

**Sto-Rox School District
Agenda Regular Legislative Voting Meeting**

**Thursday, April 25, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.
Jr.-Sr. High School Cafeteria**

I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & MOMENT OF SILENCE

III. PUBLIC COMMENT relating to AGENDA ITEMS

IV. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

- A. The Board met in Executive Session following the April 18, 2024 Agenda Review Meeting to discuss personnel matters.

V. REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS

- A. Moment of Silence- Ahsan Edwards, fondly known as Peanut, tragically lost his life in a senseless act of violence.
- B. Reign Boxley- Student council Representative Report
- C. New Hire Introductions: Tia Diviney

VI. NON-CONSENT AGENDA

A. Board Meeting Minutes - President

- 1. Waive and accept the reading of the March 5, 2024 Regular Legislative Voting Meeting minutes of the Parkway West Career and Technology Center Board of Directors.
- 2. Waive and approve the reading of the March 28, 2024 minutes of the Sto-Rox School District Board of Directors.

B. Financial Management - Business Manager

Budget, Finance, Insurance, Audit, Funding, Taxes

- 1. Approve/ratify payment of bills from the following funds: General and Food Service
- 2. Approve the authorization for the District's administration office to purchase a 10 (9+1) passenger van for a purchase price not exceeding \$70,000.00.

C. Operations *Capital Improvement, Update, Repair and Maintain Facilities & Equipment, Municipal Relations, Public Relations, Safety & Environment*

1. Approve the following ABC employees for the 2023-2024 school year:
 - a. Amber Pearson- Van Driver
 - b. Derrick McClinton-Van Driver
 - c. Daniel Hamilton Jr.- Van Driver
 - d. Mary Petrosky- Van Driver
 - e. Rochelle Edwards- Monitor
2. Accept the Donors Choose projects awarded for:
 - a. Melanie Behr- Classroom Project: “Essentials Refills and Organization Tools”.
3. Approve NWEA Order for MAP Growth K-12 Program/Assessment including Virtual Training and Report Seminars for teachers.
4. Accept the University of Colorado Boulder Botvin LifeSkills Training High School Program grant for the period of two academic years: 2024-2026 to provide training, technical assistance, and curriculum materials for 10th Grade.
5. Accept \$250 donation from the Coraopolis NAACP to help cover the costs of the Saving Our Selves Program (SOS).
6. Approve the Waterfront Learning Pricing for the AIU and PAIU Districts for the 2024-2025 SY as the vendor for Virtual Course Offerings.
7. Approve Queens Gambit MOU with Sto-Rox School District for Chess Programming during April and May 2024.
8. Accept \$1000.00 grant from The Blackbaud Giving Fund facilitated through PPG-Pittsburgh Plate and Glass to purchase STEAM materials for the Primary Center.
9. Accept an anonymous donation of \$1200.00 to purchase a pitching machine for the Girls’ Softball team.
10. Approve the Lease Agreement between the AIU and Sto-Rox School District for the Preschool Early Intervention classroom located at the Sto-Rox Primary Center.
11. Accept the Progress Through Pages Book Donation of approximately 500 books to grades K-6 at the Primary Center and Upper Elementary Schools.

D. Co-Curricular Leadership
Activities, Athletics, Food Service, PTO

1. Approve/ratify the Field Trip matrix as presented.

Name	Date	Event	Location	Needs	Fund
Chris Taylor	4/2/24	Lock Haven University Tour School w/ Distinguished Gentleman Group	Lock Haven University, PA	None Bus provided by BAM	No Cost- Costs covered by BAM
Melanie Behr- Life Skills K-3	5/3 or 5/6/24	Lil Bunny Indoor Play (8 Students & 5 Chaperones)	Robinson Mall	Small Bus	District
Jennie Smith- Lit Leaders & Kindness Club	5/7/24	Univ. of Pitt Cathedral of Learning (45 Students & 4 Chaperones)	4200 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh	Bus	School Activity Fund
2nd Grade Teaching Team	5/15/24	Fun Slides Carpet Park	1130 Perry Hwy, Pittsburgh	Bus, Bag Lunch	PTO & Student
Sarah Trout	5/17/24	X-Cel Gymnastics (Kdg Field Trip) 6 Chaperones & 95 Students	Cranberry, Pa	Bag Lunch/ Bus	Buses
6th Grade Teaching Team	5/28/24	Fun Slides Carpet Park	1130 Perry Hwy, Pittsburgh	Bag Lunch/ Bus	PTO & Student

