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Hutchinson Public Schools

2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR

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Board updated on school finance

With Monday being the 98th day of the 2017 legislative session, educators have little more information on the 2017-18 budget than they did on the first day, USD 308 Board of Education members learned Monday night (May 22, 2017) at their regular meeting.

Superintendent Shelly Kiblinger reported to the Board on school finance during Monday's meeting.

Kansas is coming off a two-year "block grant" to fund education that was supposed to give legislators a chance to craft a new finance formula because the old formula was considered by some to be "too complicated." Little was done in the intervening time.

Proposals that have surfaced late in the 2017 session have created formulas that look extremely similar to that used by the state prior to the block grant formula. Nothing, however, has been made final.

One proposal, House Bill 2410, would increase USD 308's budget by \$607,000 in 2017-18, but then cuts the budget by \$640,000 in 2018-19 because of the way it calculates declining enrollment. The district, then, would have less state funding in 2018-19 than it does this year (2016-17).

The Legislature faces a June 30 deadline from the Kansas Supreme Court to create a school finance formula that is both equitable to districts and provides adequate funding for K-12 schools.

The superintendent gave an overview of plans that have been made in case the district is forced to shut down because the court has not approved the Legislature's school finance plan. The plan is similar to that created in 2016 when the Legislature had to fix the equity portion of school finance.

Also during Monday's meeting, the Board:

- Approved minutes of the May 8, 2017, Board meeting.
- Approved submitted grant applications.

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- Approved an out-of-state student activity request to attend the National Speech and Debate Association national tournament at Birmingham, Alabama, in June.
- Approved the annual interpreting and translating contract with Cindy Flores.
- Approved additional security cameras and licenses for the district.
- Approved the purchase of 25 laptops for Hutchinson Middle School's Project Lead the Way program.
- Approved the renewal of the district's worker's compensation insurance with United Heartland. The rate went up \$2,285 for a 1.06 percent increase over 2016-17 rates.
- Approved the program agreement for Head Start and Early Head Start with Horizons Mental Health Center to provide home therapy services.
- Approved the program agreement between Head Start and Horizons for on-site therapy services at Head Start.
- Approved a payout for unused leave for Kiblinger as she leaves the district June 30.
- Approved the EMC Isilon data storage expansion.
- Approved the EMC data domain storage expansion.
- Approved the contract for the EMC data domain for the Wichita recovery site.
- Approved the Parents as Teachers facilities use agreement with Buhler USD 313 to provide space in their facilities.
- Approved the Treasurer's Report for April 2017.
- Held executive sessions on negotiations with NEA-Hutchinson and on matters concerning an individual, such as a student.

Personnel Report

The Board approved the following personnel changes.

Hired

- Angela Allen, Head Start Teacher, Hutcherson Center, effective 2017-18 school year
- Herminia Benitez, Extended School Year Teacher, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017
- Christine Block, Extended School Year Teacher, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017
- Mogie Curmode, Extended School Year Speech Pathologist, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Cassidy Cushing, Extended School Year Speech Pathologist, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Julie Eck, Extended School Year Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Kristy Farley, Extended School Year Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Colleen Jones, Extended School Year Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Dee Lynn Krehbiel, Grade 5 Teacher, Morgan Elementary School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Lynnette Krieger-Zook, Extended School Year Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Jodi Ruda, Extended School Year Speech Pathologist, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017

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- Margaret Onstott, School Counselor, Lincoln Elementary School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Erica Penrose, Vocal Music Teacher, Morgan Elementary School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Kyle Unruh, Extended School Year Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Christina Jackson, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, Hutchinson High School, Graber Elementary School, effective Faris June 26 to 29, 2017; Hutchinson High School July 3 to 13, 2017; Graber July 17 to 20, 2017
- Heather Sanchez, Extended School Year Hearing Impaired Summer Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Stephen Gauthier, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Shanan Stewart, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Teresa Wynn, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Tina Beeghley, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Gina Fernandez, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Vanessa Small, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Suzanne Shea, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Kelsea Turpin, Extended School Year Hearing Impaired Summer Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Tricia Campbell, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Anita Willis, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Rhonda Philbrick, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Karen Stucky, Extended School Year Summer PT Assistant, Faris Elementary School, effective June 26 to July 13, 2017
- Karen Voss, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Hutchinson High School, effective July 3 to 13, 2017
- Diana Stover, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Hutchinson High School, effective July 3 to 13, 2017
- Jackie Wakefield, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017
- Kristin Oldham, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017
- Raelene Brewer, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017
- Susan Morgan, Extended School Year Summer Program Para, Graber Elementary School, effective July 10 to 20, 2017

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- Clayton Evans, Temporary Summer Warehouseman, Support Service Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Mary Stewart, Temporary Summer Technology, Technology Support Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Alec Sprouse, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Alex Rodriguez, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Clint Rodriguez, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Danyel Phillips, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Desiree Ross, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Diana Duryee, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Heather Hutchinson, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson High School, effective June 5, 2017
- Jackie Wakefield, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Jamie Rodriguez, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Jennifer Halley, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Jennifer Meza, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson High School, effective June 5, 2017
- Jessica Robinson, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Juanita Adams, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson High School, effective June 5, 2017
- Julie Alexander, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Kathleen Williams, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Keeliza Loewen, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Lauren Meza, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson High School, effective June 5, 2017
- Lisa Shelton, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Lourie Hernandez, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Martha Mascarenas, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Megan Mehl, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017

