

# LOWELLVILLE LOCAL SCHOOLS

## Board of Education

Mike Palumbo, President  
Brian Wharry, V-President  
James Alfano  
Sam Ramunno  
Stephanie Yon

52 Rocket Place, Lowellville, Ohio 44436



## Administration

Dr. Eugene Thomas, Supt.  
Dennis Hynes, Principal  
Timothy Pancake, A. Principal  
Ryan Cene, Treasurer

**DATE:** Wednesday, April 17, 2019      **TIME:** 7:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** Library/Media Center

1. Call to Order –
2. Roll Call: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry
3. Pledge of Allegiance –

## MINUTES:

It is recommended that the Board approve the minutes from the March 20, 2019 Special Board Meeting:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

## TREASURER'S REPORT:

1. Review March Financial Reports and Agenda Items for Approval
2. Special Board meeting scheduled (RFP & Negotiations Update/Dialogue)

## Treasurer's Recommendations:

1. It is recommended that the Board approve the Financial Report, Bills and Payroll for March 2019, as submitted by the Treasurer:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

1. State Testing
2. End of Year

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

1. Governance report HB166
2. Safety Committee Letter
3. Strategic Planning Meeting Format & Next Steps (Annual)
4. Fitness Room "Suggestion Box"

## MISSION

The Lowellville Local School District will educate, empower and challenge our students to reach their individual potentials by providing an environment where tradition, community and excellence create productive members of a global society.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

1. Curriculum Committee Meeting
2. Safety Committee
3. Buildings & Grounds Committee

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- 1.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT:**

1. Public comment on agenda items or other school related issues

**SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. It is recommended that the Board approve the purchase of the Carnegie Learning Math for grades 6-8 to begin in the 2019-2020 school year:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

2. It is recommended that the Board approve the purchase of the Asset STEM Education for grades 7-8 for the 2019-2020 school year:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

3. It is recommended that the Board authorize membership for Lowellville High School grades 7-12 with the Ohio High School Athletic Association for the 2019-2020 school year:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

4. Recommend that the Board approve the change of the Full-Time Equivalency (1.0 FTE) elementary guidance counselor position to half time (.5FTE) elementary guidance counselor position effective 2019-2020 school year:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

5. It is recommended that the Board approve Dena O'Neill for 1 FTE Full-Time Equivalency (.5 FTE for the elementary guidance counselor position and .5 FTE teacher) one-year limited contract for the 2019-2020 school year:

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Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

- 6. It is recommended that the Board approve Stephanie Havrilla for a Continuing Contract for the and placed at the appropriate step of the Master Contract salary schedule:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

- 7. It is recommended that the Board approve Debbi Sanders for a Continuing Contract for the and placed at the appropriate step of the Master Contract salary schedule:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

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The motion - carried – failed

- 8. It is recommended that the Board approve One Year Limited Contracts for the following teachers for the 2019-2020 school year and placed at the appropriate step of the Master Contract salary schedule:

Lucille Bartlett
Mia DiRienzo
Mellissa Gapsky
Andrea Weaver
Jeannine Reamer
Alina Angelilli

Robbin Carlos
Lisa Doll
Leslie Mercure
Jared Van Kirk
Lawrence Sammartino
Sandi Phillips

Renay Choma
Nicole Firmstone
Julia Donofrio
Daniel Dougherty
Danielle Yates

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

- 9. It is recommended that the Board approve the following classified staff for the 2019-2020 school year per the correct salary steps in the classified agreement:

Jeffrey Hunter - Custodial Aide "as needed
Marsha Kamensky - Educational Aide
Elizabeth Hartman-Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Richard Beard - Custodial Aide "as needed"
Stacy Harklerode - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Cheryl Mamula - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Adrienne Sepesy - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Charles Harris - Pupil Transportation/Maintenance "as needed"
William McCaughtry - Field Maintenance/Custodial Aide "as needed"

Sherry Novak - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Kathy Wharry - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Lucille Yarnell - Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Andrea Anguish-Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Denise Hartzell -Cafeteria Helper "as needed"
Toni Lanterman - Custodial Aide "as needed"
Steven Hunt - Study Hall Monitor

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

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10. It is recommended that the Board approve Stefanie Buhecker for a \$1,500.00 (USD) Stipend for EMIS Coordinator Annual Supplemental:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

11. It is recommended that the Board approve Andrea Anguish (Bus Driver) for a two-year limited contract at the appropriate step of the classified agreement:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

