



SOUTH PLAINFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

Committee of the Whole Meeting Agenda
South Plainfield High School
September 11, 2019
6:30 p.m.

South Plainfield Public Schools Mission Statement:

Students are the focus of the South Plainfield Public Schools. We will provide a dynamic, rigorous, relevant and technology-enriched curriculum, guided by the New Jersey Student Learning Standards. Our mission is to develop life-long learners who are prepared to succeed in a global and diverse society. We are resolved to educate the whole child, instilling the desire within our students to question and to become divergent thinkers who can achieve their fullest potential.

- I. CALL TO ORDER - President
- II. SALUTE TO FLAG
- III. ROLL CALL
- IV. BOARD PRESIDENT

In accordance with the terms of the Sunshine Law, adequate notice of this meeting was posted in all school buildings, the Administration Building, Borough Clerk's office, Police Headquarters, Public Library, four newspapers, and W.C.T.C. on January 3, 2019.

Please be advised:

- There is no smoking on school grounds - inside or outside - at any time.
- Please silence all electronic devices.
- Pursuant to District Policy #0167, each statement made by a participant shall be limited to three minutes' duration and no participant may speak more than once on the same topic

- V. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT
 - A. Difference Card Presentation
 - B. Good News and Progress in Our Schools
- VI. AGENDA ADDITIONS AND/OR DELETIONS
 - A. Public Comments on Agenda Items Only

VII. CURRICULUM/STUDENT ACTIVITIES

DISCUSSION

VIII. POLICY

1. Approve the First Reading of Bylaws/Policies/Regulations

Approve the first reading of the following Policy:

A. Policy #2415.04 – District Wide Parental Involvement (revised) – Tab VIII.A

DISCUSSION

RESOLVED upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that the Board of Education approve the foregoing resolution.

MOTION:

SECOND:

VOTE:

IX. PERSONNEL

Motion by Member _____, seconded by Member _____, to accept the recommendation of the superintendent and adopt the following:

RESOLVED, that the South Plainfield Board of Education approve the following:

(NOTE: Approval of this resolution authorizes the superintendent to submit to the county superintendent applications for emergent hiring and the applicant’s attestation and proof that he/she has not been convicted of any disqualifying crime pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:6-7.1 et. seq., N.J.S.A. 18A:39-17 et. seq., or N.J.S.A. 18A:6-4.13 et. seq. This includes background checks and fingerprinting for those employees listed below: (All appointments are contingent upon receipt of proper teaching certification **and the satisfaction of all requirements set forth in P.L. 2018, c.5.** All salary placements are pending receipt of college transcripts verifying degree status and letter stating years of service in other districts, *denotes mentoring required.)

RESOLVED, that the South Plainfield Board of Education approve the following:

IX.A Resignations, Retirements, Terminations

RESOLVED, that the South Plainfield Board of Education approve the following:

Code	Name	Action	Position	Location	Date Eff.	Discussion
1.	Raimondo-Hajduk, Angela	Resign	Elementary Teacher	Riley School	08/22/19	
2.	Employee ID#: 4992	Terminate	Van Driver	Transportation	09/11/19	
3	Toth, Dori	Rescind	Paraprofessional	Franklin School	09/01/19	

IX.B Appointments, Transfers

Code	Name	Action	Position	Deg /Step	Salary/ Hrly. Rate	Location	Date Effective	Date Term.	Discussion
1	*McNamee, Jamie	Approve	Elementary Teacher	4 BA	\$56,735 (prorated)	Riley School	09/19/19	06/30/20	Replacing A. Raimondo- Hajduk Acct#: 11-120-100-101-06
2	Rhunke, Tina	Approve	Substitute Before/After Care Aide	N/A	\$15.00 per hr.	District	09/12/19	06/30/20	Acct#: 61-993-100-101-19
3	Ufondu, Leslie	Approve	Before/After Care Aide	Step 0	\$17.70 per hr.	District	09/12/19	06/30/20	Pending sufficient enrollment Max 25 hrs. per week Acct#: 61-993-100-101-19
4	*Trentacoste, Elana	Approve	Before/After Care Aide	Step 0	\$17.70 per hr.	District	TBD	06/30/20	Pending Successful completion of criminal history background check Pending sufficient enrollment Max 25 hrs. per week Acct#: 61-993-100-101-19
5	Iacovone, Janet	Approve	Substitute Before/After Care Aide	N/A	\$15.00 per hr.	District	09/12/19	06/30/20	Acct#: 61-993-100-101-19
6	Kaczmarczyk, Samantha	Approve	Substitute Before/After Care Aide	N/A	\$15.00 per hr.	District	09/12/19	06/30/20	Acct#: 61-993-100-101-19
7	Perry, Joe	Approve	PD Presenter	9 MA +15	\$58.74 per hr.	Franklin School	09/09/19	09/10/19	2 hrs. to present Elementary Genesis Gradebook Support/Training Acct#: 11-140-100-101-01
8	Wieczorek, Nicole	Approve	PD Presenter	2 BA	\$45.61 per hr.	Kennedy School	09/09/19	09/10/19	2 hrs. to present Elementary Genesis Gradebook Support/Training Acct#: 11-130-100-101-03
9	Maddolin, Shannon	Approve	PD Presenter	5 BA	\$48.95 per hr.	Riley School	09/09/19	09/10/19	2 hrs. to present Elementary Genesis Gradebook Support/Training Acct#: 11-130-100-101-03
10	Luck, Theresa	Approve	PD Presenter	20 MA + 30	\$83.51 per hr.	Roosevelt School	09/09/19	09/10/19	2 hrs. to present Elementary Genesis Gradebook Support/Training Acct#: 11-120-100-101-07
11	*Trentacoste, Elena	Approve	Duty Aide	Step 1	\$6,570	Roosevelt School	TBD	06/30/20	Pending Successful completion of criminal history background check Acct#: 11-000-262-107-07
12	*Ruiz, Juliana	Approve	Paraprofessional	Step 1	\$21,080	Franklin School	TBD	06/30/20	Pending successful completion of criminal history background check Replacing L. Emert Acct#: 11-213-100-106-18
13	*Calderoni, Joia	Approve	Paraprofessional	Step 1	\$21,080	Franklin School	TBD	06/30/20	Pending successful completion of criminal history background check Replacing D. Toth Acct#: 11-213-100-106-18

