

WESTLAKE CITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES

Monday, September 27, 2021 – 6:00 P.M. Board Meeting Hilliard Administrative Building, 24365 Hilliard Blvd., Westlake, OH 44145

1. Opening

- A. Call to Order: 6:00 P.M.
- B. Roll Call

Dr. Stoll	Present
Mr. Kraft	Present
Mr. Finucane	Present
Mrs. Leszynski	Present
Mrs. Pirnat	Present

- C. Pledge of Allegiance
- D. Acknowledgement of Visitors
- E. Approval of Agenda

Motion to Approve Agenda

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mrs. Leszynski

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

2. Presentations

A. Superintendent Presentation

3. Hearing of the Public

A. Hearing of Public (15 Minutes) Agenda Items

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4. Approval of Minutes

A. Approval of Minutes

Motion to Approve the Following Minutes:

Work Session of July 12, 2021 Regular Meeting of July 19, 2021 Special Meeting of August 9, 2021 Special Meeting of August 16, 2021 Regular Meeting of August 23, 2021

Voice Vote: 5-0

5. Informative Reports & Recognitions

- A. EOPO Award Recognition
- B. Superintendent's Report
- C. Treasurer's Report

6. Treasurer's Recommendations

Resolution 21-213

A. Resolution to Adopt the FY22 Permanent Appropriations

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education adopts the FY22 permanent appropriations as submitted by the Treasurer.

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucane

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Resolution 21-214

B. Resolution to Approve Student Fees for the 2021-22 School Year

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following school fees for the 2021-2022 school year:

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

C. Resolution to Approve Pay to Participate Fees for the 2021-22 School Year

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approved the following pay to participate fees, as attached, for the 2021-2022 school year:

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

D. Resolution to Authorize CFO/Treasurer to Return Advance

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education Authorizes the CFO/Treasurer to return the following advances:

From	To	Amount
Project Link (011-9111)	General Fund (001)	\$10,990.90
Food Service (006-9600)	General Fund (001)	\$23,321.37
ESSER Funds (507-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$4,897.16
ESSER Round 2 Funds (507-9121)	General Fund (001)	\$824,569.25
IDEA Part-B (516-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$168,174.93
IDEA Part-B Restoration (516-9121)	General Fund (001)	\$8,500.00
L.E.P. (551-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$1,687.90
Title III (551-9121)	General Fund (001)	\$460.80
Title I (572-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$43,692.80
Title I - Expanding Opportunities (572-9121)	General Fund (001)	\$7,777.20
Early Childhood Pre-K (587-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$3,300.94
Improving Teacher Quality (590-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$9,881.47
Title IV Student Support (599-9021)	General Fund (001)	\$2,918.78

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

E. Resolution to Issue Then and Now Certificates

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education authorizes Then and Now Certificates for the following purchase orders:

114130	City of Westlake	Resource Officers FY22	\$3,724.50
1476	Cleveland Clinic Center for Autism	IDEA Excess Cost for Student	\$8,256.87
1472	ESC of Cuyahoga County	IDEA Excess Cost for Student Tuition	\$7,490.00
1473	ESC of Cuyahoga County	IDEA Excess Cost for Student Tuition	\$10,512.00
1477	Insight Behavioral Consulting	IDEA Tuition	\$35,000.00
1474	KidsLink School	IDEA Tuition	\$6,875.00
114001	KidsLink School	General Tuition for Special Education Students	\$27,966.67
113821 & 114039	Mad Science of Northeast Ohio	Project Link Summer Enrichment	\$6,250.00
1475	Monarch School	IDEA Excess Cost for Student Tuition	\$21,075.00
17026	NWEA	MAP Growth K-12	\$3,887.00
114093	T3 Performance LLC	Strength and Conditioning Coaching at WHS- August & September	\$5,833.34

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

6. Superintendent's Recommendations

Resolution 21-218

A. Resolution to Accept Gifts and Donations

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education accepts with gratitude the following gifts and donations and in so doing hereby acknowledges the positive and supportive activities of those listed:

