Regular Meeting April 25, 2022
Worthington Education Center 7:30 p.m.

The Worthington Board of Education met for a Regular Meeting on the 25th day of April, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.

President Lloyd called the meeting to order and asked Vice-President Wilson to chair the meeting per Bylaw 0163 due to her attendance via Zoom.

Mrs. Best present
Mrs. Davis present
Mrs. Hudson present

Mrs. Lloyd present (via Zoom)

Mr. Wilson present

A-1-c Pledge of Allegiance

<u>22-071</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution to approve the agenda of the regular Board of Education meeting with the following deletion:

a. The One-Year Contract, Item C-2-c, on page 6

Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

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Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

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None

Motion Passed

B-1-a Visitor Comments

There were no visitor comments.

B-1-b Curriculum Resource Recommendation

The administration recommends the adoption of curriculum resources to replace those that have become outdated and/or which are no longer suitable for use in the instructional program.

Angie Adrean, Assistant Superintendent of Academics, Brian Geniusz, Science, Health and Physical Education Curriculum Leader, and Kelly Wegley, Director of AAPL and Social Studies Coordinator, presented the recommended textbooks for the 2022-2023 school year for Science and Social Studies. A brief description of these materials can be found in Enclosure B-1-b.

Resources are being recommended for Grades 1-5 Science, Grades 6-8 Science, AP Biology, and AP European History.

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Textbooks will be available at the Old Worthington Library, the Northwest Library, the Worthington Park Library, and the Worthington Education Center until these adoptions are acted upon by the board at the next meeting.

B-1-c Levy Discussion

Treasurer TJ Cusick continued a discussion regarding operating and capital levy scenarios.

B-1-d Electronic Board Meeting Management Software

The board discussed the use of BoardDocs, a paperless meeting and governance software.

B-1-e Visitor Comment Statement

The board discussed a proposed statement regarding its values and expectations as they pertain to visitor comments.

<u>B-1-f</u> <u>Board/Committee Reports and Announcements</u>

Mrs. Best attended PTAC meeting and they discussed diverse texts and curriculums.

Mrs. Hudson attended the Insurance Committee meeting and said that we continue to have a successful self-funded health plan.

Mr. Wilson attended the national NSBA conference and thanked the board for approving his attendance. He said that OSBA Leadership Institute meeting is next week. He said the Worthington Truth Racial Healing Transformation Coalition asked about a liaison for its next meeting. He also had a Curriculum Liaison Committee meeting and said it was truly awesome.

<u>22-072</u> Mrs. Davis made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 28, 2022 regular board meeting as indicated in Enclosure C-1-a.

Mrs. Hudson seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ayes

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

Nays

None

Motion Passed

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<u>22-073</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution to authorize the following appropriation transfers (modifications), as presented by the Treasurer.

FUND OBJECT AMOUNT

001 100-Personal Services

200-Benefit

400-Purchased Services (\$57,626.50) 500-Supplies \$57,626.50

600-Equipment 800-Dues/Fees

900-Other Uses of Funds

TOTAL \$0.00

Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

<u>Ayes</u>

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

<u>Nays</u> None

Motion Passed

<u>22-074</u> Mrs. Davis moved the adoption of a resolution whereby items C-2-a through C-2-e be approved, as presented by the Superintendent.

C-2-a Resignations

Recommended motion: "...to accept the following resignations:

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

NameAssignmentReasonFOX, CINDYPrincipalRetirement

Effective 07/31/2022 Bluffsview Elementary

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

NameAssignmentReasonALY, ROSE-MARIAMLanguage Arts TeacherPersonal

Effective 08/10/2022 Worthington Kilbourne HS

GRAY, KAYLA School Psychologist Personal

Effective 08/10/2022 Special Education

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NameAssignmentReasonGUTHRIE, JAKEI/S ConsultantPersonal

Effective 07/31/2022 Special Education

JOHNSON, CHRISTINA L. Grade 2 Teacher Retirement
Effective 05/31/2022 Brookside Elementary

