

# A G E N D A

Regular Board Meeting  
Monday, March 16, 2009  
6:15 p.m.

1. **CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

2. **REMARKS BY BOARD MEMBERS**

Information only, requires no board action

3. **SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE**

Information only, requires no board action

4. **CONSENT AGENDA (Action)**

All matters listed under Item 4, Consent Agenda, are considered to be routine by the Board of Education and will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion of the items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be listed as the first item under the appropriate section of the Regular Agenda.

a. **Minutes**

Regular Board Meeting of February 9, 2009 (No. 1 thru 5)  
Closed Session Meeting of February 9, 2009 (No.6)  
Special Session Meeting of March 2, 2009 (No. 7 & 8)  
Closed Session Meeting of March 2, 2009 (No.9)  
Special Teleconference Meeting of March 5, 2009 (No.10)

b. **Approval of Bills**

February 2009 Check Register (No. 11 thru 17)  
Assigned Payroll Warrants P33 through P36

4. **CONSENT AGENDA** (continued)

c. **Bid**

Enclosed are bid tabulations on the following item:

- a. Copy Paper - District (No. 18 & 19)

d. **Personnel**

1. We have received retirement resignations from the following certified employees effective at the end of the 2008-09 school year:

- a. Melinda Hodge – Delta Woods Middle School
- b. Yvonne Marcum – John Nowlin Elementary
- c. Christine McMullen – Delta Woods Middle School
- d. Jo Ann Moss – Voy Spears Elementary
- e. Lawrence Randall – Blue Springs High School
- f. Ron Settle – Blue Springs High School

2. We have received retirement resignation from the following certified employee effective at the end of the 2009-10 school year:

- a. Victoria Stanton – School of Economics

3. We have received resignations from the following certified employees effective at the end of the 2008-09 school year:

- a. Tamara Atwell – Cordill Mason Elementary
- b. Walter Brown – Hall-McCarter Education Center
- c. Russell Green – Blue Springs South High School
- d. Tyrone Kohl – Blue Springs South High School
- e. Paula Lee – Franklin Smith Elementary School
- f. Melissa Lewis-Jones – James Lewis Elementary
- g. Gary Owens – Blue Springs South High School
- h. Robert Russ – Sunny Pointe Elementary
- i. John Thompson – Blue Springs South High School

4. We have received resignation from the following certified employee effective prior to the end of the 2008-09 school year:

- a. Rebecca Borchardt – Liggett Trail Education Center

4. **CONSENT AGENDA** (continued)

d. **Personnel** (continued)

5. We have received resignations from the following certified employees who have been on a Leave of Absence during the 2008-09 school year:
  - a. Emily Armstrong
  - b. April Atkinson
  - c. Tracy Caton
  - d. Bergen Daniel
  - e. Jami Hilbrich
  - f. Anne Long
  - g. Lyda McMurray
  - h. Geralyn Sobba
6. We have received requests for maternity leave of absence from the following certified personnel:
  - a. Rebecca Andes
  - b. Jill Diehl
  - c. Jennifer McClanahan
  - d. Megan Walton
7. It is recommended the probationary and tenure teachers listed on the enclosed sheets be reemployed for the 2009-10 school year. (No. 20 thru 65)
8. It is recommended the following certified personnel be employed for the 2009-10 year:
  - a. Jillian Doddema – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, Science, Delta Woods Middle School
  - b. Katherine Henry – Master Degree University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, Building and Assignment To Be Determined
  - c. Jenna Hughes – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, William Yates Elementary

4. **CONSENT AGENDA** (continued)d. **Personnel** (continued)

- d. Ashli Knox – Master Degree University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, Building and Assignment To Be Determined
- e. Emily Love – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, Science, Moreland Ridge Middle School
- f. Randi McKeever – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Franklin Smith Elementary
- g. Toni Schindler – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, William Bryant Elementary
- h. Brittany Weaver – Master Degree, University of Missouri-Columbia, one year experience E Level, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, William Yates Elementary

e. **Action of Student Expulsion**

Based on the acquisition of a parental waiver of hearing, action is required to confirm the expulsion of Student Case Number 072892 as per Missouri Statutes, with specifics of that expulsion to be included in the official board minutes of a closed attachment as permitted by the Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act and §610.021(6).

f. **MOSIP Annual Meeting Proxy**

Official action is needed to adopt a resolution designating Kim Brightwell as the district's registered delegate to the Missouri Securities Investment Program Annual Meeting, in April 2009, thereby authorizing her to vote on the district's behalf in the election of directors and any other matters that come before the meeting.

5. **ADOPTION OF REGULAR AGENDA** (Action)

**6. GUESTS** (Information)A. **Employee of the Month** – Leslie Evans

The March "Employee of the Month" will be announced and the individual will be present at the meeting. The March category is Classified Personnel.

**7. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT** (Information)A. **Program Highlight** - Jim Finley

The March Program Highlight will feature the World Cultures Club at Moreland Ridge Middle School. Staff members, Rod Day and Matt Neuweg, along with students Elizabeth Day and Brittany Zellers will make the presentation.

**8. REQUEST OF DISTRICT CITIZENS FOR PRESENTATION**

**(Form Referred To In Paragraph Below Must Be Completed Prior To The Beginning Of The Meeting)**

Citizens of the district who wish to present a matter of business regarding the schools should complete the required form stating their name, address and topic of discussion and present it to the president of the board of education or the superintendent of schools. Issues of personnel including, but not limited to, employment, supervision, evaluation, career ladder and termination of staff, are not appropriate and shall not be presented during the district citizen presentation. Patrons shall state their name and address at the time of presentation, to be included in the board minutes, and may proceed to speak upon the invitation of the president of the board. The president shall allow a citizen of the district not more than five (5) minutes for his or her presentation unless the time is increased or decreased by the majority of the board. Only four citizens may address the board regarding the same subject. No response will be given from the board at that time.

**9. ADMINISTRATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY** (Information)A. **Legislative Update** – Jim FinleyB. **Construction Update** – Bill Cowling

10. **NEW BUSINESS** (Action)

A. **Bids** – Bill Cowling

Bid tabulations on the following items will be presented at the meeting for approval:

1. Voy Spears Elementary Building Package
2. Blue Springs High School Building Package

B. **Medical/Vision/Dental Insurance Recommendation** – Paul Kinder

A recommendation will be made at the meeting for approval of district medical/vision/dental insurance rates.

C. **Student Trip Requests** – Jim Finley

We have received requests for the following student trips:

Blue Springs High School and Blue Springs South High School DECA – State Career Development Conference – Four Seasons, Lake Ozark, MO - March 22-24, 2009

Blue Springs High School and Blue Springs South High School DECA – International Career Development Conference – Anaheim, CA – April 28 –May 3, 2009

Blue Springs South High School Percussion and Guard - Mid Continental Color Guard Association Championships – Willard High School and Ozark High School – March 27-28, 2009

Blue Springs High School Wildcat Jazz Ensemble – Performances on the Branson Belle Riverboat, at the Liverpool Legends Show, and on the new Branson Landing for the Mother’s Day noon concert – Branson, MO – May 8-10, 2009

D. **Administrative Retirement Announcement** – Paul Kinder