

## **Administrative Offices**

## Minutes of the SWCCCASE Board of Directors Meeting November 15, 2023

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Southwest Cook County Cooperative Association for Special Education was called to order at 9:03 a.m. on Wednesday, November 15, 2023.

On roll call, the following members were found to be present: Ms. Droba (D117), Mr. Veihman (D118), Dr. Roth, Dr. Sala, Mr. Charleston, Dr. Brunson, Mr. Johnson, Dr. Ticknor, and Dr. Nolting. Absent: Dr. McConnell, Dr. Sikora, and Dr. O'Neil.

Also present: Mr. Shumway, Business Manager.

RECOGNITION OF PUBLIC

Karyn Kempke, Union President, and Brandon Wigboldy, Union Vice President

PLACEMENT OF ITEMS ON THE CONSENT AGENDA A motion was made by Dr. Roth and seconded by Dr. Brunson, that upon the recommendatic of Mr. Shumway, the following items be considered under a consent agenda, unless otherwis requested by the Board: Approval of the open and closed session minutes of the October 18, 2023, Board of Directors Meeting, Invoices and Payroll, Employment of Educational Suppor Personnel, Resignation of Professional Personnel, Resignation of Educational Support Personnel, Request for Leave of Absence, and Board Policy 7:270 Administering Medicines Students - First Reading.

Upon roll call, the following voted aye: Ms. Droba, Mr. Veihman, Dr. Roth, Dr. Sala, Mr. Charleston, Dr. Brunson, Mr. Johnson, Dr. Ticknor, and Dr. Nolting. Nayes, none, whereupon the chairman declared the motion carried.

REPORT OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER

STATEMENT OF POSITION AND REVENUE Mr. Shumway presented the statement of position, revenue and expenditures for the period ending October 31, 2023.

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REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

COOPERATIVE HIGHLIGHTS

On behalf of Dr. O'Neil, Mr. Shumway mentioned the Cooperative Highlights.

## **CONSENT AGENDA**

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Board of Directors of the Southwest Cook County Cooperative Association for Special Education approved the open and closed minutes from the

October 18, 2023 Board of Directors Meeting.

APPROVAL OF INVOICES AND PAYROLL The Board of Directors of the Southwest Cook County Cooperative Association for Special Education approved the October/November invoices in the amount of \$1,054,416.31. The October payroll in the amount of \$2,353,271.61, and the estimated amount of \$2,200,000 fo the November payroll.

EMPLOYMENT OF ESPs

Name	Position	Program	Start Date	Step/Column or Days	Annual Salary
Covault, Andrew	Paraeducator	CD Satellite	10/16/2023	1/License	\$24,203.00
Douglas, Elizabeth	Paraeducator	Transition at Braun	10/24/2023	6/BA Type-39	\$30,473.00
Kelley, Lakeisha	Paraeducator	CD at MGW	10/19/2023	6/+60 hrs	\$27,640.00
Kocsis, Bibiana	Custodian	Part time Custodian	10/30/2023	\$15/hr	n/a
Pool, Stacey	Paraeducator	Braun	10/16/2023	1/License	\$24,203.00
Shanks, Gwendolyn	Paraeducator	Transition	10/30/2023	2/BA Type-39	\$28,511.00

RESIGNATION OF PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

<u>Name</u>	Position	Program	Effective Date
Stuckert, Tina	SLP	CD Satellite	11/2/2023

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RESIGNATION OF ESPS

Name	Position	Program	Effective Date
Daniel, Mia	Paraeducator	DESTINY	10/23/2023

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

<u>Name</u>	Position	Program	Type of Leave	Effective Dates
Ruhl, Ron	Teacher	Transition	FMLA	10/19/2023 - 5/30/2024
Saadi, Hiba	Paraeducator	Transition	LOA	11/7/2023 - 11/28/2023

## **ACTION ITEMS**

BOARD POLICIES -FIRST READING

The Board of Directors, upon the recommendation of the Executive Director, approved the fireading of policy 7:20 - Administering Medicines to Students.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Dr. Brunson and seconded by Dr. Roth to approve the consent agenda

Upon roll call, the following voted aye: Ms. Droba, Mr. Veihman, Dr. Roth, Dr. Sala, Mr. Charleston, Dr. Brunson, Mr. Johnson, Dr. Ticknor, and Dr. Nolting. Nayes, none, whereupon the chairman declared the motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Dr. Roth and seconded by Dr. Brunson to adjourn the meeting at 9:11

Upon roll call, the following voted aye: Ms. Droba, Mr. Veihman, Dr. Roth, Dr. Sala, Mr. Charleston, Dr. Brunson, Mr. Johnson, Dr. Ticknor, and Dr. Nolting. Nayes, none, whereupon the chairman declared the motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dr. Mary Ticknor Board Secretary