KARCH, ALEXANDRIA Kindergarten Teacher Personal

Effective 08/10/2022 Worthington Park Elem

KREMNITZER, MOLLY RAE Intervention Specialist Funding moving to

Effective 08/10/2022 Worthington Christian HS ESCCO

HARROLD, HANNAH Grade 3 Teacher Personal

Effective 08/10/2022 Granby Elementary

SCHULTZ, CHERYL Reading Teacher Funding moving to

Effective 08/10/2022 Worthington Christian ESSCO

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

NameAssignmentReasonATWOOD, CAROLBus DriverRetirement

Effective 06/30/2022 Transportation

CREGO, CODY Custodian Personal

Effective 03/29/2022 McCord Middle School

SAVAGE, JERRY Bus Driver Retirement

Effective 06/30/2022 Transportation

SOPPELSA, BRIAN Bus Driver Personal"

Effective 05/25/2022 Transportation

C-2-b Leave of Absence

Recommended motion: "...to grant the following leaves of absence:

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

Name Assignment Reason
SEILING, ALEXANDRA Principal Unpaid leave"

Effective 08/01/2022 Worthington Hills Elementary

08/01/2022 Worthington Hills Elementary 07/31/2023

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C-2-c Employment

Recommended motion: "...to employ the following personnel:

ADMINISTRATIVE CONTRACTS

To renew the contracts of the following administrators and to authorize the board president and the treasurer to enter into a limited contract with the named administrators under Section 3319.02 of the Ohio Revised Code for the dates and terms indicated:

Two-year Contracts, Effective August 1, 2022 Through July 31, 2024

Erica Backhurst Assistant High School Principal Adrienne Carr Assistant High School Principal Jeff Collett Chief Technology Officer Bryan Cottrill **Assistant Treasurer** Patrick Garrity **Elementary Principal** Julie Gulley **Elementary Principal**

Kimberly Marani **Director of Special Education**

Elementary Principal Mary Rykowski

Toya Spencer Director of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Three-year Contracts, Effective August 1, 2022 Through July 31, 2025

Joshua Almanson Assistant High School Principal

Craig Belair **Elementary Principal** Sherril Berridge **Elementary Principal**

Megan Kirsten Assistant Middle School Principal Kenneth Nally Assistant Middle School Principal

Four-year Contracts, Effective August 1, 2022 Through July 31, 2026

Randy Banks Assistant Superintendent Christina Brinson Coordinator Special Education Jeffrey Eble **Director of Business Services Timothy Gehring** Director of Facility Management Neil Gupta **Director of Secondary Education**

Nathan Kellenberger Middle School Principal Michael Kuri Middle School Principal Jeffrey Maddox **Director Human Resources**

Four-year Contracts, Effective August 1, 2022 Through July 31, 2026 Kelly Wegley Director Academic Achievement PD

Jenny Wielinski **Elementary Principal**

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ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

<u>Name</u> <u>Assignment</u> <u>Reason</u>

HASEBROOK, CHRISTOPHER Principal Retire/Rehire

Effective 08/01/2022 Linworth

07/31/2023 Salary \$105,834.00 FTE 1.00 Days 260.00

GUTHRIE, JAKE Coordinator New Position

Effective 08/01/2022 Special Education Alternative licensing as 07/31/2024 Salary \$99,202.00 Administrative Specialist

FTE 1.00 Days 260.00 will be requested

OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE CONTRACTS

To renew the contracts of the following administrators and to authorize the board president and the treasurer to enter into a limited contract with the named other administrators under Section 3319.02 of the Ohio Revised Code for the dates and terms indicated:

Two-year Contracts, Effective August 1, 2022 Through July 31, 2024

Thomas Anderson Transportation Specialist
Lucas Gladman End User Support Manager
Kenneth Hall Building Maintenance Specialist

Ralph Johnson Network Engineer Thomas Plassman Database Specialist

Stephan Ruckman Custodial Services Specialist

Abby Ryan EMIS Coordinator

Donald Taylor III Communication Specialist/Webmaster

Isaac Ulery Accountant Leanna Wilcox Personnel Analyst

OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

Recommended motion: "...to employ the following other administrative personnel for a period of two years, under 3319.02 of the Ohio Revised Code, effective May 2, 2022, through July 31, 2024:

