

# SPARTA COMMUNITY UNIT DISTRICT #140

## BOARD HIGHLIGHTS



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Larry Beattie, Superintendent

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*The following is a brief summary of the Board of Education meeting held on June 9, 2016.*

### PERSONNEL

The Board accepted the resignation of Natalie Higerson as Teacher at Sparta Lincoln School.

The Board also accepted the retirement request of Pamela Steele as Secretary at Sparta Lincoln School.

The Board also accepted the retirement request of Carol Sandow as Para-Professional at Sparta High School.

April Zimmermann resigned as Junior Class Sponsor for Sparta High School.

Jonathan Norton resigned as Head Baseball Coach at Sparta Lincoln School.

Kelsey Renner was employed as a Special Education Teacher at Sparta Lincoln School.

The 2016-2017 extra-curricular recommendations for Sparta High School and Evansville Attendance Center were approved as presented.

### FINANCE

The trash removal bid from Quivey Sanitation was approved in the amount of \$870 per month.

The copier paper bid from Midland Paper of Wheeling, Illinois, was approved for the district in the amount of \$22.87 per case.

The Board adopted a Resolution abating the working cash fund. The amount of \$400,000 will be permanently transferred to the education fund.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Diane Chambers was awarded the Teacher of the Year Award from the Air Force Association.

Howard Gallois was appointed as the Board Representative for Perandoe Special Education District for the 2016-2017 school year.

Terry Waldron was appointed as the Board Representative for the IASB Governing Board for the 2016-2017 school year.

The Sparta High School curriculum change for the CEO program was approved. Students will receive their Resource Management credit.

The School Improvement Plans for Sparta High School and Sparta Lincoln School were approved as presented.

Dr. Beattie announced that the District will be able to stay open for only 61 days if there is no state aid or K-12 Education Bill next year.

The Board voted no on the change to the District Facilities Use and Rental Agreement. Rich Goddard of the Sparta Little League Football Association addressed the Board about the possible change. The SLLFA can only schedule games on Sundays.

The Joint Annual Meeting for school board members and administrators will be November 18-20, 2016.

The next regular board meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. on Thursday, July 14, 2016, at Sparta Lincoln School.