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December 6, 2023

SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA

2C. Appointment, IU 17 Board Members. (Continued)

2. Mr. Duane Naugle – Wyalusing Area School District

The Wyalusing Area School District has taken formal action, in accord with Act 316 of 1982, to recommend that Mr. Duane Naugle be appointed to a position on the BLAST Board to replace Mr. Douglas Eberlin. It would be appropriate for the Board to appoint Mr. Naugle, effective December 6, 2023, until the time of next election (December 6, 2023 – June 30, 2024), in accordance with Act 30 of 1982. The term of the Wyalusing Area School District representative expires June 30, 2024.

Dr. Steinbacher-Reed will discuss this item at the pleasure of the Board.

3A. Introductions.

1. Lori Stollar – PASCD Executive Director

7B. Personnel, Employments. (Continued)

1. The administration recommends Board approval of the following temporary professional and/or professional employee appointments:

D. Rachael Evers, Special Education Teacher, effective December 18, 2023. Salary –Step 1 Bachelors - \$53,805, districts' contracts, 190 days prorated to the actual number of days worked. Temporary Professional Employee's contract. To fill vacancy created by the internal transfer of Patricia Babinsack. This employment is contingent upon receipt of current clearances.

Dr. Steinbacher-Reed and Dr. Beiter will discuss this item at the pleasure of the Board.

7F. Personnel, Request for Internship, Observations or Student Teaching. (Continued)

5. The administration requests that the Board *approve Elizabeth Whitnack, a student at Bloomsburg University in the Speech and Language Graduate Program, to complete her internship from December 11, 2023 through March 8, 2024.* They will be under the total direction of one of the IU's fully certified professionals. This is contingent upon receipt of current clearances.

Dr. Steinbacher-Reed and Dr. Beiter will discuss this item at the pleasure of the Board.

8. Items Requiring Routine Formal Action by the Board. (Continued)

N. Lease Agreement – Xerox Corporation

The administration recommends that the Board *approve a 60-month copier lease agreement with Xerox Corporation at a rate of \$1,364.12 per month for the copiers and an estimated print cost of \$715.81 monthly, effective December 29, 2023 to December 29, 2028.*

Funds to support this contract are available from the General Operations Budget and various program budgets.

Dr. Steinbacher-Reed and Mr. Confer will discuss this item at the pleasure of the Board.

O. Contract for Services – Dr. Lisa Feil, Inner Compass, LLC.

The administration recommends that the Board *approve a contract with Dr. Lisa Feil, Inner Compass, LLC, to provide psychological evaluations for the Early Intervention Clinic, effective January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024, \$550 per day of service, not to exceed 22 days of services; Total Cost of Services not to exceed \$12,100.*

Funds to support this are available from the Early Intervention Budget.

Dr. Steinbacher-Reed and Dr. Beiter will discuss this item at the pleasure of the Board.