

**Superintendent's Letter
November 4, 2014**

Wilson School District Strategic Vision Planks

*WSD Vision Plank 1 – Improve upon or expand Wilson's portfolio to advance student success.
WSD Vision Plank 2 – Grow Wilson regionally or nationally.
WSD Vision Plank 3 – Increase organizational agility and capacity.
WSD Vision Plank 4 – Creative development of existing and new infrastructure.
WSD Vision Plank 5 – Create a flatter organizational structure for stakeholder collaboration.
WSD Vision Plank 6 – Control for fiscal accountability.*

The Berks County Career & Technology Center, hosted Wilson for its regular board meeting on Monday, November 3, 2014. Among the actions taken by the Board at that meeting were:

5.0 Superintendent's Report (Motion Carried)

5.1 Retirements

Sheree Blanski, Speech Therapist, effective the final day of the 2014-15 school year, 30.5 years with the Wilson School District

Bruce Harbach, High School PE, effective the final day of the 2014-15 school year, 22 years with the Wilson School District

Mary Lynn Krippe, Art Teacher, Spring Ridge, effective the final day of the 2014-15 school year, 17 years with the Wilson School District

Laura Perry, 1st Grade, Shiloh Hills, effective the final day of the 2014-15 school year, 38 years with the Wilson School District

5.2 Child-rearing Leave of Absence

Melissa Zawaski, Reading Specialist, SMS, beginning approximately 3/20/15 and ending approximately 6/21/15.

Brenna Colosi, Health & PE, High School, beginning approximately 3/26/15 and ending approximately 5/7/16

5.3 Resignations/End of Service

Mary Bunn, Kindergarten Instructional Support Assistant, Cornwall Terrace, effective 10/31/14

Steven Frymoyer, Skills Teacher and Substitute Teacher, effective 11/7/14

Lisa Lamp, Monitorial Aide, Spring Ridge, effective 10/22/14

Annamarie Tomasi-Doelp, IA, High School, effective 11/14/14

Kathryn Trout, IA, Whitfield, effective 10/22/14

5.4 Support Staff

Victoria Dyson, Special Ed Autistic Support IA, Spring Ridge, 29.5 hours/week, \$12.72/hr, effective 10/27/14 (new position)

Heather Fehr, Substitute Crossing Guard, \$15.00/hr, effective 10/6/14

Joy Frantz, Monitorial Aide (and substitute), Shiloh Hills, 2 hours/week, \$9.55/hr, effective 11/4/14 (replaces Jennifer Weidner who transferred)

Lori Hu, Substitute Monitorial Aide, Green Valley, \$9.55/hr, effective 10/27/14

Janice Maurer, Special Ed IA, High School, 29.5 hours/week, \$11.72/hr, effective 10/27/14 (replaces Sharon Stapleton-Shields who resigned)

Mallory Mautz, Substitute Child Care Assistant Supervisor, \$10.98/hr, effective 11/4/14

Patricia Milus, Substitute Greeter, \$9.55/hr, effective 11/4/14

Cory Yost, Substitute School Bus Driver, \$13.36/hr, Substitute School Bus Aide, \$9.55/hr, Substitute Van Driver, \$12.34/hr, and Substitute School Crossing Guard, \$15.00/hr, all effective 11/4/14

Laurie Jentes, Kindergarten Assistant, Cornwall Terrace, 15 hours per week, \$10.98 per hour, eff. 11/3/14 (replacing Mary Christine Bunn who is resigning from this position)

Jenna Mastromarino, Substitute Nurse, \$17.60 per hour, eff. 11/4/14

Allison Shurr, Substitute Nurse, \$17.60 per hour, eff. 11/4/14

5.5 Change of Status

Cornwall Terrace First Grade Teaching Assistants (Betsy Althouse, Kim Wagner, Nancee Wenzel), increase from 9 to 15 hours per week, no change in rate, effective 11/3/14 for the remainder of the 2014-2015 school year

Michala Homolkova, Child Care Assistant Supervisor to Substitute Assistant Supervisor, no change in rate, effective 10/31/14

Brahim Jouhari, School Bus Driver to Substitute School Bus Driver, \$13.36/hr, effective 10/20/14

Joya Osle, Child Care Assistant Supervisor, \$12.73/hr, effective 8/25/14 (correction to hourly rate)

5.6 Hourly Teacher

Samantha Starr, Skills Teacher, Southern Middle School, 17 hours/week, \$15.73/hr, effective 10/30/14 (replaces Brandon Dahms who resigned)

5.7 Certified Substitute Teachers, effective 11/4/14 (unless otherwise noted)

Lisa Lasky (eff 10/24/14)

Ainsley Matz (eff 10/30/14)

Cory Kercher

Rebecca Ruth

5.8 Emergency Substitute Teachers, effective 11/4/14

Dennis Heltibridle

Robert Krotee

Celeste Steich

5.9 Extracurricular

Caleigh Stednitz, Grandview Gallery Director, \$1,270 stipend pro-rated, effective 10/27/14 (replaces Allison Shannon who resigned)

6.0 Consent Items (No items)

Roll Call

7.0 Human Resources (Motion Carried)

7.1 Approved the contract for a Compensation Analysis and Market Assessment study from PSBA School Services Division, \$3,200, per the attached.

8.0 Pupil Services (Motion Carried)

- 8.1 Granted permission to ratify** contracts with Hogan Learning Academy LLC, to provide educational services to two special education students at the discount rate of \$345.00 per student per day, including all related services, beginning 9/29/14 and 10/8/14 and ending 6/3/15.

9.0 Technology & Media (No Items)

10.0 Operations (No Items)

11.0 Finance (No Items)

12.0 Curriculum and Staff Development (No Items)

13.0 Transportation (No Items)

14.0 Food/Cafeteria (No Items)

15.0 Child Care (No Items)

16.0 Extra-Curricular (Motion Carried)

- 16.1 Approved** the Winter 2014-15 Athletic Extracurricular Stipends (as attached).

17.0 Policies (No Items)

18.0 Miscellaneous (Motion Carried)

- 18.1 Approved** the district sponsorship renewal contract with Berks Lanes, as attached, in the amount of \$2,000.