Community College and may have rooms available in the fall at the Plano Campus for High School Transition Students at a cost of \$6,000 per year. Dr. Garcia and Lynda have discussed using Plano High School for this purpose as well.

9. New Business

KCSEC has received two family donations

One from the Robinson Family for a total of \$300 towards the Life Skills Program at Fox Chase

One from the Mollett Family for a total of \$300 towards special education services at Southbury

Kendall County Special Olympics Golf Program received new program of the year award from the Kids Golf Foundation. Justin Olson and Matt Clason wrote a grant asking for funds to be utilized for a golf program.

Jeremy Kuehn – went to the World Games in Korea. He has been invited to come and share his experiences with the board next month

ISBE information items were discussed

Pro-rations Transportation

U.S. Department of Education on Extra-curricular & Special Ed.

10. Adjournment

Motion by Sparlin (308), seconded by Garcia (88), to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

| Chairman | Secretary |
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