

**EAST ALTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 13**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**September 26, 2023**

The Board of Education of East Alton District 13, Madison County, Illinois, met in a Regular Meeting at 6:00 P.M. on Tuesday, September 26, 2023, in the Professional Development Room, at East Alton Middle School, 1000 Third Street, East Alton, Illinois.

**REGULAR  
MEETING.**

On a call of roll, the following members answered present:

Margaret Foiles, President  
Keith Trout, Vice President  
Kacie Bamert, Secretary  
Joan Mudge  
David Watts  
Mary Karrick  
Marvin Peterson

**ROLL CALL.**

The following member exited:  
David Watts at 6:16 P.M.

All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

**COMMUNITY COMMENTS:**

None.

Open Public Hearing on FY24 Budget.

Oath and Seating of Marvin Peterson to fill Board Vacancy.

The motion was made by David Watts and seconded Mary Karrick to approve the FY24 Budget. The motion carried 6 to 1 abstain.

**APPROVAL OF  
FY24 BUDGET**

The motion was made by Joan Mudge and seconded by Kacie Bamert to approve the minutes from August 29, 2023, regular meeting and executive session, and September 5, 2023, special regular meeting and special executive session, as presented. The motion carried 6 to 1 abstain.

**APPROVAL OF  
MINUTES.**

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The motion was made by Keith Trout and seconded by Mary Karrick to approve the bills from September 1, 2023, thru September 30, 2023. The motion carried 6 to 1 abstain.

**APPROVAL OF  
BILLS.**

Mr. Sherrell Provided the monthly attendance report, which showed an enrollment of 714 students as of September 1, 2023. The current budget status was reviewed and indicates the district remains on track with expected expenditures and revenues. There was only 1 suspension for the month of August.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S  
REPORT.**

The motion was made by Joan Mudge and seconded by Mary Karrick to approve the School Improvements Plan. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF  
SCHOOL  
IMPROVEMENT  
PLAN**

The motion was made by Mary Karrick and seconded by Keith Trout to approve the Property/Casualty/Liability/ and Workman's Compensation Insurance Renewal. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF PROPERTY,  
CASUALTY, LIABILITY, AND  
WORKMAN'S  
COMPENSATION  
INSURANCE RENEWAL**

The motion was made by Kacie Bamert and seconded by Joan Mudge to approve Bobby's Caramel Apple Fundraiser. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF  
BOBBY'S  
CARAMEL APPLE  
FUNDRAISER**

The motion was made by Keith Trout and seconded by Mary Karrick to approve the Ned Show Fundraiser. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF  
NED SHOW  
FUNDRAISER**

The motion was made by Kacie Bamert and seconded by Joan Mudge to enter into executive session at 7:52 P.M. The motion carried unanimously.

**EXECUTIVE  
SESSION**

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The motion was made by Kacie Bamert and seconded by Keith Trout to return to open session at 9:20 P.M. The motion carried unanimously.

**OPEN SESSION**

The motion was made by Joan Mudge and seconded by Keith Trout to approve the transfer of employment for Brandi Moran, as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF  
EMPLOYMENT  
TRANSFER**

The motion was made by Keith Trout and seconded by Joan Mudge to approve the employment of Lorelai Shemonia, Eastwood-Student Helper; Monique Lacey, Support Staff Substitute; Kayla Graves, Support Staff Substitute; Tiffany Tomlin, Support Staff Substitute; Valarie Jones, Support Staff Substitute; Monica Waller, Art Club Sponsor; Jeanea Epps, Permanent Substitute; Jamie Hahn, Bus Monitor; pending successful background check, employment history review, and credential verification, as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF  
EMPLOYMENT**

The motion was made by Joan Mudge and seconded by Keith Trout to adjourn the meeting at 9:26 P.M. The motion carried unanimously.

**ADJOURN**

\_\_\_\_\_PRESIDENT

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