Bill & Laurie Bowles 2380 West Hedgewood Drive Westlake, OH 44145	Donated 4 boxes of copy paper to the staff at Westlake High School.
Rich Croll 27911 Berringer Run Westlake, OH 44145	Donated a refrigerator to the Special Education Department at Westlake High School.
Matthew & Kristin Dailey 11215 River Road Chardon, OH 44024	Donated \$250.00 to the Frank Sarna Memorial Scholarship Fund at Westlake High School.
Danbury Senior Living 333770 Bagley Road North Ridgeville, Ohio 44039	Donated a recliner to the Special Education Department at Westlake High School.
Dean's Greenhouse 3984 Porter Road Westlake, OH 44145	Donated potted flowers, trays of flowers and greenery to Westlake Elementary School.
Mr. & Mrs. Lou Maglio 836 Carriage Oval Park Westlake, OH 44145	Donated a rocking chair to the Special Education Department at Westlake High School.
Judith Rotkis c/o State Street Global Advisors Fund P. O. Box 701 Milwaukee, WI 53201-0701	Donated \$400.00 to the Frank Sarna Memorial Scholarship Fund at Westlake High School
Mark Sarna 5182 Winchell Road Mantua, OH 44255	Donated \$500.00 to the Frank Sarna Memorial Scholarship Fund at Westlake High School.
Westlake Athletic Boosters PO Box 45236 Westlake, OH 44145	Donated \$11,000.00 to the Athletic Department at Westlake High School.

Moved by Mr. Finucane Seconded by Mr. Kraft

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-219

B. Resolution to Approve Employment of Classified Staff Members

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves employment of the following classified staff members:

<u>Name</u>	Position	Building	<u>Step</u>	Hours	Days	Months	Effective
Mary Kay Auger	Kitchen Helper	Westlake Elementary School	4	4	5	9	09/27/2021
Jackeline Colan	Dishwasher	Westlake High School	0	3.75	5	9	09/27/2021
Christine DelPriore	Teacher Assistant	Dover Intermediate School	5	1.75	5	9	08/24/2021
Amanda Dobbins	Special Education Assistant	Westlake Elementary School	3	7	5	9	09/07/2021
Jennifer Ellingsworth	Cashier	Westlake High School	4	3.75	5	9	09/14/2021
Erjona Fejzullari	Preschool Attendant	Westlake Elementary School	3	7	5	9	08/31/2021
Scott Griggs	Bus Driver	Transportation	1	5	5	9	08/30/2021
Zeena Hassan Sarraf	Special Education Assistant	Lee Burneson Middle School	0	7	5	9	09/07/2021
Noreen Hone	Cashier	Westlake High School	2	5	5	9	08/23/2021
Michelle Johnson	Supervision Assistant	Westlake Elementary School	0	2.5	5	9	09/07/2021
Cathy Knipp	Dishwasher	Lee Burneson Middle School	10	3.5	5	9	08/30/2021
Alexei Krystynak	Supervision Assistant	Westlake Elementary School	3	2.5	5	9	08/23/2021
Judith Logue	Kitchen Helper	Westlake High School	0	3.75	5	9	09/13/2021

Ann Matics	Cleaner	Dover Intermediate and Lee Burneson Middle Schools	1	8	5	9	08/23/2021
Muna Saleh	Supervision Assistant	Westlake Elementary School	0	2.5	5	9	09/23/2021
Alison Smith	Supervision Assistant	Westlake Elementary School	0	2.5	5	9	08/30/2021
Ashley White	Kitchen Helper	Lee Burneson Middle School	4	3.5	5	9	09/27/2021

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

C. Resolution to Approve Mentors and Facilitators for Resident Educators

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following Mentors and Facilitators for Resident Educators for the 2021-2022 school year:

<u>Name</u>	Position	<u>Mentee</u>	<u>Building</u>	RE Year
Hannah Ahrens	Facilitator	Nicole Dulzer	Westlake Elementary School	4
Hannah Ahrens	Facilitator	Michaella Nahra	Westlake Elementary School	4
Kathleen Basen	Facilitator	Kaitlin Soltis	Westlake Elementary School	4
Erin Blahnik	Facilitator	Shaley Stearns	Westlake Elementary School	4
Dawn Dawson	Mentor	Peyton Frankovich	Dover Intermediate and Lee Burneson Middle Schools	1
Kate Gallo	Facilitator	Nora Dick	Westlake Elementary School	4
Kate Gallo	Facilitator	Brianna Schnur	Westlake Elementary School	3
Caitlin Jewell	Mentor	Katelyn Martin	Westlake Elementary School	2
Brooke Kindell	Facilitator	Sarah Berkheimer	Westlake Elementary School	4
Brooke Kindell	Mentor	Erika Nunnari	Westlake Elementary School	1
Rebecca Kowalski	Facilitator	Katelyn Gill	Westlake Elementary School	3
Christina Meecha	Facilitator	Kate Mihalik	Westlake Elementary School	4
Christina Meecha	Facilitator	Alicia Shepard	Westlake Elementary School	4
Hilary Patriok	Facilitator	Joseph Fudale	Lee Burneson Middle and Westlake High Schools	4
Jeff Short	Mentor	Samantha Lahoud	Dover Intermediate School	1

