# SOUTH JEFFERSON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ADAMS, NEW YORK 13605 BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING, AUGUST 10, 2022

TRUSTEES PRESENT: Kenneth Bibbins, Joseph Eberle II, James Juczak, Pamela Thomas,

Justin VanCoughnett

TRUSTEES ABSENT: Troy Matteson, Stephanie Widrick

ALSO PRESENT: Scott B. Slater, Superintendent of Schools (via Google Meet)

Lisa A. Parsons, Assistant Superintendent Cora Harvey, School Business Administrator

Michelle L. Jaques, District Clerk

OTHERS PRESENT: Christina Chamberlain

## **CALL TO ORDER**

President Thomas called the regular meeting of the South Jefferson Central School District Board of Education to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Todd Dack Board Room in the Wilson Elementary School and led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

## **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

A motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby approve the agenda.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Eberle to approve the Board of Education minutes of the regular meeting held on July 27, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **PUBLIC FORUM**

No comments.

# <u>APPROVAL OF SUMMER RECREATION INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT WITH TOWN OF</u> RUTLAND

The intermunicipal agreement with the Town of Rutland was included in the Board packet and reviewed by the Board.

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

# <u>APPROVAL OF SUMMER RECREATION INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT WITH TOWN OF</u> RUTLAND (Continued)

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby approve the intermunicipal agreement for the 2022 Summer Recreation Program with the Town of Rutland as presented to the Board.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

# APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION TO CARRYOVER VACATION TIME

A motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby approve the change in the employment agreement for the Superintendent of Schools to be allowed to carryover up to an additional five (5) unused vacation days from the 2021-2022 school year to be used in the 2022-2023 school year.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### APPROVAL OF CSE/CPSE RECOMMENDATIONS

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby agree to provide the arrangement of services as included in the Individual Education Plans and/or evaluation summary as recommended by the Committee on Special Education or Committee on Preschool Education for students #15957, 16831, 17293, 16821, 16682, 16732 17964, 16758, 16236, 16710, 15963, 14665, 14365, 14076, 14379, 16922, 15117, 18075, 17123, 16706, 16282, 16574, 17250, 17868, 16733, 16734, 16718, 18094, 16672, 16752, 17675, 16743, 17367, 17667, 16564, 16685, 16558, 17969, 17970, 18337, 17177, 16824, 17013, 16584, 17057, 14713, 16068, 18350, 18430, 15235, 16351, 16421, 15087, 17951, 17135, 17136, 16960, 17880, 18112, 16920, 16996, 17661, 18062, 17781, 17421, 17752, 17432, 17723, 18407, 17587, 17406, 17284, 17492, 18127, 17701, 16851, 17312, 17720, 16937, 17058, 17600, 17029, 17494, 17672, 18034, 18117, 17802, 18268, 17204, 17650, 17546, 17983, 17680, 18052, 18374, 15864, 17288, 14692, 14736, 18387, 16867, 18033, 18396, 18219, 17816, 17527, 17339, 16618, 17176, 18377, 17628, 17962, 16707, 17317, 18429, 17633, 18458, 17610, 17718, and 18577.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPROVAL OF PAROCHIAL TRANSPORTATION REQUESTS

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby approve the transportation requests from parents/guardians of two (2) students for student transportation to and from parochial schools for the 2022-2023 school year as presented to the Board.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF HOMESCHOOLING LIST

The Board acknowledged the homeschooling requests from two (2) families to homeschool their children for the 2022-2023 school year.

#### DISTRICT UPDATES/ITEMS OF INFORMATION

A letter from the Northern New York Community Foundation congratulating Kim Kilburn, High School Special Education Teacher, as a recipient of the "Classroom Kindness" promotion and the Mid-Summer Recreation Report were included in the Board packet and reviewed by the Board. Superintendent Slater provided information regarding recent meetings with the new incoming Superintendent, Christina Chamberlain, who also contributed to the information. Discussion followed.

## **RESIGNATION- SENIOR ACCOUNT CLERK**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the resignation request from Jessica Bast from her position as Senior Account Clerk effective September 3, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **RESIGNATION- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the resignation request from Hailey Cooley from her position as Aide effective August 8, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE- AIDE

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby approve the unpaid leave of absence request for educational purposes from Julia Rolando from her position as Aide effective September 1, 2022, through January 29, 2023.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **CHANGE IN APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the change in appointment for Christina Steward from 5.75 hours per day Aide to 7 hours per day Teaching Assistant at the Wilson Elementary Building at a rate of \$14.50 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

## **CHANGE IN APPOINTMENT- AIDE (Continued)**

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## **CHANGE IN HOURS**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the change in hours for the following personnel effective September 1, 2022:

Sandra Burnham	Teaching Assistant @ MS, from 6.5 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Nicole Smeeton	
Jennifer Russell	
Lyndsey Reed	Aide @ MS, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Cathy Cronk	
Tabatha Bristol	Aide @ W, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Christina Maki	Aide @ W, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Leslie Keefer	Aide @ W, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Carley Lillie	Aide @ HS, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day
Angela Valentin	Aide @ W, from 5.75 hrs/day to 7 hrs/day

