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ELECTION OF OFFICERS HELD

The Board held the annual elections of officers. Mr. James M. Bishop, Jr. and Mrs. Lorraine T. Henry were re-elected as President and Vice President of the Board of Education for 2012.



APPROVED CURRICLA

GERMAN III CURRICULUM

The German III curriculum will be a new course used in both high schools in the 2012-2013 school year to extend the learning opportunities of students currently taking German II.

BOARD ACTIONS

The Board approved the following purchases, contracts, and documents:

- Approval of the revised Capital Asset Inventory Policy 723.0
- Approval of the Server Virtualization Project proposal from Data Networks, Inc., in the amount of \$77,510
- Approval of the Readsters Contract for professional development reading services at Maple and Sandy Hill Elementary Schools, in the amount of \$15,400
- Approval of the contract with PD by PAT (Principals and Teachers) for professional development, in the amount of \$18,830
- Approval of the contract to Vitech Consulting Services, Inc., for e-rate application and related services
- Approval of the replacement of a Board-owed handicapped school bus from i.g. Burton Company, Inc., for \$90,888
- Approval of the MSDE grant for \$32,500, to be used for staff stipends for ESOL certification
- Approval of a sub grant from Montgomery County Public Schools for \$10,140 to be used for professional development stipends and pre and post surveys related to the MD Tech Partnership Efficacy Study
- Approval of a sub grant from Calvert County for \$2,000, to be used to determine whether or not open source learning management systems are a cost-effective and viable learning management system solution

**PERSONNEL ITEMS FOR
JANUARY, 2012**

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Jennifer Schmalzbach, Middle School Mathematics Teacher, South Dorchester School
Effective: February 13, 2012 to March 30, 2012

TENURE

Troy Brohawn, Physical Education Teacher, South Dorchester School
Effective: January 3, 2012

John Petri, Biology Teacher, North Dorchester High School
Effective: January 3, 2012

Raul Schmalzbach, Special Education Teacher, North Dorchester High School
Effective: October 6, 2011

RESIGNATION

Cathleen Maschauer, Kindergarten Teacher, Warwick Elementary School
Effective: January 3, 2012

**NON-CERTIFICATED
PROMOTION**

Barbara Baxter, from Custodian at Warwick Elementary School to Head Custodian at Warwick Elementary School
Effective: December 19, 2011

TRANSFERS

Ferman Butler, from Custodian at Cambridge-South Dorchester Campus to Custodian at Warwick Elementary School
Effective: January 5, 2012

LaTraun Fletcher, Custodian at Choptank Elementary School to Custodian at Cambridge-South Dorchester Campus
Effective: January 5, 2012

Larry Zeigler, Custodian at South Dorchester School to Custodian at Choptank Elementary School
Effective: January 5, 2012