


MINUTES  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
NOVEMBER 21, 2016

The Tentative Tax Levy Hearing of the Board of Education of Mulberry Grove Community Unit School District No. 1 of Bond and Fayette Counties was called to order at 6:45 p.m. Members present were Jim Quick, Dianne Neathery, Keith Steiner, Jeff Koontz, and Nathan Mollett. Also present were Superintendent Brad Turner, Principal Bob Koontz, Tom Dooly from WGEL and Dave Bell from the Greenville Advocate.

Superintendent Brad Turner presented the Tentative Tax Levy.


Motion by Neathery, seconded by Koontz to approve a tentative tax levy increase of 9%, as presented. Neathery, Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, Quick, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Mollett, seconded by Steiner to adjourn at 6:58 p.m. Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, Quick, Neathery, YES: Motion Passed.



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The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Mulberry Grove Community Unit School District No. 1 of Bond and Fayette Counties was called to order at 7:05 p.m. Members present were Jim Quick, Dianne Neathery, Nathan Mollett, Keith Steiner and Jeff Koontz. Also present were Superintendent Brad Turner, Principal Bob Koontz, Christina Swain, Tina Tompkins, FFA Students Katie Dugan, Kelcie Waters, Kyle Blankenship, Allan Schewe, Brittany Schofield, Dawson Enloe, and Jade Koertge, Tom Dooly from WGEL and Dave Bell from the Greenville Advocate.

Motion by Steiner, seconded by Mollett to approve the minutes of the October 17, 2016 Regular BOE Meeting as presented. Neathery, Steiner, Mollett, Koontz, Quick, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Koontz, seconded by Neathery to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Steiner, Mollett, Koontz, Quick, Neathery, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Neathery, seconded by Steiner to approve the Board Bills as presented. Mollett, Koontz, Quick, Neathery, Steiner, YES: Motion Passed.

Mulberry Grove High School FFA students discussed their recent trip to the FFA National Convention.

Board Member Karen Tally arrived at 7:15 p.m.

Christina Swain addressed the Board.

Tina Tompkins addressed the Board.

Mr. Koontz and Mr. Turner presented Principal's Reports.

Mr. Turner presented the Superintendent's Report:

- a. New Business
  - i. HS Girls' Basketball Proposal
  - ii. PRESS Plus Policy Updates – 1<sup>st</sup> Reading

Board Member Karen Tally arrived at 7:15 p.m.

Motion by Steiner, seconded by Mollett to approve the first reading of the policy updates from PRESS Plus. Mollett, Koontz, Quick, Neathery, Tally, Steiner, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Mollett, seconded by Koontz to go into Closed Session at 8:20 p.m. to discuss: 1) the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body. Any action will follow in open session. Koontz, Mollett, Quick, Neathery, Tally, Steiner, YES: Motion Passed.


Motion by Tally, seconded by Steiner to return to Open Session at 9:26 p.m. and approve the minutes of the closed session. Mollett, Quick, Neathery, Tally, Steiner, Koontz, YES: Motion Passed.

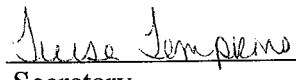
Motion by Mollett, seconded by Neathery to accept Trisha Taylor's resignation as a personal care aide at MGES, effective October 26, 2016. Quick, Neathery, Tally, Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Koontz, seconded by Steiner to hire Katherine Hebenstreit as a personal care aide at MGES for the remainder of the 2016-2017 school year. Neathery, Tally, Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, Quick, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Steiner, seconded by Tally to hire Kate Jolliff as the elementary basketball coach for the 2016-2017 season. Tally, Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, Quick, Neathery, YES: Motion Passed.

Motion by Mollett, seconded by Tally to adjourn at 9:29 p.m. Tally, Steiner, Koontz, Mollett, Quick, Neathery, YES: Motion Passed.

  
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