



Board News

November 6, 2017

Approved/Accepted/Adopted:

- Minutes from October 16, 2017 Board of Education meeting were approved.
- Resignations, reclassifications, appointments and leaves of absence were approved.
- Student activity budget was approved as presented by the treasurer.
- Rich & Gillis Law Group was approved for property appraisal and appeals as presented by the treasurer.
- FABSS administrative fee was approved as presented by the treasurer.
- 2018 Board of Education meeting dates and locations were approved.
- All gifts were accepted.

Action Items:

- Board Resolution Supporting SB216 – The Board approved the resolution supporting SB216 as presented by the superintendent.

Celebrations:

- Mr. Payne celebrated the Leader In Me program at Northview. He stated there were less discipline referrals and bus discipline referrals so far this year. He also celebrated his staff for reaching out to families who were affected by the recent storm. He commented that it is in times like these that sets Findlay City Schools apart from the others. Our relationship with families and our community is what makes us great.
- Dr. Siebenaler Wilson celebrated the Millstream Engineering program and congratulated them on their recent win which will send them to Fargo, North Dakota for the National finals. She also celebrated the hockey team for receiving the Arts Partnership's STAR Volunteer Award.
- Mr. Kurt celebrated Mrs. Thorbahn and all the students on the Cardboard Challenge that took place at the mall. Over 140 Findlay City Schools' students participated at the mall. He stated it was wonderful to see so many families enjoy the challenge.

Reports:

- Reports to the Board:
 - ❖ There were no reports to the Board.
- Reports from the Board:
 - ❖ There were no reports from the Board.

Matters of Discussion:

- Several courses of study were presented to the Board by Mr. Steiner.

Board Comments:

- Mrs. Dysinger thanked everyone for erroring on the side of safety and quickly cleaning up the mess of the storm and getting students and staff back in the buildings.
- Dr. Siebenaler Wilson also thanked Mr. Kurt for his leadership during the storm and everyone's willingness to help our community. She also welcomed Mr. Leddy to the administrative team as the new assistant principal at the high school.

Also visit the [Opportunities](#) link to view the opportunities available in the community for you and your children.

For complete and official minutes of the meeting, contact Mike Barnhart, District Treasurer, or visit the district's website.

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Public Participation

Becky Biesiada addressed the Board on behalf of F.E.A.:

- FEA congratulated Mr. Kurt for his great leadership during the storm. She stated that they had received positive feedback on his leadership.
- Encouraged people to nominate teachers for the Teacher of Week in The Courier's Celebration section.

Correspondence:

- There was no correspondence.

Superintendent's Comments:

Mr. Kurt thanked Mr. McPheron and Mr. Doolittle and the facilities department for their leadership during the first few hours after the storm. Mr. Kurt stated that he is proud to be the superintendent of a district that truly cares and jumps into action immediately.

***Next Board Meeting:
December 11, 2017
5:30 p.m.
at
Washington***