



1.0 Call to Order

President Stacey with called the Regular meeting of the Harper Woods School Board to order at 7:09 p.m.

2.0 Pledge of Allegiance

3.0 Roll Call – Establishment of a Quorum

Present: Stacey White, Terry Hughes, Joan Mannino, Reginald Tabron, Johnetta Tabron

Absent: Ramona Simmons Michael Jarvis

Also Present: Steven McGhee, Dr. Michael Carrauthers, Dr. Alethea Wells, Dannon, Charles Hyman, Robert Brooks

4.0 Acceptance of Meeting Agenda

*Motion by Terry Hughes supported by Joan Mannino to accept the agenda as printed.
Motion passes 5-5*

5.0 Approval of Consent Agenda

5.1 Minutes from Previous Meeting

5.1.1 Regular Meeting – March 21, 2023

5.1.2 Workshop Meeting – April 4, 2023

5.2 Expenditure Reports – March 1 through March 31, 2023

5.3 Personnel Matters

5.3.1 Overnight Travel/Extended Stay

5.3.1.1 Trotwood Battle of the Bands, Trotwood, Ohio.

Staff Gregory Walker, Natalie Craig and Harper

Woods High School Marching band. April 29, 2023

5.3.1.2 MASB Spring Institute -Stacey White, Reginald Tabron,
Johnetta Tabron, Lansing MI April 28 -April 29, 2023

5.3.1.3 Terry Hughes Behind the Scenes at The Capitol April 18-19, 2023
Lansing, Michigan

5.3.1.4 Business Professionals of America (BPA) National
Leadership Conference, April 26-30, 2023, Anaheim,

California Superintendent Steven McGhee,

Terri Gamlin, Sonja Gipson- Student-Christopher Page, Jordan
Taylor and Deon Rushing

Motion by Terry Hughes supported by Joan Mannino to accept the Consent Agenda as printed.

Consent Agenda Approved 5-5

6.0 Correspondence

7.0 District Presentation

7.1 Student/ Teacher of the Month – Terri Gamlin





Terri Gamlin presented College and Career Students of the Month 11th Grader Cherish Bankhead and 10th Grader Emmanuel Cooper. Teacher of the Month Chef Antonia Johnson.

7.2 Robotics Demonstration- Mr. Charles Hyman

7.3 Math Bee Presentation

Dannon Holly presented Tyrone Elementary's Math Bee winner Imani Sherill. Imani received a plaque and a medal. Imani's Math Teacher Mrs. Caldwell was also present.

Dr. Black presented Harper Woods Middle School Math Bee winner Kailyn Johnson. Imani received a plaque and a medal. Kailyn's math teacher Ms. Hayes.

7.4 23/24 Athletic Complex Ground Breaking Ceremony April 25, 2023

The Athletic Ground Breaking Ceremony was held prior to the Board Meeting

8.0 Public Participation re: Action Items

None

9.0 Action Item(s)

9.1 Final Administrative Non-Renewals

Motion by Terry Hughes and supported by Johnetta Tabron that the Board of Education directs the Superintendent of Schools to issue letters of non-renewal of administrative contracts on or before May 1, 2023.

Motion passes 5-5

9.2 Consideration of Layoff Notification for Teachers

Motion by Terry Hughes supported by Reginald Tabron that the Board approves the recommendation NOT to issue Lay Off notices.

Motion passes 5-5

10.0 Board Items

10.1 Sub Committee Reports

10.1.1 Building & Site

Stacey White reported that there will be a Building and Site Meeting next month.

10.1.2 Policy

Steven McGhee reported next month will be the First Reading of policy updates

10.1.3 Finance

Terry Hughes reported there will be a meeting next month.

10.1.4 Community Relations

Terry Hughes reported there will be a meeting next month and a Mother's Day Event.





10.1.5 Superintendent Evaluation
None

11.0 Report of the Superintendent

Superintendent Steven McGhee reported that High School student Tiana Nelson art work is featured at the High School and she is also the DIA winner and her artwork will be exhibited for a year at the Detroit Institute of Arts. The High School has tested 98% of the 11th graders and have exceeded the State's requirement of 95%. The National Honors Society 2023 Induction Ceremony will be held this Thursday at 6:00 p.m. Girls' Softball Team is doing great 7-1. Wednesday April 26th four students will be traveling to Anaheim California to compete in the BPA Competition with CTE instructor and advisor Sonja Gipson. Esports program first year of E-sports program congratulated student and teacher for competing in the Eastern Regional 2K Finals.

12.0 Public Participation

The Harper Woods Board of Education highly values the input of citizens in making important decisions that affect the children of our community. We also believe in the rights of citizens to observe Board Meetings. To ensure that all of our citizens have the opportunity to attend School Board Meetings and offer comments, and to ensure that the Board can conduct the important business of the district, we ask that speakers follow the guidelines for making public comments.

Please respect the following procedures for Public Participation:

1. All members of the public attending School Boards Meetings must treat each other and the Board with respect.
2. State your full name and address.
3. Submit your questions to the Board of Education with your name, address and telephone number where you can be contacted. Your questions will be answered within a reasonable time.
4. Individuals offering citizen comment are not permitted to make personal attacks on any District employee, Board Member, other testifier or member of the public.
5. Failure to adhere to the above procedures can result in immediate removal from the meeting.
Please keep all comments to 3 minutes or less.

Ms. Black commented on how wonderful the Harper Woods Board meeting and commended Harper Woods on the E-Sports program

13.0 Matters of Interest to Board Members

Reginald Tabron congratulated everyone student and teacher of the month and Math Bee winners.

Johnetta Tabron congratulated the teacher and students of the month as well as the Math Bee participants.

Terry Hughes attended the Behind the Scenes at the Capitol and reported that new Bills are being passed.

14.0 Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:09 pm.



**UNAPPROVED MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 25, 2023
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF HARPER WOODS**



*Respectfully submitted
Johnetta Tabron*

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