

**Joint Educational Services in Special Education Regular Board Meeting
Tuesday, October 3, 2023**

10:00 a.m. EST Plymouth Administration Office
JESSE meeting follows the North Central CTE meeting.

AGENDA

1.0 Organization of Meeting

1.1 Call to Order - Mitch Mawhorter, President called the meeting to order at 11:55 a.m.

Members present for the meeting were:

Ned Speicher, Argos
Karen Shuman, Culver
Chris Winchell, John Glenn
Greg Mikulich, Knox
Kelly Shepherd, North Judson San Pierre
Bill Bennett, Oregon Davis
Mitch Mawhorter, Plymouth
Jeremy Riffle, Triton
Angela Piazza, Union North
Tresa Hammond, JESSE Interim Director

1.2 Recognition of Visitors – Mitch Mawhorter recognized the visitor: Jennifer Felke, CTE Director,

1.3 Agenda of the October 3, 2023 Regular Session Meeting

2.0 Consent Items - Any Board member may request that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar and voted on separately.

2.1 Approve Minutes of the September 11, 2023 JESSE Board Meeting

2.2 Report of Resignation/Retirements - None

2.3 Report of New Hires - None

2.4 Approval of Claims - Not available

Karen Shuman made a motion to approve the Consent items as stated above. Ned Speicher seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

3.0 Informational Items

3.1 Director's Remarks

Tresa Hammond shared the JESSE website was not working properly.

Compiled JESSE Inventory Sheets were distributed to the Superintendents.

4.0 Action Items

4.1 Outside Contact – Heather Ahlemeyer, OT, less than 20 hours/wk. Plymouth, \$55/per hour.

Chris Winchell made a motion to approve Action Item 4.1. Jeremy Riffle seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

4.2 Outside Contract – Nicole Burns, Interpreter, Culver \$45 per hour.

Ned Speicher made a motion to approve the Action Item 4.2. Chris Winchell seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

4.3 Outside Contract-Pamela Shafer, MA/CCC-A, Culver, Listening/Spoken Language Skills \$80 per hour

4.4 Outside Contract - United Health Services, Culver, Interpreter Services for Extra Curricular, \$75 per hour

4.5 Outside Contract - The League Deaf Link - Culver, Interpreter Services \$63.33 per hour \$475/day

Agenda items 4.3, 4.4, 4.5 were tabled. Ned Speicher made the motion and Kelly Shepherd seconded the motion. The motion passed to table the items until the next Board meeting.

5.0 Other Business

5.1 Individual Superintendent Remarks - None

5.2 The next JESSE Board Meeting date is scheduled for Monday, November 13, 2023 at Plymouth Administration at 10:00 AM EST following North Central CTE.

6.0 Adjournment

A motion was made at 12:25 p.m. by Bill Bennett to adjourn the meeting. Kelly Shepherd seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Ned Speicher, Argos



Mrs. Karen Shuman, Culver



Mr. Greg Mikulich, Knox

Mr. William Bennett, Oregon Davis, Secretary




Mr. Jeremy Riffle, Triton



Mr. Chris Winchell, John Glenn, Vice President



Mr. Kelly Shepherd, NJSP



Mr. Mitch Mawhorter, Plymouth, President

Dr. Angela Piazza, Union-North