Name Assignment Reason
STEINGASS, BRITTANY Personnel Analyst Fill vacancy

Effective 05/02/2022 Human Resources- WEC

07/31/2024 Salary \$70,000.00 FTE 1.00 Days 260

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CERTIFIED PERSONNEL - CONTINUING CONTRACTS

The personnel indicated in Enclosure C-2-c-1 have been recommended by their school principals and approved by the superintendent for placement on continuing contract. To be eligible for a continuing contract, a teacher must hold a five-year license and have taught in the school district for three years for an initial continuing contract or have taught for two years in the district if a continuing contract was held in another district. The administration recommends continuing contracts for 25 staff members. A copy of this enclosure is available in the Treasurer's Office.

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL - LIMITED CONTRACTS AND SALARY NOTICES

One-year limited contracts will be issued to the personnel listed in Enclosure C-2-c-2 for the 2022-2023 school year, representing a total of 327.40 full-time equivalent certified staff positions. Salary notices listed in Enclosure C-2-c-3 will be issued to certified personnel on continuing contract status, representing a total 424 of full-time equivalent certified staff positions. Copies of these enclosures are available in the Treasurer's Office."

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

Name BOWMAR, HAYDEN Effective 08/15/2022	Assignment Industrial Technology 7-12 Perry Middle Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00	Reason Filling vacant position
GAZETTE, CARLEY Effective 08/15/2022	FTE 1.00 Days 186.00 Kindergarten Teacher Bluffsview/Colonial Hills Class 01 Step 002 Salary \$53,378.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant position
HAWK, EMILY Effective 08/15/2022	Spanish Teacher Worthington Kilbourne Class 01 Step 002 Salary \$53,378.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant positon
LATSHAW, HANNAH Effective 08/15/2022	Grade 5 Teacher Colonial Hills Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	New Position

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Name LUSTGARTEN, BETH Effective 08/15/2022	Assignment Science Teacher Worthington Kilbourne Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Reason Filling vacant position
PILKINGTON, EMMA Effective 08/15/2022	Grade 2 Teacher Colonial Hills Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant positon
PONCE, SIMON Effective 08/15/2022	Social Studies Teacher Perry Middle Class 02 Step 000 Salary \$50,251.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant position
RETTA, MATTHEW Effective 08/15/2022	Computer Science Teacher Worthington Kilbourne Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant position
SABA, COURTNEY Effective 08/15/2022	Counselor Worthington Park Class 04 Step 003 Salary \$60,106.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant position
SAUNDERS, CAMRYN Effective 08/15/2022	Family Consumer Science Teacher Worthington Kilbourne Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	New position
WILSON, CLAIRE Effective 08/15/2022	Mathematics Teacher Perry Middle Class 01 Step 000 Salary \$48,787.00 FTE 1.00 Days 186.00	Filling vacant position

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CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

NameAssignmentReasonCLARK, KAITLYNTechnology TechnicianFill vacancy

Effective 05/02/2022 Technology Services- WEC

Class 12 Step D Salary \$24.30/hr.

Full-time

DEMAS, ADAM Mechanic Fill vacancy

Effective 05/02/2022 Transportation Class 13 Step 0

Salary \$22.77/hr.

Part-time

HARPER, LAKEYSHA Bus Driver Fill vacancy

Effective 05/02/2022 Transportation
Class 13 Step H
Salary \$27.22/hr.

Part-time

MILLER, ANDREA Special Ed Asst. Fill vacancy

Effective 04/18/2022 TWHS/Worthington Hills

Class 10 Step D Salary \$22.93/hr.

Full-time

MOOMAU, CHRISTINE Custodian Fill vacancy

Effective 04/25/2022 Thomas Worthington HS

Class 7 Step A Salary \$20.15/hr.

Full-time

PRICE, JOHN Mechanic Fill vacancy

Effective 04/18/2022 Transportation
Class 13 Step H

Salary \$27.22/hr.

Full-time

SMITH, FORMAN Custodian Fill vacancy

Effective 03/28/2022 Worthington Kilbourne HS

Class 7 Step C Salary \$21.08/hr.

Full-time

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Name Assignment Reason WADE, JONATHAN **Bus Driver** Fill vacancy Effective 04/01/2022 **Transportation**

> Class 13 Step H Salary \$27.22/hr.

