

**MEETING OF BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MT. VERNON
AUGUST 18, 2014**

RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENTS

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Hannah Schmidt, MVHS student, placed first in the CountryMark/Indiana Prairie Farmer magazine essay contest.

2015 BUDGETS - NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The Board approved the Notice to Taxpayers of Tax Levies for the 2015 budgets and the Notice to Taxpayers of School Bus Replacement Plan and granted permission to advertise as recommended for the following funds: General Fund, Debt Service Fund, Pension Bond Debt Service Fund, Capital Projects Fund, Transportation Fund, Bus Replacement Fund, and Rainy Day Fund.

RETIREMENT

The Board accepted the intent to retire from Janet Jackson, cafeteria manager at Marrs, effective August 29, 2014.

EMPLOYMENT

The Board confirmed the following employment recommendations:

Kelly Cox – ECA Supervisor, HS
Angela Cross – teacher assistant Special Education, Marrs & HS
Jillian David – teacher, Marrs
Jim Hatfield – Department Chair-Business, HS
Junenna Helt – teacher, West
Lindsay Schulz – teacher assistant/remediation, West
Marc Hunter Stevens – ECA Supervisor, JH
Tammy Weatherford – teacher assistant/library, Marrs

RESIGNATIONS

The Board accepted the resignations, effective immediately, from:

Tim Alcorn – assistant softball coach, HS
Jillian David – teacher assistant/remediation, West
Sarah Henning – teacher assistant, Marrs

Junenna Helt – teacher assistant/remediation, West
Kara Word – district bus driver and food service, JH

SUNDAY USE OF FACILITIES REQUEST

The Board granted permission to Mt. Vernon Cub Softball for use of the softball facilities on Sundays: September 7, 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19, and 26, 2014 as recommended.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Information to the Board included the Self-Insurance Fund Report, Marrs PTO Newsletter, School Lunch Fund Report for July, and the School Lunch Menu for August. Dr. Kopatich also reported that student enrollment this fall looks a bit higher than anticipated prior to the September 12, 2014 count day.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

Tuesday, September 2, 2014 at 5:45 p.m. (Monday, September 1, 2014 is Labor Day)
Monday, September 15, 2014 at 5:45 p.m.
Monday, October 6, 2014 at 5:45 p.m.

All meetings will be held at Mt. Vernon Jr. High School.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board met in Executive Session immediately after the regular meeting.