

Finance Committee Meeting Minutes May 6, 2024

The meeting began at 6:00pm.

Members Present: Sam Battle, Trustee; Scott Serazin, Trustee; Maggie Leglise, Trustee; Debby Perkins, Fiscal Officer.

Health Insurance:

- The Committee reviewed EPL's participation in the Stark County Schools' Council of Government health insurance program.
- The State Employment Relations Board (SERB) published a Cost of Health Insurance in Ohio's Public Sector Report for 2023. A comparison of EPL's plan to the state average was reviewed on the following items:
 - Average increases in premiums over the past 4 years
 - Average employer contributions to premiums
 - Total cost of health insurance
 - Plan summary as it relates to deductibles, out of pocket expenses, co-insurance, and prescription coverage.

Fair Labor Standards Act

- On April 23rd the Department of Labor announced the new salary threshold for exempt employees. The threshold will increase in July 2024 and again in January 2025.
- This will impact several members of the EPL management team in January 2025.

Credit Card Statement Review

In accordance with the Credit Card policy, Committee members reviewed and approved the 1st
Quarter Dollar Bank credit card statements and transactions.

The meeting adjourned at 6:50pm.