

New Richmond Middle School

7:00 p.m.

December 16,

2002

The New Richmond Exempted Village Board of Education met in regular session on December 16, 2002, at 7:00 p.m. at New Richmond Middle School, 1135 Bethel-New Richmond Road, New Richmond, Ohio 45157, with the following members present:

Fred Heflin, President  
David Hawkins, Vice-President  
Ralph Shepherd  
Mark Adamson  
Paul Zimmerman

Also present were: Mr. Loren Wilson, Superintendent; and Teresa Napier, Chief Financial Officer.

Mr. Wilson, presented the following additions and changes to the agenda:

Add: 3. Presentations

Mrs. Joyce Richardson - Math Curriculum

Add: 12. Employment of Personnel

C. Homebound Instructor (\$18/hour, upon submission of timesheet)

2. Todd Wells

3. Kay Walker

D. Classified Substitute Employees (2002/2003 School Year)

Bruce King

E. Lay Coach

Joseph Middeler, NRHS Boys Swimming - Head Coach, Pay Level 10, effective September 23, 2002

Add: 13. Adoption of Curriculum

It is recommended that the Board of Education adopt the K-8 Math Curriculum as presented.

2003-116 Moved by Mr. Zimmerman, seconded by Mr. Shepherd, to approve the agenda as amended. Roll call: Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Shepherd yea; Mr. Zimmerman, yea. Motion carried.

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

Mrs. Richardson, Mr. Greenwell, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Vornholt, Mr. Menefee, and Mrs. Snouffer presented the proposed K-8 Math Curriculum

2003-117 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Adamson, to purchase a plaque in memory of Alva Thomson, founder of the tennis program in the district, to be placed on the High School premises. Roll call: Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea. Motion carried.

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**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Mrs. Mary Alexander addressed the Board regarding the problems for the children-at-risk getting a good education.

2003-118 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Zimmerman, to approve the minutes of the November 4, 2002 Special Meeting and the November 21, 2002 Regular Meeting. Roll call: Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea. Motion carried.

2003-119 Moved by Mr. Hawkins, seconded by Mr. Adamson, to approve the financial report for the month ending November 30, 2002:

- Receipts
- Cash Position
- Expenditures
- Investments

Roll call: Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Hawkins, yea. Motion carried.

2003-120 Moved by Mr. Adamson, seconded by Mr. Shepherd, to approve the following change order:

- Leo Brielmaier - GC - \$3,649.17
  - a. Providing fire separation required by Clermont County, added by county after acceptance of bids
  - b. Providing concrete locker bases, added per District's request.

Roll call: Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea. Motion carried.

The first reading of Policy sections I, J, K, and L.

2003-121 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Adamson, to approve the Resolution Supporting the Proclamation of a Right to a World Class Education for Every Child in Ohio:

We, the educational leaders of Ohio, elected and appointed such by the citizens of every community in the state, proclaim the need and the right of every child in Ohio to an education which prepares him/her to fully participate in the life of the nation and the world in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

We proclaim that each child has this inherent right, independent of the wealth of his/her parents, the affluence of the community in which he/she lived, and independent of his/her race, religion or social circumstance.

We proclaim that the Constitution of the State of Ohio recognized this right when it obligated the Legislature to create and sustain a system of common schools to provide an education to the children of Ohio which is both thorough and efficient.

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We proclaim that the children of Ohio are not now all receiving a thorough and efficient education which prepares every child to fully participate in the life of the nation and the world in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

We proclaim that there is no more important responsibility facing the Legislature of the State of Ohio than the education of all of Ohio's children. This responsibility affects every family, every community and every person in the state.

We proclaim that the economic, commercial, artistic, scientific, technological, social, and personal future of every Ohioan is intimately tied to the Legislature's response to its constitutional responsibility.

We proclaim that the present taxing and fiscal resource distribution structure in Ohio does not enable school districts to provide every child in Ohio with an education which prepares him/her to fully participate in the life of the nation and the world in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

We proclaim that the reliance on property tax as a primary source of revenue is inherently inequitable.

We proclaim that our voice is the voice of the children who are calling on the members of the Ohio General Assembly to provide a world class education for them without regard for political party, or special interests or any other consideration which would turn the members' attention from providing for their future.

We proclaim that legislators of vision, courage, compassion and commitment can form a taxing and fiscal resource distribution structure which will provide every child in Ohio with an education which prepares him/her to fully participate in the life of the nation and the world in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

We proclaim our loyalty and assistance in our communities to visionary, courageous, compassionate, and committed legislators who bring about the change needed for ur children. And therefore

We implore the members of the General Assembly to make the education of children of Ohio their first priority by revising the taxing structure and the fiscal resource distribution structure so that every child in Ohio will receive an education which prepares him/her to fully participate in the life of the nation and the world in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Roll call: Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Zimmerman, yea. Motion carried.

2003-122 Moved by Mr. Hawkins, seconded by Mr. Shepherd to adopt the K-8 Math Curriculum. Roll call: Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea; Mr. Hawkins, yea. Motion carried.

2003-123 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Hawkins, to enter into executive session for the purpose of consideration of the appointment, employment, dismissal, promotion, demotion or compensation of a public employee; preparing for, conducting or reviewing negotiations with

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employees regarding their compensation or other terms and conditions of their employment in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 121.11.

Mr. Heflin declared the [regular](#) meeting moved into executive session at 9:16 p.m.

Mr. Heflin declared the executive session adjourned and the [regular](#) meeting reconvened at 9:55 p.m.

2003-124 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Adamson, to employ the following, pending certification and submission of successful criminal background check and a negative TB test:

A. Classified Employee

Christina Forsee, Instructional Assistant, Locust Corner Elementary, one-year limited contract, 5.5 hours/day, 188 days prorated, effective January 2, 2003, Salary Step One - \$9.93 per hour

B. Certified Substitute Employees (2002/2003 School Year)

Robert Sandmann

C. Homebound Instructor (\$18 per hour, upon submission of timesheet)

1. Rhonda Shelton
2. Todd Wells
3. Kay Walker

D. Lay Coach

Joseph Middeler, New Richmond High School Boys Swimming - Head Coach, Pay Level 10, effective September 23, 2002

Roll call: Mr. Zimmerman, yea; Mr. Hawkins, yea; Mr. Heflin, yea; Mr. Adamson, yea; Mr. Shepherd, yea. Motion carried.

2003-125 Moved by Mr. Shepherd, seconded by Mr. Heflin, to adjourn the [regular](#) meeting. Roll call: all yeas.

Mr. Heflin declared the [regular](#) meeting adjourned at 9:57 p.m.

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Frederick R. Heflin, President

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Teresa S. Napier, Chief Financial