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

D. Resolution to Approve Home Instructors

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following Home Instructors:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	Hourly Rate	Not to Exceed	Effective Date
James Bingham	Home Instructor	\$26.92	15 hours	09/03/2021
Ellen Murphy	Home Instructor	\$26.92	160 hours	08/30/2021
Keith Ohnhaus	Home Instructor	\$26.92	60 hours	09/08/2021
Amy Spieth	Home Instructor	\$26.92	150 hours	09/24/2021

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

E. Resolution to Approve Athletic Supplemental Contracts

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following Athletic Supplemental Contracts for the 2021-2022 school year:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	Step	In District
Evan Bongers	LBMS Assistant 7th Grade Football Coach (1/3 contract)	0	N
Michael Brediger	WHS Assistant Boys Soccer Coach	0	N
John Eibon	WHS Assistant Football Coach	20	N
Kevin Fell	WHS Assistant Football Coach	20	N
Nicole Giangrasso	WHS Freshman Football Cheerleading Coach	0	N
Erika Nunnari	WHS Assistant Football Cheerleading Coach	0	Y
Katherine Sloane	WHS Assistant Girls Soccer Coach	0	N
Victor Trzeciak	WHS Volunteer Girls/Boys Tennis Coach	n/a	N

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

F. Resolution to Approve Athletic Event Workers

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following athletic event game workers for the 2021-22 school year:

Nicole Elliott
Bernadette Sovacool
Linda Worthington
Laurie Skvarek
Connor Hartup
Evelyn Urbin
Rich Skvarek

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

G. Resolution to Approve Administrative Substitutes

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following Administrative Substitutes for the 2021-2022 school year:

<u>Name</u>	Daily Rate
Patricia Hamilton	\$500
Linda Simon	\$500

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucane

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-225

H. Resolution to Approve Classified Substitutes

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following classified substitutes for the 2021-2022 school year:

<u>Name</u>
Jasmine Ali
Jennifer Dechant
Kimberly Lynch

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

I. Resolution to Approve Employment of Project Link

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves employment of the following Project Link personnel effective 8/23/2021:

<u>Name</u>	Position	<u>Step</u>
Amy Karliak	Project Link Instructor	1
Eman Ghabour Hanna	Project Link Instructor	5
Alex Krystnak	Project Link Instructor	0

<u>Name</u>	Not to Exceed	<u>Rate</u>
Bernadette Sovacool	75 Hours	16.74 per Hour

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucane

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-227

J. Resolution to Approve Volunteers

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following BCI/FBI background checked volunteer to be Advisor of LBMS Math Club:

Jason Aring

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

K. Resolution to Administrative Handbook Exception

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves an Administrative Handbook Exception for Fiscal Year 2022 as follows:

<u>For</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Purpose</u>
Amanda Musselman	3 Credit Hours	6 Credit Hours	Tuition Reimbursement

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucan	Moved by N	<u>Ir. Kraft</u>	Seconded	by	Mr.	Finucane
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Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-229

L. Resolution to Approve Amendment to Bellefaire Memorandum of Understanding

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the Fourth Amendment to the 12/21/2018 MOU with Bellefaire Jewish Children's Bureau

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

M. Resolution to Approve Contracted Services for In-Service ELA Workshop

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the following in-service training expense to be paid from Title II A fund for grades K-6:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	Not to Exceed
Creative Literacy Consulting, Inc Lori Wilfong	September 8, 2021 through September 17, 2021	\$5,500.00

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucane

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-231

N. Resolution to Approve Ohio Schools Council Food Service Agreement

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the Food Service Consultant Agreement with the OSC for the 2021-22 school year.

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

O. Resolution to Amend Resolution 21-206

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education amends Resolution 21-206 to revise the step of Bianca Beekman, WHS Head Football Cheerleading Coach, from step 4 to step 3.

Moved by Mr. Kraft Seconded by Mr. Finucane

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

Resolution 21-233

P. Resolution to Approve Continuity of Education Plan

RESOLVED that the Westlake Board of Education approves the proposed Continuity of Education Plan.

Moved by Mr. Finucane Seconded by Mr. Kraft

Mr. Finucane	AYE
Mr. Kraft	AYE
Mrs. Leszynski	AYE
Mrs. Pirnat	AYE
Dr. Stoll	AYE

8. Hearing of the Public

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9. Board Items 10. Board Comments 11. Closing A. Adjournment Seconded by Mr. Finucane Moved by Mr. Kraft Mr. Finucane **AYE** Mr. Kraft AYE Mrs. Leszynski **AYE** Mrs. Pirnat AYE Dr. Stoll AYE Meeting Adjourned at 7:13 P.M. President

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Treasurer