MINUTES School Board Retreat May 25, 2017

The public retreat meeting of the Board of Directors of the Penn Manor School District was held on the above date in the Audubon Room at Millersville University. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m. by President J. Kenneth Long.

The following members were present: Dr. Richard Frerichs, Mrs. Johnna Friedman, Mr. J. Kenneth Long, Mr. Jeffrey Lyon, Mr. David Paitsel, Mr. Carlton Rintz, Mr. Christopher Straub, and Ms. Donna Wert. Mr. Joseph Fullerton was absent. Dr. Michael Leichliter, Mr. Chris Johnston, and Dr. Philip Gale were present for a portion of the meeting.

There was a discussion about the structure of judicial board hearings.

The board discussed the possibility of contracting with Market Street Sports.

The feasibility of future full day kindergarten was discussed.

From 12:30 until 1:30, the board held an Executive Session to discuss personnel issues.

The board discussed Dr. Leichliter's goals for 2017-2018.

1. Academics

The superintendent will develop a plan to expand kindergarten readiness in the Penn Manor School District.

2. Community Relations and Budget

The superintendent will evaluate and recommend the feasibility of a contract with a professional marketing firm as a revenue source.

3. Co-curricular

The superintendent will develop a plan to maximize the relationship between parent run organizations and the school district.

The board discussed several topics – student ID badges, accountability for curriculum, and board self-assessment.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.	
J. Kenneth Long, President	Cindy Rhoades, Board Secretary