

BOARD MINUTES
Rising Sun-Ohio County Community School Corporation
October 21, 2021

The regular session of the Board of School Trustees was held as advertised on October 21, 2021 at 6:30 P.M. in the Administration Building. Members present were Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Connie Smith, Corey Potts and Superintendent Branden Roeder. Also present was Noel Bostic. Renee Cole attended virtually but did not vote.

Meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The agenda was presented for adoption. Upon motion by Connie Smith and seconded by Andrea Kirkpatrick to approve the agenda as presented, members voted as follows: Aye – Connie Smith, Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, and Corey Potts.

The minutes from the September 30, 2021 meeting were reviewed. Upon motion by Gary Kinnett and seconded by Connie Smith to approve the minutes as presented, members voted as follows: Aye – Connie Smith, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Gary Kinnett, and Corey Potts.

The claims were presented for approval. Upon motion by Connie Smith and seconded by Andrea Kirkpatrick to approve the claims as presented, members voted as follows: Aye – Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Connie Smith, and Corey Potts.

Mr. Roeder recommended Kevin Smith as sponsor for the high school Speech and Debate Team. Upon motion by Andrea Kirkpatrick and seconded by Connie Smith, members voted as follows: Aye – Connie Smith, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Gary Kinnett, and Corey Potts.

Mr. Roeder recommended changing the bus driver daily rates that end in an odd cent. He recommended increasing the odd rates by 1 cent for payroll calculations. Upon motion by Connie Smith and seconded by Gary Kinnett to approve the recommendation, members voted as follows: Connie Smith, Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, and Corey Potts.

Mr. Roeder asked for public comment on the 2021-2023 Collective Bargaining Agreement. Hearing none, he asked for approval of the Agreement. . Upon motion by Gary Kinnett and seconded by Connie Smith to approve the 2021-2023 Collective Bargaining Agreement as presented, members voted as follows: Aye – Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Connie Smith, and Corey Potts. Mr. Roeder noted that there were no representatives from the Teacher Union in attendance.

Mr. Roeder also recommended approval of the administrative contracts. Upon motion by Connie Smith and seconded by Andrea Kirkpatrick to approve the administrative contracts, members voted as follows: Aye – Gary Kinnett, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Connie Smith, and Corey Potts.

Mr. Noel Bostic updated the board regarding Rising Sun High School's Early College Program.

The next school board meeting will be November 11th.

The Board of School Trustees of the Rising Sun-Ohio County Community School Corporation did not discuss any subject matter in executive session other than the topic specified in the public notice.

Upon motion by Connie Smith and seconded by Andrea Kirkpatrick to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 P.M., members voted as follows: Aye – Connie Smith, Andrea Kirkpatrick, Gary Kinnett, and Corey Potts.