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint David Lohrmann as General Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke High School for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Juczak and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Ashley Atkins as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke Middle School for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Heather Mitchell as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke Middle School for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Jocelyn Fenton as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke Middle School for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Amy Jones as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Christie Berry as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 7 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Darcie Groff as General Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Mannsville Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Jessica Duger as General Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke Middle School for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Jana Cox as General Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Kristi Goutremout as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Kelly Sullivan as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Charmane McConnell as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Kaylee Valentin as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Ashlyn Haynes as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Wilson Elementary Building for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

# **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Emily Gibeau as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke High School for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Diane Worden as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke High School for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### **APPOINTMENT- AIDE**

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Somer Hughes as 1:1 Special Education Aide (Civil Service Title: School Monitor) at the Clarke Middle School for 5.75 hours per day at a rate of \$13.99 per hour effective September 1, 2022.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPOINTMENT- 2022 SUMMER TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint the following as 2022 Summer Transportation Department employee:

Jennifer Bach......Summer School Bus Driver

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPOINTMENT- 2022 SUMMER TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint the following as 2022 Summer Transportation Department employee:

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPOINTMENT- 2022-2023 ASSISTANT VARSITY FOOTBALL COACH

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint David Vespa as Assistant Varsity Football Coach effective for the Fall 2022-2023 season with a stipend according to the negotiated agreement.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPOINTMENT- 2022-2023 JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS SOCCER COACH

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

## APPOINTMENT- 2022-2023 JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS SOCCER COACH (Continued)

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Sean McGrath as Junior Varsity Boys Soccer Coach effective for the Fall 2022-2023 season with a stipend according to the negotiated agreement.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## APPOINTMENTS- 2022-2023 VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT COACHES

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Eberle and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby appoint Volunteer Assistant Coaches effective for the Fall 2022-2023 season:

John ArcaroFootba	all
David Lohrmann	all
Justin VanCoughnett	
Joseph KealyFootba	
Steven Widrick	er
Steven Widrick Boys Socc Briana West Girls Socc	er
Christina PlattX-Count	
Kayla Schillinger	

Yes 4 No 0 Abstain: 1 (VanCoughnett) Motion: Carried

## TAX ROLLS ACCEPTED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Bibbins and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the tax rolls received on August 10, 2022, for the taxable value assessments of:

Adams	296,684,517.00
Ellisburg	98,248,505.00
Hounsfield	
Lorraine	66,933,862.00
Rodman	86,460,648.00
Rutland	6,589,904.00
Watertown	72,762,060.00
Worth	30,322,498.00
Boylston	968,991.00
Pinckney	

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## FULL VALUE FOR APPORTIONMENT ACCEPTED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

#### FULL VALUE FOR APPORTIONMENT ACCEPTED (Continued)

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby accept the full value for apportionment received on August 10, 2022, in the amounts of:

Adams	312,302,649.47
Ellisburg	114,244,191.86
Hounsfield	
Lorraine	78,745,720.00
Rodman	101,718,409.41
Rutland	6,724,391.84
Watertown	119,282,065.57
Worth	36,098,211.90
Boylston	
Pinckney	501,800.00

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### GENERAL FUND TAX LEVY RECOGNIZED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby recognize that the actual general fund 2022-2023 levy is \$8,390,000.00 and increase of 2.00%.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

# 2022-2023 GENERAL FUND TAX WARRANT AUTHORIZED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Eberle to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby authorize the 2022-2023 general fund tax warrant of \$8,390,000.00 commencing August 10, 2022, and ending October 31, 2022, a total of 82 days. The tax rates will be as follows:

Adams	11.379367
Ellisburg	
Hounsfield	12.869393
Lorraine	12.717987
Rodman	12.717988
Rutland	11.030907
Watertown	17.721786
Worth	12.869392
Boylston	14.224064
Pinckney	

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

#### LIBRARY TAX LEVY RECOGNIZED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Juczak to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby recognize that the actual library 2022-2023 levy is \$135,000.00.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## 2022-2023 LIBRARY TAX WARRANT AUTHORIZED

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, a motion was made by Trustee Juczak and seconded by Trustee VanCoughnett to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the South Jefferson Central School District does hereby authorize the 2022-2023 library tax warrant of \$135,000.00 commencing August 10, 2022, and ending October 31, 2022, a total of 82 days. The tax rates will be as follows:

Adams	0.183101
Ellisburg	
Hounsfield	
Lorraine	0.204640
Rodman	0.204640
Rutland	0.177494
Watertown	0.285154
Worth	0.207076
Boylston	
Pinckney	0.173954

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried

## **SIGNING OF TAXES**

The Board of Education members signed the tax warrant.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Trustee VanCoughnett and seconded by Trustee Bibbins to adjourn the meeting.

Yes 5 No 0 Motion: Carried Time: 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle L. Jaques District Clerk