...by Dawn's Early Light

Highlights of the LIU Board Meeting of February 6, 2018

- ♦ Call to order: The following members were present: Dennis Dacheux, Sue Heistand, Dustin Martin, Patrick McDonald, Michael Miller, Cory Nade, Paul Politis, James Roberts, Scott Roland, Mark Schur and Carlos Wampler.
- ◆ **Dr. Mark Schur** of the Chambersburg Area School District was appointed and sworn in to fill an unexpired term through June 30, 2018:
- ◆ The Board adopted the **2018-2019 General Operating Budget** in the amount of \$7,479,737.
- ♦ The Board ratified **collective bargaining agreements** with the LIU Education Association and the LIU Education Support Professionals Association effective July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2020.
- ◆ The Board accepted a proposal from **Profound Knowledge Resources to** provide guidance to the Board which will result in a recommendation on the leadership attributes needed in the next Executive Director that will best guide the LIU into the future.
- ◆ Approval was granted for the Innovation Lab to submit a grant application to the Robert C. Hoffman Charitable Endowment Trust for \$30,480, and Doris Schwartz Endowment Fund of the York County Community Foundation for \$71,126, which will provide training for district administrators on research-based strategies and coaching to build leadership capacity and improve student outcomes.

- ◆ The **PAIUnet** Internet Contract for services to the Lincoln Learning Network for 2018-2019 was adopted.
- ◆ Contracts were awarded to Electronic Systems Installers and K&C Communications to provide an emergency radio system installation and security system upgrades for the LIU Central Office.
- ◆ A new job description for **Preschool Data Specialist** was presented for review.
- Dr. Lynn Murphy provided an update on the **Special Education Comprehensive Review** data collected so far, and next steps.
- ♦ In **personnel actions**, Dr. Brad Sterner was named the Director of Educational Services. The board also accepted 5 resignations, and appointed staff to fill 4 professional and 15 support staff positions.
- In other **business actions**, the Board approved all Financial Reports comprised of the Treasurer's Report, Check Register, Payroll Report, and Budget Transfer Report.
- ◆ The **next regular meeting** of the Lincoln Intermediate Unit Board of Directors is Tuesday, **March 6, 2018**, at **7:00 p.m.** at the LIU Central Office in New Oxford.

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