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**Mansfield Board of Education
Finance Committee Meeting
October 12, 2022
DRAFT Minutes**

Attendees: Kathy Ward, Chair, Susannah Everett, Vice-Chair, Martha Kelly, Katherine Paulhus, Peter Dart, Superintendent, Charmaine Bradshaw-Hill, Finance Director

Absent:

The meeting was called to order at 4:00pm by Ms. Ward.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion by Mrs. Kelly, seconded by Ms. Everett to approve the minutes of the September 8, 2022, meeting. One amendment: Hodovan Fund to be discussed at next regular Finance Committee meeting.

Vote: Unanimous in favor.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

INFORMATION, PRESENTATIONS, AND ACTIONS:

Incentives for Transportation

Superintendent Dart discussed a MOU crafted by Shipman and Goodwin, Attorneys at Law, that outlines an agreement between M&J Bus Co. and the Mansfield Board of Education to provide monetary incentives to school bus drivers for specific performance, and monetary incentives for individuals signing on as new drivers. The intent of this incentive initiative is to alleviate school bus issues the district is currently experiencing.

M. Kelly presented information she has researched about school bus driver issues. She requested this information be presented at a future meeting.

Committee recommends the Mansfield Board of Education approve the MOU as written.

Motion to adjourn by Mrs. Kelly, seconded by Ms. Everett.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 4:26pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Ward, Chair