2. Approve Josh and Gab Assembly and Kona Ice Truck on May 15, 2024 for 1st and 3rd Grade paid by the PTO.

E. Special Assignments

Board Policy, Parkway West Career Technology Center

1. Approve the second reading of:
 - a. Board Policy- Social Media- Sections and Policy Number to be Determined.
 - b. Section 100 Local Board Procedure, NEW Policy 146.1 Trauma-Informed Approach
 - c. Section 200 Local Board Procedure, Policy 217 Graduation Requirements
2. Approve a New Policy -First Reading:

- a. Section 100 Local Board Procedure, Policy 137.2 Participation in Co-curricular Activities and Academic Courses by Home Education Students

F. Educational Leadership

Curriculum and Instruction, Vocational Technical Education, Instructional Media Services, Special Education Services and Programs, Intermediate Unit Programs and Services, Professional Development, Strategic Planning, Instructional Supplies and Equipment

1. Approve/ratify the Professional Development Matrix, as presented.

Name	Date	Conference	Cost	Location
Katie Stenger	4/11/24	Restorative Justice Conferencing	0	PaTTAN
Martha Hoover	4/18/24	Workers Compensation Employers Forum	0	Pittsburgh Marriott North
Chris Galiszewski	5/7/24	Intensive Skills Training- Emotional Behaviors	\$20 Mileage	PaTTAN West
Katie Stenger Toni Daloiso	5/8/24	IEPWriter Focus Group	\$9.37 \$18.00 Mileage	AIU3
Martha Hoover	5/14/24	Youth Mental Health First Aid	0	Virtual
Katie Stenger	5/17/24	Youth Mental Health First Aid	0	Virtual

G. Personnel Management

Human Resources, Compensation, Fringe Benefits, Negotiation, Recruitment, Selection, Staffing of Professional and Non-Professional Positions

1. Approve/ratify the following personnel items:

Resignation/Retirement

Name	Position	Location	Dates
Shaozhe Ma	7-12 Math	Jr./Sr. High School	6/30/24
Dawn Bocka	Paraprofessional	Upper Elem.	4/5/24
Jayne Miller	Asst. Girls Basketball Coach	Jr./Sr. High School	4/8/24

Hiring

Name	Position	Salary	Start Date
Tia Diviney	K-3 ES/LS Teacher	Master's Step 2	8/19/24

Kim Cordell Katie Halajcio Leslie Morant Sara Neal	Summer Food Program Jr./Sr. High School & Primary Building	Per Contract	6/3/24
Presley Carpenter Pamela Clawson Josh Kemp Lauren Ferragonio	ESY (Extended School Year Teachers)	Per Contract \$35.00/hr.	June 4-6, 11-13, and 18-20, 2004

Transfers

Posting #	Name	Current Position	New Position
#23/24-21	Ashley Dickinson	3rd Grade Primary Center	K-6 STEAM
	Crystal Givner	Special Ed. Long Term Sub	District Sub. for remainder of 2023-2024 SY

2. Approve Job Description for Parent/Community Liaison.

H. Legal – Solicitor

None at this Time

I. New Business

B. Financial Management - Business Manager
Budget, Finance, Insurance, Audit, Funding, Taxes

1. Approve the closure of the District’s General Fund and Payroll Fund PNC Bank Accounts.
2. Accept the annual audit report for the year ending June 30, 2023 as presented by Mark Turnley, Certified Public Accountant.

