TO: **ONTARIO STAFF**

FROM: **Keith Strickler**

REFERENCE: **REPORT OF ORGANIZATIONAL AND REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING SEPTEMBER 8, 2026**

Approve Tracy Baxter as the Head Girls Basketball Coach, Salary - $10,358

The Board approved the following Consent Agenda Items:

Approve the employment of the following classified staff personnel for the 2026-2027 school year:
Cameron Bias, Bus Driver, Step 0, Salary, $23,419

Approve the following extracurricular/supplemental staff personnel for the 2026-2027 school year:
Kelly Conn, LPDC Committee Member - $725
Annalee Stover, LPDC Committee Member - $999
Mindy Leach, LPDC Co-Head Chairperson - $1,331
Molly Calhoun, LPDC Co- Head Chairperson - $1,331
Tonya Winningham, Resident Educator Coordinator - $1,500
Tonya Winningham, Resident Educator Facilitator - $300
Michelle Laymon, Mentor to (Harkness, Taylor) - $1,050
Melissa Fittante, Mentor to (Reven, Guillerault) - $1,050
Tyler Coley, Mentor to (Keinath) - $750
Annalee Stover, Mentor to (Sandru) - $750
Kelli Eddleblute, Mentor to (Stoner) - $750
Morgan Schneider, Mentor to (Sansalone) - $750
Aubrey Cardwell, Mentor to (Rockwell) - $750
Melissa Fittante, OMS Fall Facility Coordinator, 50% stipend - $1,578.50
Jake Gleason, OHS Winter Facility Coordinator - $5,256
Jerry Moton, OHS Varsity Boys Basketball Head Coach - $10,358
Benji Hall, OHS Boys Basketball Assistant Coach - $5,697
Eric Barrison, OHS Boys Basketball Assistant Coach, 3 sharing 2 stipends - $3,651
John Heydinger, OHS Boys Basketball Assistant Coach, 3 sharing 2 stipends - $3,651
Jalen Douglas, OHS Boys Basketball Assistant Coach, 3 sharing 2 stipends - $3,651
Jeremy Bise, OHS Girls Basketball Asst. Coach - $4,348
Ryan Tinsley, OHS Girls Basketball Asst. Coach - $5,697

Approve the HB33 plan for online make-up hours in the event of calamity days beginning with day 6.

Approve the employment of substitute classified staff personnel for the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve the employment of the attached new substitute teachers for the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve the Eighth Grade Washington D.C. field trip - October 21, 2026- October 24, 2026

Approve the following teachers to receive a $250 stipend for chaperoning the Washington D.C field trip:
Danielle Basham
Doug Basham
Brooke Breitinger
Zack Canfield
Tyler Coley
Karen Kaufman
Addison Sandru
Annalee Stover

Authorize the treasurer to request property tax advances from the Richland County Auditor as needed.

Approve the following transportation contracts in lieu of bus transportation:
Brittany Howard
Tucker Johnston
Kelly and Megan Kleman

Approve the 2026-2027 school year salary notice revisions for certificated staff personnel who have completed additional college credit hours.

Approve the following donations:
Addie's Helping Hand - IPad (A-16)- WIFI for use at the middle school to track diabetic students and snacks to treat low blood sugars
Tracy Graham - two (2) backpacks filled with school supplies
Los Taco H's LLC- $100 - Spanish trip (Rosa Minnear)
Melissa and Sam Weiler - $1,000 - Cheerleading

Approve the facility requests:

Rocket Swim Club (Brooke Trumpower) for use of pool for swim training

Buckeye Counsel Scouting America (Amy Heller) for use of Stingel commons for cub scout meeting

Tim Mergel for use of Stingel gym for overnight boys basketball 3rd-6th

A.P U-13 Girls Soccer (Larry and Greg Atkinson) for use of soccer field for practice and games

Stingel PTO (Codi Martin) for use of Stingel gym, football practice field and multi-purpose room for Hometown Harvest Market Fundraiser

Mrs. Hiner gave a Legislative Liaison Report.

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held on October 13, 2026.