

AMENDED



**ASHLAND CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

Special Meeting

Wednesday, September 15, 2021

6:00 p.m.

**Ashland City School District Administrative Offices
Samaritan Hospital Foundation Conference Room
1407 Claremont Avenue
Ashland, Ohio 44805**

I. ROLL CALL

Mrs. Deppert Dr. Gingrich Mrs. Steffen Mr. Truax Mr. Wells

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A. Motion to approve the agenda as presented

OR

B. Motion to approve the agenda with addendum items presented

MOTION _____ SECOND _____

Mrs. Deppert Dr. Gingrich Mrs. Steffen Mr. Truax Mr. Wells

Carried _____ Failed _____ to _____

IV. NEW BUSINESS

A. Mask Mandate

Consider a mask mandate in the Ashland City School District for staff, students and visitors for six (6) weeks, effective September 16, 2021 for all indoor district buildings and school buses.

MOTION _____ SECOND _____

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Carried _____ Failed _____ to _____

B. Mask Mandate

Consider a mask mandate in the Ashland City School District for staff, students and visitors in district buildings where children age 11 and under attend school and on school buses for children age 11 and under for six (6) weeks, effective September 16, 2021.

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Carried _____ Failed _____ to _____

C. Modification of Quarantine Protocol

Consider the Ashland City School District modify the current quarantine protocol, effective September 16, 2021 with the following:

- Students who are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 are quarantined (isolated) until recovered from symptoms or have a negative COVID-19 antigen test.
- Students who are positive to a COVID-19 antigen test are quarantined (isolated) for ten (10) days or once they test negative to a COVID-19 antigen test the student can be released from quarantine.

- If a student has close contact with a person at school who has tested positive for COVID-19, the administration will contact the student’s parent/caregiver to inform them the student was in close contact with a positive person. In accordance with CDC guidelines, the parent/caregiver should consider the close contact student be tested with a COVID-19 antigen test after 48 hours. If the student tests positive, they will quarantine per the above procedures. Parents/caregivers should continue to monitor the close contact student for symptoms of COVID-19.
- Close contacts are not quarantined and are eligible to participate in all school activities. Parents/caregivers should continue to monitor the close contact student for symptoms of COVID-19.
- If a close contact student does quarantine voluntarily, they will not face penalties if work is made up.

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Carried _____ Failed _____ to _____

V. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION _____ SECOND _____

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Carried _____ Failed _____ to _____

IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, September 27, 2021	Regular Board of Education Meeting	Adm. Offices	5:30 p.m.
October Work Session	TBD		
Monday, October 25, 2021	Regular Board of Education Meeting	Adm. Offices	5:30 p.m.