Part-time

HOME INSTRUCTION 2021-22

To employ the following personnel as required by IEP's at a rate of \$24/hour on an as needed basis:

Batterson, Paul Ellis, Jeanne Gratz, Andrea Katris, Erica Martin, Jordan Sycher, Darryl

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\$15.74/hr.

Effective Date Position Name/Pay Rate

Sub Food Service ADREAN, EVELYN 04/18/2022 \$12.53/HR.

HARPER, LAKEYSHA 03/24/2022 Sub Bus Driver

\$20.49/hr.

HUTCHINSON, JEREMY 04/04/2022 Sub Custodian \$15.74/hr.

SMITH, JAMES E. 03/28/2022 Sub Custodian

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL - PROVISIONAL

Assignment Reason Name

BOLIN, JOHN Bus Driver Trainee To be paid \$20.49 per hour. Effective 04/07/2022 Transportation Upon successful licensing and three months of employment to be

compensated \$480.

FOWLS, RANDY **Bus Driver Trainee** To be paid \$20.49 per hour. Effective 04/01/2022 **Transportation** Upon successful licensing and three months of

employment to be compensated \$480.

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Name SEED, ROBERT Effective 03/30/2022 SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS	Assignment Bus Driver Tra Transportation			- (6	Jpor and t empl	on e paid \$20.49 per hour. n successful licensing hree months of oyment to be pensated \$480.
		Name				Total
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Worthington Kilbourne HS Lacrosse Boys Assistant Coach		JACKSO 2.50	N, DA 1	ANE 686.09		1715.23
Lacrosse Boys Assistant Coach		MILLER, 1.50	JAYC 1	E PATRI 686.09	CK	1029.14
Lacrosse Boys Assistant Coach		WATSO 2.50	N, CA 6	MERON 875.67	CHF	RISTOPHER 2189.18
Thomas Worthington HS Track Boys/Girls Assistant Coach		LUTHY, 3.00	BRIAI 13	N H. 1097.82	2	3293.46
Baseball Boys Assistant Coach		HOFACI 1.50	RE, M	ATTHEW 975.41	/	1463.12
Baseball Boys Assistant Coach		FINN, Co 1.00	OLLIN 5	l 833.92		833.92
Baseball Boys Assistant Coach		MCCLAI 2.00	N, JEI 8	FFREY 946.97		1893.94
Lacrosse Girls Assistant Coach		BOGAAI 3.50	RDS, I	MACKEN 756.42	IZIE	2647.47
Lacrosse Girls Assistant Coach		HORNEI 3.50	R, JOH 4	HN 794.27		2779.95
Lacrosse Boys Assistant Coach		BUZZEL 4.00	LI, CC 2	NNOR 720.40		2881.60
Lacrosse Boys Assistant Coach		HAWKII 5.00	NS, EF 4	RIC 794.27		3971.35
Volleyball Boys Assistant Coach		BOWER 2.00	, ERIN 3	1 756.42		1512.84

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Name Total Position Unit Step Pay/Unit Pay

Kilbourne Middle School

Track-Middle School Assistant Coach COWGILL, ABIGAIL

3.00 0 658.44 1975.32

Track-Middle School Assistant Coach JONES, KHALIL

3.00 1 686.09 2058.27"

<u>C-2-d</u> <u>Contract Adjustments</u>

Recommended motion: "...to adjust the following contracts:

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

Name/Assignment BURKE, HOBERT Effective 04/18/2022	From Bus Driver Transportation Class 13 Step D Salary \$25.02/hr. Part-time 5.0 hours	To Bus Driver Transportation Class 13 Step D Salary \$25.02/hr. Full-time 7.0 hours	Reason Fill vacancy
MCCREADY, MATTHEW Effective 04/18/2022	Bus Driver Transportation Class 13 Step E Salary \$25.52/hr. Full-time 7.75 hours	Landscape Maint Wkr Landscape/Delivery Class 10 Step A Salary \$21.38/hr. Full-time 8.0 hours	Fill vacancy"

C-2-e Approval of Supplemental Volunteers

Recommended motion: "...to approve the following individuals as volunteers of the Worthington School District, and to extend the appreciation of the board and administration for their service to students and staff:

James Ash Craig Hartman Eric Isler

Andrew Orlins Abigail Simpson"

Mrs. Hudson seconded the motion.

