

HAWTHORNE CEDAR KNOLLS UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Hawthorne, New York

**SPECIAL
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
July 23, 2020
AGENDA**

- **CALL TO ORDER BY BOARD PRESIDENT**
- **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**
- **APPROVE MINUTES (None)**
- **TREASURER’S REPORT (None)**
- **CLAIMS AUDITOR REPORT (None)**
- **CSE RECOMMENDATIONS (None)**

- **CONSENT AGENDA**

The use of a Consent Agenda permits the Board of Education to make more effective use of time by adopting a single motion to cover those relatively routine matters which are included. Any member of the Board who wishes to discuss individually a particular piece of business on the Consent Agenda may indicate that item be transferred to the Regular Agenda for consideration and a separate vote, thus preserving the right of all Board members to be heard on any issue.

- **RESOLVED**, that the Board approves the Supplemental Memorandum of Agreement between the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls UFSD and the **Hawthorne Cedar Knolls Federation of Teachers**, Local 1169, Affiliated with the New York State United Teachers, AFT, NEA, AFL-CIO hereinafter referred to as (“LOCAL 1169”) and authorizes the Board President to sign such agreement.
- **RESOLVED**, that the Board approves the Supplemental Memorandum of Agreement between the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls UFSD and the **CSEA, Unit 8217**, Westchester County Local 860, hereinafter referred to as (“The Union”) and authorizes the Board President to sign such agreement.
- **RESOLVED**, that the Board approves the Addendum to Contract between the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls UFSD and Mark K. Silverstein, as attached, and authorizes the Board President to sign such agreement.

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REGULAR AGENDA

- **BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education approves the Interim Superintendent Contract between the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls Union Free School District and Raymond Raefski, effective September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021, as attached and authorizes the Board President to sign such agreement.

- **BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, hereby grants Raymond Raefski, a leave of absence from his position as Principal of the Cedar Knolls Academy, from September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021, so that he can serve as the Interim Superintendent of Schools for the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls Union Free School District during the 2020-2021 school year with the right to return to the position of Principal of the Cedar Knolls Academy at the conclusion of said leave of absence.

- **WHEREAS**, Mark K. Silverstein has served the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls Union Free School District, with honor and distinction for over 47 years as an educator, administrator and Superintendent of Schools; and

WHEREAS, Mark K. Silverstein has dedicated his career to providing underserved students with academic and career training and opportunity through quality programs taught by extraordinary teachers, staff and service providers; and

WHEREAS, Mark K. Silverstein has led by example his entire career, through demonstrating a love and passion for providing our students with the opportunity to believe in themselves, set goals and realize their dreams; through the provision of a caring and nurturing environment; and through dedication, study and hard work, and

WHEREAS, Mark K. Silverstein, has shown great vision and leadership, and he has embodied the highest standards of character and ethics in education; and

WHEREAS, as a measure of gratitude, and to create a lasting symbol of Mark K. Silverstein's unmatched contributions to the Hawthorne Cedar Knolls Union Free School District and the thousands of students he has admirably served in his 47 years with the District, the Board of Education hereby dedicates and renames the Library in the Cedar Knolls Academy the Mark K. Silverstein Library, effective August 13, 2020.

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- **PERSONNEL ACTIONS**
 - Personnel Actions Attached

- **POLICIES:**
 - **1st READING:**
 - Update Policy #6550: Leaves of Absence
 - Update Policy #8241: Patriotism, Citizenship and Human Rights Education

 - **2ND READING/ADOPTION:**
 - Update Policy #5676: Privacy and Security for Student Data and Teacher and Principal Data

COMMENTS

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