

## BOARD BRIEFS

Regular Board Meeting  
January 24, 2011 – 5:30 pm



Board of Education Appreciation Month

Our district is fortunate to have such a hard working, dedicated Board of Education. We thank you for your hard work, dedication, and the many hours you give to the Wyoming Public Schools family.

Sinking Fund Resolution Approval – **ACTION ITEM**

The board voted to approve a resolution to place a proposition on the May 3, 2011 Regular School election, a ballot requesting a .50 mill (\$0.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years to create a sinking fund for the construction or repair of school buildings. This would equate to \$25.00 annually for a home valued at \$100,000.00.

Schools of Choice Resolution – **ACTION ITEM**

The board voted to approve the continuation of participation in the Kent County Schools of Choice program for the 2011-12 school year.

Appointment of new Cooperative Council Member – **ACTION ITEM**

The board voted to appoint Board Member Amy Payne to the Wyoming Public Schools/Godwin Heights Public Schools Cooperative Council replacing Board Member, Mary VandeWater.

Student Trips Approved – **ACTION ITEMS**

The board approved the following student trips:

1. Newhall 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade trip to Calvin College Play
2. Newhall 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Cedar Point
3. Newhall 7<sup>th</sup> Lock-in at Craig's Cruisers
4. Rogers HS Wrestling team trip to Hudson, MI.
5. Wyoming Park HS WIA program trip to Craig's Cruisers

Early Graduation Request – **ACTION ITEM**

The Board approved the early graduation request of a Frontiers Academy student. This student has completed all of the requirements for graduation from the State of Michigan and the Board of Education.

Personnel Transactions - **(Consent Agenda)**

The Board approved the following Personnel Transactions:

**Family Medical Leave of Absence**

1. Brian Ambrose, Band Director, Newhall Middle/Rogers High School, effective 5/18/11 through 6/3/11
2. Jolanda Nederveld, Teacher, Oriole Park/Parkview, effective 1/24/11 through 2/4/11
3. Kelly Sokoloski, Bus Driver, effective 1/14/11 through 1/21/11

**Family Medical Leave of Absence Extension**

Julie Tessier, Teacher, Newhall MS, Family Medical Leave extended through 3/1/11

**Retirement**

Robin Davis, Bus Driver, effective 11/15/10

**New Appointment**

Diana Martin, Title 1 Paraeducator, effective 1/17/11

Next Meeting – **NOTE: Date and time is subject to change.**

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The next Regular Meeting of the Board of Education is scheduled for Monday, February 14, 2011 at 7:00 pm.

