

Hope Academy of Northwest Arkansas

School Board Meeting Minutes

Date: July 29th, 2021

Time: 4:32 pm

Location: Via Zoom

Meeting Type: Regular

Board Members Present: Will Hanna- President, Dr. Kathy Morledge- Board Member, Countess Hodges- Board Member

Board Members Absent: Chris Lamson- Board Member, Bill Lessly-Board Member

Staff in Attendance: Rick Brazile - Superintendent, Jake Gibbs - Principal, Krystal Bequette- HR Manager

Called to Order:

Meeting was called to order at 4:32 by Board President Will Hanna. The meeting was a regular school board meeting for Hope Academy of Northwest Arkansas via Zoom.

Discussion

Principal Jake Gibbs discussed:

- Act Aspire Scores
- Development of PLC's, School Improvement Plan, Literacy Improvement Plan
- Covid-19 Update
- Calendar Change

HR Manager Krystal Bequette discussed:

- Update to the Salary Schedule adding a stipend for staff that receive additional training

Superintendent Rick Brazile discussed:

- Monthly Financials
- Yearly Expenses
- Grants

Action Items

1. Consider Approval of FY22 Disbursement Officer

- Board President Will Hanna asked for a motion for Chris Lamson to be the FY22 Disbursement Officer.

Motion - Kathy Morledge

Second - Countess Hodge

Vote 3-0
