

## Logan County Board Approves Contracts

The Logan County Board of Developmental Disabilities Board recognized David Fromm for 20 years of service to the Board as Facilities Manager at the board meeting on Thursday April 21, 2016. A resolution was passed giving recognition to David Fromm who is retiring April 22, 2016. Dave has been with LCBDD almost 20 years and we want to recognize the wonderful work he has done benefitting the Logan County Board of Developmental Disabilities and the individuals we serve.

Mr. Bauer informed the board that the duties of the Facilities Manager will be shared by a few current employees and with a revised contract with NetGain to expand IT services. A Maintenance Supervisor position shall coordinate, administer, and supervise buildings and grounds maintenance. This position will also administer the day-to-day supervision of the maintenance and custodial staff. The Board approved the Maintenance Supervisor position and the pay scale at the board meeting.

The Board also approved several contracts including a Memorandum of Understanding for Bridges to Transition services. This MOU allows Hardin County Board of Developmental Disabilities to partner with Logan County Board of Developmental Disabilities in the Bridges to Transition Program. The Bridges to Transition Program provides vocational rehabilitation services to school age students between ages 14-22. Hardin County Board of DD will reimburse Logan County Board of DD for their proportionate share of the local match (20.3%) based on staff time and/or caseloads, which includes the sharing of the OOD Regional Counselor. This MOU is effective May 1, 2016 through March 31, 2017.

The next contract approved by the board was the Information Technology Support Services Contract with Michael Stroud. Michael has been providing IT support services to LCBDD for the past several years. This contract is May 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 at the rate of \$45 per hour.

The Logan Housing Corporation is continuing contractual services with the board effective June 1, 2016 through May 31, 2021. The Housing Board assists the board with acquisition, development, and on-going management of residential housing for persons with developmental disabilities in Logan County. The rate for the remainder of 2016 is \$3,035 and will be \$5,200 annually thereafter.

The LCBDD also renewed The Billing Connection contract which allows the comprehensive review of billing for all Ohio Home Care Wavier Billing Services at a rate of \$1.75 per each paid claim. The estimated annual budget is \$500. This contract is effective January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016.

In other board business, Superintendent Bauer discussed the development of another part-time position for an Integrated Youth Services Facilitator. This position will be responsible for the development and ongoing implementation of a comprehensive community engagement plan to expand opportunities for community inclusion and to increase volunteer and community involvement for youth in Logan County. This position will assume a leadership role in the recruitment and coordination of volunteers, the solicitation of in-kind supports, and the development, cultivation and stewardship of organizational relationships with schools, community groups, churches and businesses. The Facilitator is an integral part of the integrated youth services initiative in Logan County. The board approved this position and the pay scale at the board meeting.

In final board business the board reviewed and approved the Discovery Center calendar for the 2016-2017 school year.

Superintendent Bauer also reminded everyone that the Discovery Center will have their Spring Program at the Bellefontaine High School Auditorium on Thursday May 5<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. **A reminder that flower sales need to be in by April 22.** We will be making phone calls to remind everyone to pick up their flowers on Friday May 6<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 6 pm, just in time for Mother's Day.

The next finance committee meeting is scheduled for May 16<sup>th</sup> 2016 at noon at the Logan County Board of DD board office conference room at 1851 St. Rt. 47 West, Bellefontaine. The next board meeting takes place on Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm in the board conference room. These meetings are open to the public.

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