IX.C Adjustments, Stipends, Degree Changes

Code	Name	Action	Position	Degree/Step/ No. of Hrs.	Salary/ Stipend	Location	Date Effective	Date Term.	Discussion
1	Kousoulis, Anna	Approve	6 th Period- Math	2 MA	\$3,347	Middle School	09/04/19	12/18/19	Acct#: 11-130-100-101-02
2	Wetzel, Alyssa	Approve	6 th Period – Math	3 MA	\$3,406	Middle School	09/04/19	12/18/19	Acct#: 11-130-100-101-02
3	Phillips, Margaret	Approve	6 th Period – Math	5 MA	\$3,581	Middle School	09/04/19	12/18/19	Acct#: 11-130-100-101-02
4	Wilson, Jessica	Approve	6 th Period – ICR Algebra Class	7 MA + 15	\$11,081	High School	09/04/19	06/30/20	Acct#: 11-140-100-101-25

DISCUSSION:

MOTION:

SECOND:

VOTE:

X. FINANCE

1. Approve Contingency Change Order #1A for Lanyi & Tevald, Inc. Relative to the Proposed Toilet Room Renovations at Kennedy Elementary School - \$13,534.93

Resolved, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Board of Education approve Change Order #1A for Lanyi & Tevald, Inc. in the amount of \$13,534.93 to provide additional below slab demolition and fill relative to the Toilet Room Renovations Project at Kennedy Elementary School. The Owner’s Contingency Reserve of \$25,000 will be reduced by \$13,534.93 leaving a balance of \$11,465.07.

2. Approval for Related Services Providers – 2019/2020

Approve the following related services appointment for special education students for the 2019/2020 school year:

Related Services Staffing

- a. Therapy Travelers
355 Redondo Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90814
September 12, 2019 through June 19, 2020

SLP	\$85-\$95
SLP-CFY	\$75-\$85
SLPA	\$74-\$84
School Psychologist	\$90-\$100
BCBA	\$90-\$100
Behavior Interventionalist	\$85-\$90
Social Worker	\$72-\$82
Special Education Teacher	\$68-\$78
LDT-C	\$75-\$85

Occupational Therapist	\$84-\$94
Physical Therapist	\$87-\$97
RN	\$60-\$70
LVN	\$55-\$60
RBT	\$58-\$68

DISCUSSION

RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Board of Education approve the foregoing resolutions.

MOTION:

SECOND:

VOTE:

XI. BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

DISCUSSION

XII. PRESENTATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS

Buildings & Grounds
Curriculum
Finance
Policy
Public Relations
Shared Services
Special Education
Traffic Liaison
SEPAC Liaison
Legislative Liaison

DISCUSSION:

XIII. PUBLIC COMMENTS

XIV. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

XV. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

RESOLVED, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 47-:1A-1 *et. seq.*) that the Board meets in closed session at this time to discuss confidential matters pertaining to: (select one or more)

1. a matter rendered confidential by federal or state law
2. a matter in which release of information would impair the right to receive government funds

3. material the disclosure of which constitutes an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy
4. a collective bargaining agreement and/or negotiations related to it
5. a matter involving the purchase, lease, or acquisition of real property with public funds
6. protection of public safety and property and/or investigations of possible violations or violations of law
7. pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation and/or matters of attorney-client privilege
8. specific prospective or current employees unless all who could be adversely affected request an open session.
9. deliberation after a public hearing that could result in a civil penalty or other loss

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the matters discussed in closed session shall be made public as soon as the need for confidentiality no longer exists.

MOTION:

SECOND:

VOTE:

XVI. AGENDA APPROVAL

RESOLVED, that the agenda for the regular public meeting on September 18, 2019, as may have been modified, is hereby approved.

MOTION:

SECOND:

VOTE:

XVII. ADJOURNMENT