12. It is recommended that the Board approve Denise Hartzell (Bus Driver) for a two-year limited contract at the appropriate step of the classified agreement:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

13. It is recommended that the Board approve the following Substitutes for the 2019-2020 school year upon satisfying the requirements of the Ohio Department of Education and the Lowellville Local School District:

Frank Nock - Bus Driver  
Joseph McCree - Bus Driver  
Irene Darby - School Nurse  
Adrienne Sepesy - Secretary  
Joanne Coppola - Teacher  
Christina Freed - Teacher  
Dennis Hynes Sr. - Teacher  
Carol Mook - Teacher  
Nancy Olander - Teacher  
Kayla Quinn - Teacher  
Laura Scudier - Teacher  
Rena VanSuch - Teacher

Betsy Wilson - School Nurse  
Joyce Cholensky - School Nurse  
Susie Barone - Secretary  
Ken Brayer - Teacher  
Jim Fantone - Teacher  
Jessica Hallquist - Teacher  
William McCaughtry - Teacher  
McKenzie Moore - Teacher  
Kyle Primous - Teacher  
Giuliano Romeo - Teacher  
Lucy Stanton - Teacher

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

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The motion - carried – failed

14. It is recommended that the Board accept the resignation of Sarah Drysdale submitted April 01, 2019 and effective at the end of the 2018-2019 school year:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

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15. It is recommended that the Board accept the resignations of:

|                 |               |                  |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| Bob Ballone Jr. | JH Head Coach | % TBD (Football) |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

16. It is recommended that the Board approve the following supplemental contracts for the 2019-2020 school year provided they meet the requirements, prior to working with athletes, set forth by the Lowellville Board of Education, Ohio High School Athletic Association, and the Ohio Department of Education:

|                 |                            |       |
|-----------------|----------------------------|-------|
| Drew McLaughlin | Varsity Assistant          | % TBD |
| Bob Ballone Jr. | Varsity Assistant          | % TBD |
| Bob Layko Jr.   | Jr. High Assistant Coach   | % TBD |
| Tom Mikesell    | Varsity Football Volunteer |       |

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

17. It is recommended that the Board approve the following Sales Project Potential:

|                 |             |                |
|-----------------|-------------|----------------|
| Sophomore Class | Jeans Day   | 5/8/19         |
| Italian Club    | Pasta Sales | 4/18-5/03/2019 |

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry

The motion - carried – failed

18. It is recommended that the Board approve the following Field Trip Requests:

|                       |                         |                      |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Physics/Environmental | Tour Mine, Tarentum, PA | 5/2/19               |
| 6th Grade             | Forbes, Pittsburgh, PA  | 5/8/19               |
| 7/8th Grades-Science  | Pine Hollow             | May 7th or 8th, 2019 |
| 4th Grade             | DeYor Performing Arts   | 5/10/19              |
| MS Choir              | DeYor Performing Arts   | 5/9/19               |

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

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The motion - carried – failed

19. It is recommended that the Board approve the following Building Use Requests:

|                      |                   |                   |                       |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Boys Basketball      | Open Gym/Workouts | Gym               | April - July, 2019    |
| Lowellville          | Summer Recreation | Pavilion          | May 31 - July 5, 2019 |
| Lowellville Elem.    | Talent Show       | Cafetorium        | May 17, 2019          |
| Lowellville Football | Pancake Breakfast | Cafeteria/Kitchen | 4/28/19               |

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Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.  
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The motion - carried – failed

20. It is recommended that the Board move into Executive Session. Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, resolved that the Board of Education of the Lowellville School District adjourn to Executive Session at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. to discuss:

- Personnel matters (individuals need not be named)
  - Appointment and/or employment
  - Dismissal
  - Discipline
  - Promotion or demotion
  - Compensation
- Investigation of charges and/or complaints
- Purchase or sale of property
- Conferences with legal counsel related to pending or imminent court action
- Negotiations
  - Security arrangements
  - Economic development
  - Matters required to be kept confidential by state or federal law

Action will/will not be taken

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry  
The motion - carried – failed

21. It is recommended that the Board return from Executive Session and resume Regular Meeting at \_\_\_\_\_:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.  
Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry  
The motion - carried – failed

22. Other:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.  
Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry  
The motion - carried – failed

23. Adjournment:

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ to adjourn the meeting at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm.

Vote: Yon - Alfano - Palumbo - Ramunno - Wharry  
The motion - carried – failed

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