

# Board of Education MEETING MECA

# **JUNE | 2025**

### PUBLIC HEARING FOR RETIRE/REHIRE

• The Board of Education held a public hearing for two Mariemont High School staff members who plan to retire/rehire for the 2025-26 school year, Jeff Radloff and Steve Phelps.

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

- As we continue through hiring season, the Board of Education approved the employment of five staff members for the 2025-26 school year, including Brandon Finke (success center coach); Robert Elbrecht (sub custodian); Mogan Elash (ME, kindergarten teacher); Aimee Devine (MHS, broadcast journalism teacher); Megan Geary (MHS, counselor). It also accepted resignations from Joe Regruth (head baseball coach); Brandon Finke (special education aide); Sophia Domenick (academic support aide); Mary Tensing (ME, special education aide); Chelsea Myers (MHS, counselor); Jessica Bush (ME, 5th grade teacher); Lindsey Wise (ME, 6th grade teacher). Additionally, hours/days adjustments were approved for Christian Compton (ESY services); Bryan Barthelmas, Janine Cutcher and Anna Goeke (RBT training); Brandon Finke (3 extra days); Kim Arp, Paola Biro, Natalie Lynch and Tricia Woitha (Ohio Partnership for Excellence in Paraprofessional Preparation district leadership team); Shannon Kromer (director of teaching and learning, 42 extended days); Colleen Herking (gifted intervention specialist/ gifted coordinator, 20 extended days); Megan Geary (MHS counselor, 20 extra days). And Shannon Kromer was placed on a certificated salary schedule at level M32 for the 2025-26 school year.
- College credit approvals/reimbursements were approved for Kristen Keyes (TPE, 3 credits and reimbursement); Amy Geiger (TPE, 8 credits); Jennifer Niezgoda (TPE, 3 credits); Alex Ammerman (MHS, 7 credits); Steven Vonderhaar (ME, 8 credits); Sophia Domenick (MHS, reimbursement).
- Other items approved as part of the Consent Agenda include the hiring of sports camp coaches (Doug Spreen, Jonathan Franklin, Brad Lockhart, Dave Caldwell, Katy Davis, Liv Ferry, Erik Vanags, Mike Haney, Nick Leone, Bruce Dixon, Joe Veeneman, Jim Barr, Sarah McRae, Alex Howard, Jalen Lozen) and the hiring of summer workers (Joe Regruth, baseball field maintenance).

## **ACTION AGENDA**

- The Board approved 23 policies that was presented for a first reading at the May Board of Education meeting.
- The superintendent's contract (effective August 1, 2025) and treasurer's contract (effective August 1, 2026) were approved.

# FINANCIAL REPORT

- Treasurer/CFO Tom Golinar reviewed the financial report and investments for the month of May, which is 11 months into the fiscal year. He shared that the reports are on track per the forecast.
- He also presented supplemental appropriations for FY25 and temporary appropriations for FY26, which
  is done at the end of each school year.