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Roll Call:

<u>Ayes</u>

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

<u>Nays</u>

None

Motion Passed

<u>22-075</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution to accept the donations from the individuals and organizations listed below and to extend the board of education's and administration's appreciation to the individuals and members of these groups for their generosity and support.

<u>Name</u>	Donation Value	<u>Beneficiary</u>	Purpose/Gift
Sylvester, Bill and Lisa	\$1,000.00	Worthington City Schools	Drew Strong Scholarship Donation
Sylvester, William	\$200.00	Worthington City Schools	Drew Strong Scholarship Donation
Koontz, Julie and Tracy	\$200.00	Slate Hill Elementary School Library	Cash Donation in Memory of Char Kochensparger
Wolves Athletic Association	\$50.00	Worthington Schools	Cash Donation
Rutter, Jeff and Wendy	\$50.00	Worthington Park Elementary School	Cash for Recorders
Ashford, Nancy	\$25.00	Colonial Hills Elementary School	Cash Donation
Wolves Athletic Association	\$5,735.24	Worthington BOE	Cash Donation
TWHS Boys Lacrosse Boosters	e \$7,966.55	Worthington BOE	Cash Donation
TWHS Diamond Club	\$4,872.02	Worthington BOE	Cash Donation
TWHS Spikers	\$1,758.68	Worthington BOE	Cash Donation
TWHS Girls Lacrosse	\$6,309.37	Worthington BOE	Cash Donation

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Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ayes

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

Nays

None

Motion Passed

<u>22-076</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a to approve the design serves agreement with Schorr Architects, Inc. to provide design and related construction administration services for work on the District's Building Program – Phase 2 Project.

Mrs. Davis seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ayes

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

<u>Nays</u>

None

Motion Passed

ACTIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

<u>22-077</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution to approve a memorandum of agreement between the Board of Education and the Worthington Education Support Professionals (WESP) reflecting recent legislative recognition of Juneteenth as a paid holiday. As outlined in Enclosure D-1-a."

Mrs. Davis seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Aves

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

Nays

None

Motion passed

<u>22-078</u> Mrs. Davis moved the adoption of a resolution to amend section 6 of the Compensation and Fringe Benefits Agreement with Administrative Personnel and the Compensation and Fringe Benefits Agreement with Other Administrative Personnel as approved August 10, 2020 and August 24, 2020, respectively, to include Juneteenth as a paid holiday reflective of recent legislation.

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Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ayes

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

Nays

None

Motion Passed

<u>22-079</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution approving a tax increment financing resolution to be passed by Worthington City Council between the City of Worthington and DRP Worthington LP, approving a Compensation Agreement with the City of Worthington, waiving statutory notice periods, and providing related authorizations.

Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

<u>Ayes</u>

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

Nays

None

Motion Passed

<u>22-080</u> Mrs. Hudson moved the adoption of a resolution for the Board to enter into executive session to consider the purchase of property for public purposes and to consider confidential information related to the marketing plans, specific business strategy, production techniques, trade secrets, or personal financial statements of an applicant for economic development assistance, or to negotiations with other political subdivisions respecting requests for economic development assistance and for the purpose of discussing employment, dismissal, appointment, promotion, demotion, compensation, or investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee.

Mrs. Best seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

<u>Ayes</u>

Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. Wilson

<u>Nays</u>

None

Motion Passed

The Board entered executive session at 9:06 p.m.

The public meeting reconvened at 11:15 p.m.

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22-081 Board.		7:30 p.m. eing no further business to come before th	ıe	
Mrs. Bes	st seconded the motion.			
	Roll Call: <u>Ayes</u> Mrs. Best, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Lloy <u>Nays</u> None Motion Passed	[,] d, Mr. Wilson		
The mee	eting was adjourned at 11:16 p.m.			
	of the meeting described in these minutes are rec and available for inspection in the office of the Tr			
Approve	ed:	President		
Approve	ed:	Treasurer		