

## MINUTES- JACKSON LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION- JULY 26, 2021

- A. A work session of the Jackson Local School District Board of Education was held Tuesday, July 26, 2021, at 8:00 a.m. at Jackson High School. The following members were present: Douglas, Gindlesberger, Goff, Wright, and Winkhart.
- B. President Gindlesberger led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- C. Board Member Winkhart was excused at 9:05am.
- D. Superintendent DiLoreto discussed the following informational topics with the Board:

**Celebrations of Jackson Local Schools** - Superintendent DiLoreto highlighted several key areas in which JLSD excelled, including recognition of academic performance, athletics and school safety as well as successes for JSA, Band and Choir.

**Student Performance** - Superintendent DiLoreto led discussion related to HB 82 changes affecting state report cards over the next few years. Mr. DiLoreto discussed learning gaps created by the COVID-19 pandemic.

**Resource Management**- Superintendent DiLoreto reviewed resource management cost avoidance with the JLSD energy conservation program. Assistant Superintendent, Barry Mason, highlighted capital improvements scheduled for the coming year.

**Governance** - Superintendent DiLoreto discussed the fair school funding plan and its effect on the Jackson Local School District. Other areas of discussion included recent U.S Supreme Court rulings related to educational settings, Title VI and IX.

**Communication and Collaboration** - Superintendent DiLoreto discussed the various partnerships that the district has with the Jackson Local Schools Foundation, Jackson Township Trustees, The Canton Regional Chamber and Stark Parks. Two major events, The Polar Bear Plunge and St Baldrick's were highlighted. District Communications Director, Todd Porter, explained the district's social media platforms and how they have grown. Mr. DiLoreto reviewed the levy results from May.

**School Safety and Security** - Superintendent DiLoreto began the discussion on safety and security by introducing David Morgan and his team. It was noted that Jackson Local School District was ranked the No. 1 safest school district in Stark County by Niche. Building SRO's were mentioned.

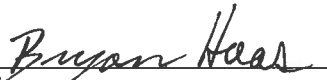
**Township Economic Development with Randy Gonzalez** - Township Fiscal Officer, Randy Gonzalez, led a discussion on economic development in Jackson Township. He expressed gratitude for the supportive relationship between Jackson Township and the Jackson Local School District.

21.92 Moved by Douglas, seconded by Wright to adjourn the work session at 10:52 am.

Douglas, yes; Wright, yes; Goff, yes; Gindlesberger, yes. Motion carried.

  
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