Agenda

Wilbur D. Mills Education Service Cooperative Board of Directors' Meeting Wednesday, October 18, 2023 10:30 a.m. WDMESC PD Center

Beebe, Arkansas

Attendees:

I. Call to order: 10:35

II. Approve the Minutes of the regular meeting held on September 20, 2023

Motion to approve: Mr. Blackwell

Second: Mr. Rountree Vote: All in favor

III. Approve the Financial Report and Bank Rec for period 3 up to September 30, 2023

Motion to approve: Mr. Smith

Second: Mr. Stratton Vote: All in favor

- IV. Personnel
 - a. ECH Para Pro New Hire
 - i. Undetermined

Looking at trying to hire some paraprofessionals to keep on staff to deploy those as needed. No new hires at this time.

Motion to approve:

Second: Vote:

b. Cooperative Specialist Stipend - Total = \$8,000.00

They provide 20 hours of assistance outside of their contract time. Comes out of R & R grant. \$1,000 stipend
Time outside to assist assigned novice teachers.

Motion to approve: Mr. Rountree

Second: Dr. Hart Vote: All in favor

- V. Business
 - a. Communities of Practice HQIM Grant \$210,000 Bailey Education

i. WDMESC Scope of Work

Motion to approve:

Second: Vote:

Strike through this item

b. Early Childhood Access Control - \$3,739.43

Fobs for Early Childhood for safety.

Motion to approve: Mr. Rountree

Second: Mrs. Tanner Vote: All in favor

c. Early Childhood Storage Building 14X30 - \$1,300.00 + Tax and other fees

Need storage building for early childhood.

Motion to approve:Mrs. Stevens

Second: Mrs. Tanner Vote: All in Favor

d. Technology Resources Policy Addendum - As Presented

We received information that we need to add to our policy. We will put an addendum in the policy book.

Motion to approve: Dr. Hart

Second: Mrs. Tanner Vote: All in favor

VI. Adjourn

Motion to approve: Mr. Stratton

Second: Mr. Smith Vote: All in favor

Work Session

- I. Centegix
- II. June 19 21, 2023 Summer Work Session Date
 - a. Strategic Planning
 - b. Dr. Kerri White will be there to guide the process.
- III. November 27th Board Member Training
 - a. 5:30 start
 - b. meal will be served
- IV. <u>Director/DESE Update</u>
- V. Therapy Support for Staff

a. sample flyer

VI. Ethics Violation Submission

a. Ethics Allegation Packet

b. Standard 1 24 Hour Information Packet

VII. Naloxone Nasal Spray ADE Kit

VIII. WDMESC FOIA Request Discussion

IX. WDMESC Specialist Data/WDMESC Member District Data Presentation - Lesa Grooms

X. TCC Report

XI. Comm Memo

Guests:

Teresa Hardy, LCSW (870)897-4361 Andrea Stiles, LPC (501)420-4855 PHP Counseling (Providers Helping Professionals) Emotional Support for Faculty and Staff

Board President

Marc Menull
Board Secretary