



*District Mission: Students graduate with the knowledge, skills and behaviors to be college and career ready.*

# Hutchinson Public Schools

**2015-16 SCHOOL YEAR**

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## Board approves soft-drink vendor contract

The Hutchinson Public Schools Board of Education Monday, Jan. 25, 2016, approved a contract that will continue Pepsi as the soft-drink vendor for district facilities.

Negotiated along with Hutchinson Community College and the Educational Facilities Authority of Reno County, a joint effort of USD 308 and HCC to manage Gowans Stadium, the agreement is expected to provide additional funds over a competing bid from Coca Cola.

The agreement provides USD 308 with a 25-percent commission on sales that occur on district facilities. The Coca Cola proposal only contained a 20-percent commission.

Under the agreement, non-Pepsi soft drinks cannot be sold in district facilities during the eight-year contract. The same prohibition has been in effect under previous soft drink agreements.

The agreement was approved on a 6-0 vote. Board member Randall Gray excused himself from the discussion and vote because he works for a PepsiCo company.

Also during Monday's meeting the Board:

- Approved Operational Expectations No. 6 – Financial Administration.
- Heard a Continuous Improvement Report from the Hutchinson Career and Technical Education Academy at Hutchinson High School.
- Approved minutes of the Jan. 11, 2016, Board meeting.
- Approved the Head Start federal financing report.
- Approved a memorandum of understanding to appoint John Caton as EFARC attorney.
- Approved a grant request from Head Start.
- Approved the corrected Results 2 – Science report.
- Approved an out-of-state student activity request for welding students to attend a competition at Nevada, Mo.
- Approved the Treasurer's Report for December 2015.
- Debriefed on the study session concept and on the linkage with staff. The Board met with staff prior to Monday's meeting in a formal linkage.

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## **Personnel Report**

The Board approved the following changes in personnel.

### **Hired**

- Sarah Everlove, Day Care Assistant, Hutchinson High School Day Care
- Ashley Babson, Health Specialist, Early Head Start/Head Start
- Joshua Burdett, Head Fruits/Vegetables, Lincoln Elementary
- Wanda Markhart, Cook/Server, Hutchinson Middle School 8
- Jennifer Yingling, BSS Para, Morgan Elementary
- Teresa Kaplan, Assistant Main Dish, Hutchinson Middle School 8
- Edith Tillman, Certified Substitute, District
- Dorothy Ammons, Certified Substitute, District
- Taylor Elkinton, Physical Education Teacher, Hutchinson High School, effective 2016-17 school year
- Xavier Hoover, Rule 10 - Assistant Wrestling Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective immediately
- Eric Malashchuk, Social Studies Teacher, Hutchinson High School, effective 2016-17 school year

### **Resignations**

- Darlene Easley, Resource Room Para, Graber Elementary, effective Feb. 12, 2016
- Deb McCue, Rule 10 - Assistant Softball Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective immediately
- Katie Taylor, Curriculum and Instruction Specialist, Administration Center, effective end of 2015-16 school year

### **Position Changes, From, To**

- Kellie Moore, Substitute Teacher/District, Food Service Secretary/Morgan, effective Jan. 14, 2016
- Julia Johnson, Substitute Teacher/District, BSS-Resource Room Para/Hutchinson High School, effective Jan. 19, 2016

## **Gifts to Schools**

The Board formally accepted and thanked Grace Episcopal Church for a gift of \$300 to McCandless Elementary School.

## **Next Meeting**

The next regular meeting of the Board will be at 7 p.m. Feb. 8, 2016, at the Administration Center.