

KELLOGGSVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Regular Meeting – May 09, 2022  
Report No. 21-141

CONSENT AGENDA

MINUTES OF MEETING

Regular Meeting – April 25, 2022

ROLL CALL

Present: Mrs. Groters, Mrs. Reidzans, Mrs. Tanis, Mrs. Ward,  
Mr. Marihugh, Ms. Sellers, Ms. Townsend  
Eric Alcorn, Director of Human Services  
Jeff Owen, Director of Instruction

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

President Tanis called the meeting to order at 6:03 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Board and Visitors recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETINGS

The next regularly scheduled board meetings will be held:

May 09, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. Board of Education Center

May 23, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. Board of Education Center

June 13, 2022 @ 5:30 p.m. Board of Education Center

June 27, 2022 @ 5:30 p.m. Board of Education Center

COMMUNICATIONS - None

VISITORS

President Tanis welcomed visitors.

KDL UPDATE

Representatives from KDL; Sheri Gilreath-Watts, Kurt Stevens, and Anjie Gleisner, shared an update on the partnership between KDL and Kelloggsville Public Schools and the many opportunities that are presented as a result of this collaboration. They shared an update on their strategic focus as part of the 3-5 year goal; Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, Engagement & Service, and Sustainability, and how they are incorporating those initiatives within the KPS branch and to the students and community of Kelloggsville. They shared appreciation for the support and relationship that this partnership has created, giving some examples of the daily interactions and positive outreach with our students. In turn, Mr. Owen and the Board also extended appreciation of the partnership between KPS and KDL.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Consent Agenda

It was moved by Mrs. Ward, seconded by Ms. Sellers, to approve Consent Agenda items 21-132, 21-133, 21-134, 21-135, 21-136, 21-137 and 21-138.

21-132 Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes from 03/28/22

21-133 Approval of Personnel Report

- 21-134 Approval of Expenditure Report  
General Fund: \$522,330.17 Food Service: \$10,297.08  
Child Care: \$0.00 Capital Projects: \$171,467.94
- Mrs. Ericka Scott reviewed the expenditures from the General Fund
- 21-135 Approval Budget Hearing 13 June 2022
- 21-136 Approval of 2022-23 Curriculum Materials
- 21-137 Approval of Staff Appreciation Day
- 21-138 Approval of Policy Updates 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading
- Yeas: 7 Nays: 0 MOTION CARRIED

ACTION - None

PROPOSAL

A. Summer School Program

Building principals presented highlights and details on the summer school program for students in grades K-12<sup>th</sup> grade this upcoming summer. The elementary program will be held at Central Elementary from June 6-June 30 (Monday-Thursday) with a recommendation enrollment/application process. The program will go from 7:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. which includes on-site breakfast and lunch opportunities and transportation for qualifying students. KMS will host its own program following a very similar schedule as the elementary program; June 6-June 30 (Monday-Thursday) with an invitation/recommendation based enrollment format. The program will provide instruction in the four (4) core areas and go from 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and include on-site breakfast and lunch opportunities and transportation for qualifying students. Details on the high school and 54<sup>th</sup> Street's program also includes core instruction, using APEX, for credit recovery with a \$50 tuition charge that is refunded when the credit is attained. Students will attend on June 6-June 30 from 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at KHS, with the opportunity to participate in both on-site breakfast and lunch service. KVS will provide an in-person or virtual option for their students, following the same dates and times according to the students' grade level. Offering of a possible second session in July is also under consideration. This proposal will be placed on the 05/09/22 agenda as a consent item.

INFORMATION & REPORTS

A. BOE Committee Goal "D"

The Board Goal "D" Committee (E. Alcorn – Chair, Ward, M. Groters, Reidzans, Alston, Stevens, and Sherman), shared an update on their goal progress:

Board Goal #2

*Continue development of the diversity, equity and inclusion programs being offered across curriculum and building visuals throughout the district using the data from the 2021 district survey.*

*Desired Results: Provide a district where students and adults are welcomed and supported; where their faces, voices, and experiences are reflected and valued, where the uniqueness of everyone is honored.*

Human Resource #2

*Provide and expand opportunities for staff development in the area of diversity, equity and inclusion.*

*Desired Results: Heighten all staff awareness in the areas of diversity, equity and inclusion.*

Mr. Alcorn shared an update on the committee's work that included items completed, group work completed and items still in progress. Some of the initiatives that have been completed include the development of a district-wide DEI committee made up for teachers, support staff, administrators, board members and students. District-wide professional development opportunities include a focus on awareness, diversity, implicit bias, student/staff panels and book studies that are currently underway and DEI SafeSchools modules which will be added to staff training for the 2022-23 school year. The committee has also reviewed various data points, making the following conclusions; 1) all students have equitable access to advanced classes in middle school and high school, 2) African American students scored lower across the board in grades 3-7 in reading and math, and 3) African American received more suspensions than other racial groups. With information from that data and the survey results from last year, the committee has identified six (6) topics to create, review, and make recommendations in the following areas; professional development, hiring practices, discipline, district equity statement, district publications/displays, and curriculum. In the area of human resources/discipline, language has been added to job postings that promote diversity and equity and language in student handbooks and discipline rubrics will be reviewed and updated over the summer. In the area of curriculum and professional development, DEI resources have been developed for incorporation into building staff meetings and review of K-12 curriculum materials are also ongoing. Lastly, the committee is continuing their work on developing the district's mission statement and reviewing district displays, both of which are also currently under review. The committee will provide a final update on their committee goals on 05/09/22.

OTHER MATTERS - None

INTRODUCTION OF MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS

- Ms. Townsend – shared appreciation to KDL and Mr. Caterino for the wonderful job they do in support of reading and providing books and opportunities to our students, such as the teen internship program. She also appreciates the opportunity that summer school will provide to our students, to help capture what may have been lost due to COVID;
- Mrs. Reidzans – shared that she is grateful for KDL's teen intern program and the PerkPass opportunity that provides patrons free admission to area museums and attractions;
- Mr. Marihugh – extended recognition to KDL and the partnership that has developed with the district, adding that it has created a wonderful atmosphere within our community;
- Ward – echoed previous comments regarding the KDL partnership and the relationships it has developed, looking forward to future opportunities. She also shared an invitation to the Wyoming Arbor Day Celebration on 04/28/22.

The event will take place at KHS @ 10:00 AM and will include a tree planting dedication to honor Jim Ward's contributions to the City of Wyoming's Tree Commission/The Tree Amigos and his conception of the KDL's partnership with Kelloggsville;

- Mrs. Groters – also echoed other members' comments and shared appreciation to staff in advance of Staff Appreciation Day. She referenced the KDL statistics that compared Kelloggsville to other branches in terms of circulation, people serviced, etc. and that our branch is doing very well and our students, staff, and community appreciate the benefits it provides;
- Ms. Sellers – shared appreciation for all of the opportunities provided to our students and community and the hard work by all preparing for the year-end and summer school programs;
- Mrs. Tanis – nothing;

ADJOURNMENT

President Tanis adjourned the meeting at 6:48 p.m.

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Marie Groters, Secretary  
Kelloggsville Board of Education

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Beth A. Postma  
Recorder

VISITORS: Russ Hoorn, Eric Schilthuis, Kim Stevens, Jim Alston, Sheri Gilreath-Watts, Beth Taylor, Chad Morrow, Suzanne Schmier, Terri Ricketson, Anjie Gleisner, and Ericka Scott.