

Wisconsin Rapids Board of Education **Personnel Services Committee** 510 Peach Street · Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494 · 715-424-6701

Sandra Hett, Chair Anne Lee Mary Rayome John Krings, President

April 3, 2017

- Location: Board of Education, 510 Peach Street, Wisconsin Rapids, WI Conference Room C
- Time: 6:00 p.m.
- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Actionable Items
 - A. Appointments
 - B. Resignation
 - C. Board Policy Review
 - D. Food Service Pay Increase
- IV. Consent Agenda
- V. Adjournment

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The administration recommends approval of the following professional staff appointments for the 2017-2018 school year:

Sawyer Ladick	Location: Position: Education: Major/Minor: Salary:	Lincoln High School LD/ID Teacher (1.0 FTE) BS – UW Eau Claire – May 2017 Special Education Cognitive/Learning Disability 2017-18 Entry-level Teacher Pay (not less than \$37,500)		
Hallie Brock	Location: Position: Education: Major/Minor: Salary:	Woodside Elementary School/Vesper Community Academy Speech/Language (1.0 FTE) Master's – UW Stevens Point – May 2017 BS – UW Eau Claire – May 2015 Master's – Speech Language Pathology BS – Communication Sciences and Disorders \$47,000		
The administration recommends approval of the following support staff appointments:				
Mark Sylvester	Location: Position: Effective Date: Hourly Wage:	Mead Elementary Charter School Noon Aide (1.5 hrs/day) March 9, 2017 \$12.17 (starting rate) / \$12.81 (after 60 days)		
Troy Brey	Location: Position: Effective Date: Hourly Wage:			
Stacey Bray	Location: Position: Effective Date: Hourly Wage:			

Jonathan Moore	Location: Position: Effective:	District Relief Custodian (8.0 hrs/day) March 20. 2017
		\$20.38 (starting rate) / \$21.45 (after six months)

B. Resignation

The administration recommends approval of the following support staff resignation:

Linda Bidwell	Location:	Howe Elementary School
	Position:	Noon Aide (1.5 hrs/day)
	Effective Date:	March 24, 2017
	Date of Hire:	December 19, 2012

C. Board Policy Review

Board Policy 533 Staff Recruiting/Hiring and Board Policy 533-Rule Staff Recruiting/Hiring Procedures – Second Reading.

This policy was reviewed and approved for first reading at the regular Personnel Services Committee meeting in March 2017. The administration recommends approval of Board Policy 533 Staff Recruiting/Hiring and Board Policy 533-Rule Staff Recruiting/Hiring Procedures for second reading. (*Attachments A & B*)

D. Food Service Pay Increase

Discussion and possible action on a 2016-17 wage increase for Food Service employees.

IV. Consent Agenda

Personnel Services Committee members will be asked which agenda items from the Committee meeting will be placed on the consent agenda for the regular Board of Education meeting.

V. Adjournment

PSC Meeting April 3, 2017 – Second Reading *Attachment A*

533 STAFF RECRUITING/HIRING

The district can secure the kind of teachers and other personnel it wants by an effective recruitment program based upon alertness to good candidates, initiative that results in prompt action, and good personnel practices in dealing with applicants. A personal interview will be required for all people employed by the district.

The superintendent and persons delegated by him/her are responsible for determining the personnel needs of the school district and locating suitable candidates to recommend for employment to the Board.

Unsolicited applications or letters of interest for future or potential employment positions are accepted for all positions except administrative. If vacancies occur in these positions, the unsolicited applications are treated in the same manner as solicited applications for as long as the documents are retained.

The superintendent shall see that persons nominated for employment meet all qualifications established by law and the Board for the type of position for which nomination is made and are able to perform the essential functions of the position.

Employment of all regular teachers shall be by action of the Board upon recommendation of the superintendent.

The School District of Wisconsin Rapids does not discriminate in employment on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, age, political affiliation, disability, handicap, citizenship, ancestry, arrest or conviction record, membership in the national guard, state defense force or any other reserve component of the military forces of the United States or Wisconsin, or use or nonuse of a lawful product off school premises during non-working hours or any other reason prohibited by law age, race, color, creed, religion, genetic information, handicap or disability, marital or parental status, gender, sexual orientation, transgender status, gender identity, national origin, ancestry, citizenship, arrest record, conviction record, pregnancy, veteran status, military service, membership in the national guard, state defense force or any other reserve component of the military forces of lawful products off District premises during non-working hours and away from District-sponsored activities, or other protected group status, as required by state or federal law.

All staff employed by the Board shall complete the necessary employment forms required by state and federal laws and regulations.

LEGAL REF.:	Sections	111.31 - 111.395	Wisconsin Statutes
		118.195	
		118.20	
		118.21	
		118.24	
		118.25	
		120.12(1)	
		121.02(1)(a)	

Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986

	Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
CROSS REF .:	533-Rule, Staff Recruiting/Hiring Procedures
	533.1, Crime Information Records Check
	511, Discrimination and Harassment Prohibited Non-Discrimination and Equal
	Employment Opportunity
	WREA Agreement
	AFL-CIO Local 1075 Agreement (Lunch, Custodians and Maintenance)
	AFL-CIO Local 95 Agreement (Office and Professional Employees)
	Substitute Teachers' Agreement
APPROVED:	November 1974

REVISED: September 1985 January 14, 2002 February 11, 2008

533-RULE STAFF RECRUITING/HIRING PROCEDURES

The following regulations governing the process of recruitment and selection of professional and noncertificated staff are established in harmony with Board policy.

- 1. The School District of Wisconsin Rapids does not discriminate in employment on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, age, political affiliation, disability, handicap, citizenship, ancestry, arrest or conviction record, membership in the national guard, state defense force or any other reserve component of the military forces of the United States or Wisconsin, or use or nonuse of a lawful product off school premises during non-working hours or any other reason prohibited by law age, race, color, creed, religion, genetic information, handicap or disability, marital or parental status, gender, sexual orientation, transgender status, gender identity, national origin, ancestry, citizenship, arrest record, conviction record, pregnancy, veteran status, military service, membership in the national guard, state defense force or any other reserve component of the military forces of the United States or Wisconsin, or use or nonuse of lawful products off District premises during non-working hours and away from District-sponsored activities, or other protected group status, as required by state or federal law.
- 2. Outstanding Colleges, universities, and teacher placement agencies shall be among those sources contacted for recommendations of candidates for professional positions.
- 3. All candidates shall complete an *submit employment* application form *materials*.
 - a. Candidates for professional positions shall supply the school with transcripts of all college work, a college placement folder, or a professional portfolio.
- 4. All former employment from the first position to the last shall be recorded by the candidate.
- 45. The administration shall make reference contacts on finalists for all positions.
- 56. Certification status shall be determined where applicable. Candidates shall meet applicable state certification requirements and standards established by the regional accreditation association.
- 67. The most outstanding *qualified* applicants for each position in the District shall be invited for interview(s) in accordance with established procedures. The purpose of the interview shall be to select professionals of character and intellectual integrity, possessing emotional stability and personalities suitable for living and working with young people.
- 78. An employee shall be appointed only upon the recommendation of the superintendent or his/her designee. Should a person nominated by the superintendent be rejected by the Board, it shall be the duty of the superintendent to make another nomination.
- 89. A health examination, as required by state law, shall be required of all successful applicants. The medical forms provided by the district must be signed by a licensed examining physician and shall be on file in the district office.

APPROVED:	November 11, 1974
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