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- Misty Barnum, Temporary Summer Custodian, Morgan, Avenue A and Graber Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Nancy Myrtle, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Payten Mayes, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Rachel Tripp, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Rosemary Marr, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Tammi Preston, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Taronda Hooker, Temporary Summer Custodian, Wiley, McCandless, Faris Elementary Schools, effective June 5, 2017
- Taylor Marr, Temporary Summer Custodian, Hutchinson Middle School 7 and 8, effective June 5, 2017
- Virginia Roth, Temporary Summer Custodian, Lincoln Elementary School, HMS at Allen, Hutcherson Center, Early Education Center, effective June 5, 2017
- Aliana McCaskey, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Austin Corwin, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Austin Meza, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Carson Brown, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Cynthia Cole, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Dominic MacKenzie, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Dylan Jenson, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Greg Vieyra, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Joe Woody, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Josh Campbell, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Josh Patterson, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Kyle Oldham, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Martin Garcia, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Mike Klaers, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017

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- Shelley Rodriguez, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Silvana Albert, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Trent Webster, Temporary Summer Maintenance, Support Service Center, effective May 30, 2017
- Ashton Pfannenstiel, Psychology Para, Education Service Center, effective 2017-18 school year
- Jane Keehn, Kindergarten Teacher, Faris Elementary School, effective 2017-18 school year

Resignations

- Joel Arnold, Grade 6 Teacher, Graber Elementary School, effective May 13, 2017
- Kelsey Baker, Grade 1 Teacher, Wiley Elementary School, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Sara Goerl, Grade 5 Teacher, Hutchinson Magnet School at Allen, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Kyle Unruh, Special Education Teacher, Hutchinson High School, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Ted Webster, Assistant Football Coach, Hutchinson Middle School - 7, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Jenny Wilson, Behavior Interventionist, Educational Service Center, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Chad Wintz, Rule 10 - Head Boys' Basketball Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective end of 2016-17 school year
- Mindy Benbrook, Resource Room Para, Lincoln Elementary School, effective May 17, 2017
- Emily Winter, Resource Room Para, Hutchinson Magnet School at Allen, effective May 24, 2017

Position Changes, From, To,

- Daniel Vieyra, Rule 10-Assistant Boys' Soccer Coach, HHS, Rule 10-Head Boys' Soccer Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Daniel Vieyra, Rule 10-Assistant Girls' Soccer Coach, HHS, Rule 10-Head Girls's Soccer Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Ted Webster, Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach, HHS, Head Boys' Basketball Coach, Hutchinson High School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Kerri Werth, Grade 4 Teacher, Wiley Elementary School, Grade 5 Teacher, Hutchinson Magnet School at Allen, effective 2017-18 school year
- Jeanne Allen, Assistant. Baker/Hutchinson Middle School – 8, Head Baker/Hutchinson Middle School – 8, effective 2017-18 school year
- Michael Eddington, Lead Cook/Server - High School, Asst. Fruit-Vegetables/Hutchinson Middle School – 8, effective 2017-18 school year
- Angela Bryant, Assistant Fruit-Vegetables/Lincoln Elementary School., Assistant Main Dish/Hutchinson Middle School – 8, effective 2017-18 school year
- Terry Sunner, Reception-Activity Secretary/Hutchinson High School, Activity Treasurer/Hutchinson High School, effective 2017-18 school year
- Joey Schneider, DD-K Para/Faris Elementary School, Teachers Assistant/Head Start, effective 2017-18 school year

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- Lauren Stroud, CSS Para/Wiley Elementary School, Speech Language Para/HMS at Allen, effective 2017-18 school year
- Stacie Smith, Educational Aide/Graber Elementary School, Teachers Assistant/Head Start, effective 2017-18 school year

Termination

- Andrew Epp, Assistant Fruit/Vegetables, Hutchinson Middle School – 7, effective May 11, 2017

Gifts to Schools

- \$50 from William Thacker to the Hutchinson Career and Technical Education Academy for student scholarships.
- \$200 from Central Bank & Trust to HCTEA for student scholarships.
- \$500 from Pipeline Testing Consortium, Inc., to HCTEA for student scholarships.
- \$100 from First National Bank to HCTEA for student scholarships.
- \$370 from Danny and Carla Childs to help fund students attending the Business Professionals of America National Leadership Conference.
- \$500 from Grace Episcopal to Faris Elementary School for the student activity fund.
- \$100 from the Medicine Shoppe to Faris for rewards for the monthly celebration assembly.
- \$500 from the John and Bethene Rimmer Fund to Faris for clothing and hygiene supplies.
- \$600 grant from Target to the Brynn Loop kindergarten class to make a trip to Tanganykia.
- \$100 from Target to Faris for the student activity fund.
- \$43.71 from Target to Faris for the student activity fund.
- \$267.73 from Our Redeemer Lutheran Church to Faris for the student activity fund.
- School supplies, valued at \$400, from Office Max to Faris for classroom use.
- Coats and school supplies, valued at \$100, from Jim and Norma Searcy to Faris for students in need.
- Coats and school supplies, valued at \$100, from Our Redeemer Lutheran Church to Faris for students in need.

Next Meeting

The next regular meeting of the Board will be at 6 p.m. June 12.