

# BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT

MARCH 2023

The CSIU Board of Directors conducted its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 15 at the CSIU central office.

## DIRECTORS

### Benton Area:

William Pasukinis

### Berwick Area:

Susy Wiegand

### Bloomsburg Area:

Jonathan Jones

### Central Columbia:

Bruce E. Rhoads,  
President

### Danville Area:

Vacant

### Lewisburg Area:

Mary Ann Stanton

### Line Mountain:

Lauren Hackenburg

### Mid-West:

Victor L. Abate

### Mifflinburg Area:

Dennis Keiser,  
Vice President

### Millville Area:

Vacant

### Milton Area:

Dr. Alvin Weaver

### Mount Carmel Area:

William Brecker

### Selinsgrove Area:

David Hess

### Shamokin Area:

Jeffrey Kashner

### Shikellamy:

Slade Shreck,  
Secretary

### Southern Columbia Area:

Gregory Klebon

### Warrior Run:

Tamara Hoffman,  
Treasurer

## SPOTLIGHT SEGMENT

**Dr. Alan Hack**, Assistant Executive Director/Chief Academic Officer, and **Terri Locke**, Director of Special Education and Alternative Placement, shared a video with directors highlighting the range of special education programs and services available to local districts through the lens of the CSIU's value of excellence.

## BOARD GOVERNANCE MATTERS

Directors approved the following items:

- **Mrs. Susan Myers**, Millville Area School District, as its CSIU Board representative to complete the balance of an unexpired term, effective March 16, 2023 through June 30, 2025;
- **Mrs. Mary Ann Stanton**, Lewisburg Area School District, as the CSIU Board of Directors representative to the Next Century, Inc. Board to replace **Mr. William Brecker**, Mount Carmel Area School District; and
- 2023-24 CSIU Board of Directors meeting schedule.

## BUDGET AND FINANCE MATTERS

CSIU directors accepted monthly financial reports and approved payment requests for February 2023.

## TECHNOLOGY/MARKETPLACE MATTERS

Directors approved Keystone Purchasing Network (KPN) definite quantity line-item bids for art, cafeteria and general supply categories for the 2023-24 purchasing cycle.

## HUMAN RESOURCES MATTERS

Directors approved four new staff members:

- **Priscilla Cruz**, as Migrant Education student support and recruitment specialist;
- **Tanya M. Gallagher**, as career counselor specialist;
- **Stacey Losell**, as career counselor specialist; and
- **Laynie Lyons**, as PIMS client support specialist.

the following changes in start date:

- **Christen Benjo**, behavior intervention assistant, from Feb. 27, 2023 to March 2, 2023;
- **Jeffrey J. Myers Jr.**, Corrections Education program principal, from March 1, 2023 to Feb. 21, 2023; and
- **Marsha L. Taylor**, career counselor specialist, from Feb. 27, 2023 to March 1, 2023.

the following rescinded acceptance of job offer:

- **Tanya Gallagher**, as career counselor specialist.



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the following rescinded resignation:

- **Alison Shughart**, as Out-of-School-Time professional learning and instruction coordinator.

the following retirements:

- **Debra G. Boyer**, as Early Head Start/Head Start operations assistant;
- **Eleanor S. Diehl**, as regional team supervisor; and
- **Laura S. Klinger**, as Head Start assistant instructor.

the following resignations:

- **Karen L. Bobeck**, as Early Head Start nurse/health monitor;
- **Stacy Losell**, as career counselor specialist; and
- **Soraida Padilla**, as Head Start assistant instructor.

Directors also approved the following:

- employment of two part-time, non-instructional employees: **Soniris Arroyo**, as Migrant Education student support specialist; and **Matthew Shomaker**, as Migrant Education student support specialist;
- one position transfer: **Soraida Padilla**, as Head Start assistant instructor (full-time) to Migrant Education student support specialist (part-time);
- resignations from two part-time employees: **Brenda J. Edwards**, as data management and child accounting support services administrator; and **Owen B. Keister**, as facilities support assistant; and
- employment of one substitute aide for the 2022-23 school year.

## **EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM MATTERS**

Directors approved the Head Start and Early Head Start Monthly Report for December 2022 and the submission of Northumberland Area Head Start/Early Head Start Self-Assessment Plan: February 2023.

## **NEXT MEETING**

The next regular meeting of the board is scheduled for **Wednesday, April 19, 2023** at 7 p.m. at the CSIU central office.