

# **SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

MEETING DATE: December 12, 2023

AGENDA ITEM: Budget and Finance Report

**ATTACHMENTS**: Budget and Finance Monthly Report

### TYPE OF AGENDA ITEM:

CONSENT REGULAR X DEPARTMENTAL REPORT/PRESENTATION INFORMATION ONLY - NO DISCUSSIONXINFORMATION ONLY - DISCUSSIONACTION

### BACKGROUND / SUMMARY:

The Office of Budget and Finance monthly report contains information of the department's normal day-to-day activities as well highlights of any special projects/activities/initiatives that are taking place.

### **REQUESTED ACTION:**

No action requested; this report is submitted to the School Board for informational purposes only.

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# BUDGET AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT UPDATE As of November 30, 2023

In addition to the routine daily tasks, Budget and Finance Staff have completed or are working on the following projects:

# PROJECTS COMPLETED

Payroll

- 1. Monthly payroll processing and benefit bill balancing and payment (ongoing).
- 2. Hold weekly meetings with HR to review current FMLA cases (ongoing).
- 3. Provided short-term disability and FMLA consultations for employees (ongoing).
- 4. Provided orientation for new hires (ongoing).
- 5. Provided retirement consultations for employees (ongoing).

## Family and Medical Leave Summary:

Family and Medical Leave	2023-2024	2022-2023	2021-2022	2020-2021
Future Events	8	8	5	10
Current Events	13	15	16	11
Closed Approved Events	26	42	36	69
Did Not Qualify Events	3	16	25	26
Total	50	81	82	116

Budget

- 1. Attended weekly Executive Leadership Team/Cabinet meetings on Wednesday mornings.
- 2. Participated in the Middle Peninsula Regional Board meeting on November 1.
- 3. Participated in the Program of Studies meeting for GHS on December 2.
- 4. Facilitated the VASBO Fall Conference for Regions I, II & III here at TCWEC on November 3.
- 5. Participated in the County Leadership meeting on November 8.
- 6. Met with the newly elected board members on November 13 & 14.
- 7. Participated in Assistant Principal meeting on November 15
- 8. Participated in the DLT & Principal's meeting on November 16.
- 9. Met on the GHS renovation project November 20.
- 10. Met to discuss the award of the School Security Equipment Grant on November 30.
- 11. Worked on the upcoming Special Education audit that is due in December.
- 12. Participated in bi-weekly School Finance Officer discussion meetings via zoom.

### **FUTURE PROJECTS**

### Budget

- 1. DLT & Principals' meeting –December 7.
- 2. Attending the Reverse Vendor Fair held by Gloucester County at the Main Street Library on December 12.
- 3. Budget Review meetings December 14 & 15.
- 4. Parent Advisory meeting December 1.
- 5. Teacher Advisory meeting December 11.
- 6. Complete FY24 Budget Book
- 7. Prepare for FY25 budget season.