C. Operations *Capital Improvement, Update, Repair and Maintain Facilities & Equipment, Municipal Relations, Public Relations, Safety & Environment*

1. Approve the following ABC employees for the 2023-2024 school year:
 - a. Desirae Johnson- Van Driver
 - b. Shannon Tallent- Van Driver
 - c. Rafael Gutierrez- Van Driver

2. Accept the Donors Choose projects awarded for:
 - a. Jeffrey Huckestein- Classroom Project: “School-Wide Fun Filled Field Day Extravaganza!”
3. Approve the quote for PowerSchool: SchoolMessenger Communicate for Sto-Rox All Call Phone, email and text messaging system for the 2024-225 school year. Cost is \$5,020.00 including License, Subscription and Professional Setup Services.
4. Approve the MOU with Sources of Strength for Suicide prevention training with Youth Move PA.
5. Approve the Facility Usage Request for Sto-Rox Little Vikings Community Days: June 1, 2024 from 8:00am- 6:00 pm at the Jr./Sr. High School Stadium including Scoreboard, Ticket Booth, Lights and PA system.
6. Approve the Facility Usage Request for Sto-Rox Little Vikings/ Damar Hamlin Event on June 7, 2024.
7. Approve donation of \$240.00 for Prom Tickets from an Anonymous Donor.
8. Approve quote from All American Athletics for recoating the High School Gym, Upper Elem. School Gym and HS Stage for \$8,800.00.
9. Approve the Service Agreement with The Day School at The Children’s Institute from July 1, 2024- June 30, 2025.
10. Approve the Agreement between Sto-Rox School District and ABC Transit Inc. from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2029 pending solicitor review and finalization.

D. Co-Curricular Leadership

Activities, Athletics, Food Service, PTO

1. Approve/ratify the Field Trip matrix as presented.

Name	Date	Event	Location	Needs	Fund
2nd Grade Teaching Team	5/2/24	Heinz Hall (84 Students & 7 Chaperones)	600 Penn Ave. Pittsburgh, PA 15222	Bus	PTO
3rd Grade Teaching Team	5/6/24	Heinz Hall (47 Students & 5 Chaperones)	600 Penn Ave. Pittsburgh, PA 15222	Bus	PTO

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1. Approve/ratify the Professional Development Matrix, as presented.

Name	Date	Conference	Cost	Location
Sandy Larcade	4/25/24	SW Regional Chapter Transportation Meeting	\$8.13 Mileage	Shaler SD

2. Approve the AIU Comprehensive Services Agreement and Special Education Addendum for 2024-2025 as presents. This agreement outlines the services and terms of the Allegheny Intermediate Unit with individual school districts. The agreement does NOT require school districts to purchase any of the IU services.

G. Personnel Management

Human Resources, Compensation, Fringe Benefits, Negotiation, Recruitment, Selection, Staffing of Professional and Non-Professional Positions

1. Approve MOU between Sto-Rox School District and Sto-Rox Education Association, PSEA/NEA in reference to employee #490.
2. Approve/ratify the following personnel items:

Resignation/Retirement

Name	Position	Location	Dates
Brian Browning	Head Baseball Coach	Jr./Sr. High School	4/24/24
Chris Taylor	Head Football Coach	Jr./Sr. High School	4/24/24

Hiring

Name	Position	Salary	Start Date
Branden Blair	Head Football Coach	Jr./Sr. High School	4/24/24

H. Legal – Solicitor

1. Approve the denial of grievance 2023-2024-004.

VII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT

VIII. NEXT SCHEDULED MEETINGS OF SCHOOL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. – Jr.-Sr. HS Cafeteria (unless otherwise noted)

Thursday, May 16, 2024 Combined Agenda Review and Regular Legislative Voting Meeting.

Thursday, June 20, 2024 Combined Agenda Review and Regular Legislative Voting Meeting.

Thursday, July 25, 2024 Combined Agenda Review and Regular Legislative Voting Meeting.

X. ADJOURNMENT