

LAKE RIDGE SCHOOLS

Date: April 12, 2021

Invocation given by: _____

Call this meeting to order.

Mission Statement

Pledge of Allegiance

This is a Regular Virtual Meeting of the Board of School Trustees of the Lake Ridge Schools, Lake County, Indiana, April 12, 2021 6:00 PM, in the Lake Ridge Schools
6111 West Ridge Road
Gary, IN 46408

I. Let the record show that all the Board Members and the Superintendent are present.
Let the record show the Administrators that are present.

II. Consider the attached Accounts Payable Vouchers and the April 2, payroll for payment.

_____ moved. _____ seconded. Motion carried

III. Consider the minutes of the March 22, 2021 school board meeting.

_____ moved. _____ seconded. Motion carried.

IV. Superintendent and/or School Board Member Report

Goal Area 1 - Academics: All learners will continuously demonstrate academic growth.

Goal Area 2 - Safety: We will provide a safe and secure learning environment for all.

Goal Area 3 - Equity: We will provide a positive, inclusive, and equitable environment for all.

Goal Area 4 - Communication: We will improve communication and strengthen relationships both internally and externally.

Goal Area 5 - Finances: We will advocate to increase the financial resources of the Corporation to provide an outstanding school environment and opportunities for our students, staff, and community.

V. Professional Development

V.A. Recommend Matthew Byerly attend the Indiana Music Educator’s 2021 Virtual Conference which is online, with access at any time. Expenses are paid from Title IIA.

V.B. We are recommending Matthew Byerly attend the Virtual Intersectionality, Disability, and Arts Education Conference on April 10-11, 2021 with expenses paid from Title IIA.

V.C. Recommend Stefen Hutchins attend the online Project Lead the Way Computer Science Principals Core Training on June 7 thru June18, 2021 with expenses paid from the Education Fund.

V.D. Recommend approving the Professional Development items.

_____ moved. _____ seconded. Motion carried.

VI. Leave/Resignation/Employment

All new employment to Lake Ridge New Tech Schools is contingent upon a cleared Expanded Criminal History Background Check within 30 days and a cleared Expanded Child Protection Index Check within 60 days of effective date. IC 20-26-2-1.5 and IC 20-26-2-1.3

VI.A. Recommend accepting James Flores resignation from the Assistant Baseball Coach position at Calumet New Tech High School effective March 29, 2021.

VI.B. Recommend Jeffery Colby be employed as an Assistant Varsity Track Coach at Calumet New Tech High School for the 2021 season.

VI.C. Recommend Kevin Bradley be employed as the Head JV Baseball Coach Coach at Calumet New Tech High School for the 2021 season.

VI.D. Recommend approval of the Leaves/Resignations/Employment items.

_____ moved _____ seconded. Motion carried.

VII. New Business

VII.A. Recommend accepting the following donations at Calumet New Tech High School: \$2000 – from Morris Motor Service – for the Softball Account

VII.B. Recommend approving the annual renewal for food Chartwells Food Service 2021-2022.

VII.C. Recommend approving the contract to conduct capital asset inventory with AdTec.

VII.D. Recommend approval of the new business items.

_____ moved. _____ seconded. Motion carried.

VIII. Adjournment

_____ moved. _____ seconded. Motion carried.