

**VICTOR CENTRAL SCHOOL  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Approved Minutes of the Regular Meeting of May 13, 2021  
Junior/Senior High Performing Arts Center  
953 High Street  
Victor, New York 14564**

- CALL TO ORDER** President Kristin Elliott called the meeting to order at 5:35 PM.
- Members Present** Karen Ballard, Chris Eckhardt, Kristin Elliott, Christopher Parks, Michael Vetter
- Members Absent** Tim DeLucia, Trisha Turner
- ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION** A motion was made by K. Ballard, seconded by M. Vetter, to enter executive session at 5:35 PM to discuss the employment history of specific individuals as well as collective negotiations. The motion was carried. 5 yes 0 no
- REGULAR SESSION** A motion was made by C. Eckhardt, seconded by C. Parks to return to regular session at 7:05 PM. The motion was carried. 5 yes 0 no
- APPROVE AGENDA** A motion was made by C. Parks, seconded by K. Ballard, to approve the revised agenda. The motion was carried. 5 yes 0 no
- SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE** Dr. Terranova talked about the successful 5-days a week reopening of the elementary students on April 26<sup>th</sup>. He said there was great success. Currently the biggest situation is the 109 quarantines from the Ontario County Department of Health and over 95 of them are in the Intermediate School. He is working with the Ontario County Department of Health to keep a firm stance on quarantine procedures as this places a significant challenge on our kids. Currently there are five positive cases in the District. The positive news is there has been a drop in the 7-day average positive rate in the county. He talked about the decision of the secondary students not coming back full-time because the county was not below the high transmission zone by May 5<sup>th</sup>. He said he continues to understand the frustration of students and parents at the secondary level. Dr. Terranova said Senior High School Principal Mr. Siesto and Junior High School Principal Mr. Gee have returned multiple students back 3, 4 and 5 days a week due to individual needs. As a School District and a Superintendents we must find a way to come back full time in September. It would be doing a disservice to the students if we did not do that. In order for it to happen there needs to be some advocacy. Before September the District will be bridging the gap through some summer programming. Transportation will be supplied for all programs. Dr. Terranova reminded everyone about the budget vote on Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. The District will be going out at the tax cap but will not be exceeding the tax cap. Mrs. Ballard said when the students return in the fall the District has to make sure there is enough mental health and social emotional support. Dr. Terranova said the social emotional health of the children are the top priority.

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## **RECOGNITIONS Genesee Valley PTA Youth Humanitarian Award**

Susan Brown from the Genesee Valley PTA presented Sydney Prescott with the Genesee Valley PTA Youth Humanitarian Award. The Youth Humanitarian Award is in memory of Stanley Marcus and is presented to high school junior or senior students who best exemplify the humanitarian principles of Stanley Marcus who died in 1977 while serving as third vice president of the New York State Congress of Parents and Teachers. He will always be remembered for his humanitarianism and dedication to youth through zealous volunteer community service. Since PTA is a volunteer organization, we believe that it is only fitting that we should honor such service by our young people through the sponsorship of this award.

## **National Board Certification**

Tom Cheevers, Intermediate School Special Education Teacher, was recognized by the Board of Education for achieving National Board Certification. Intermediate School Principal Kevin Swartz said Mr. Cheevers possesses a thirst for knowledge with unwavering commitment. He is a professional in every aspect of the word and respected by everybody at the Intermediate School. He is very supportive of his colleagues. Mr. Swartz said this certification is going to serve Tom well along with his colleagues. He is one of only 60 accomplished teachers in New York State this year who have achieved National Board Certification, creating a total of 2,180 New York State practitioners who have achieved this distinction.

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Danette Porter wants to know what the plan is to bring all students back in September. She said advocating for changes in guidance and hoping the numbers drop is not enough. She said at this point she is unsure why they cannot come back. Planning and preparing for what is going to happen next year is in the District's control.

David Houghton asked for clarification on the quarantine protocol. What is the current protocol being used in the K-6 buildings. He said as of today he has called the Department of Health and they will no longer take questions from Victor residents. In Monroe County the kids are not getting quarantined. He asked if the Board of Education or the Superintendent has the unilateral authority to open schools 5 days a week in the Junior High and Senior High.

### **CONSENT ITEMS**

A motion was made by C. Eckhardt, seconded by C. Parks to approve, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, the following consent items:

## **MINUTES**

Minutes of the regular Board Meeting on April 15, 2021, the special Board Meeting on April 28, 2021 and the Public Budget Hearing on May 4, 2021;

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**FINANCIAL  
STATEMENTS**

Treasurer’s Report for the month ending March 31, 2021;

**PERSONNEL**

The following personnel items:

*All appointments on these pages are made in compliance with New York State Education Law relating to criminal history background clearances for new employees. Conditional clearances under that law have been requested for all new employees.*

**Instructional**

**Appointments:**

The appointment of the following as Extended School Year Teachers at a rate of 1/200<sup>th</sup> of 2021/2022 salary: **Erin Lamborn, Kaitlyn Cooper, Jeffrey Pistritto, and Charles Loray.**

The appointment of the following as Extended School Year Teachers at an hourly rate of \$40.00: **Catherine McCarthy, Caitlin Mack-Elliott.**

The appointment of **Kristin Guckian**, Teacher Center Director, effective September 1, 2021, at an annual salary of \$17,600.

**Part Time  
Appointments:**

The appointment of **Joseph Fastia**, who holds certification in Art Education, to the part-time (.8FTE) Art Teacher position effective April 5, 2021, and ending June 30, 2021, at an annual salary of \$43,432 (Step 8M+68), prorated based upon the length of the assignment.

**Leaves of Absence:**

The granting of a maternity and subsequent childcare leave of absence for **Kristin Amato**, Elementary Teacher, approximately effective August 31, 2021, and extending to November 19, 2021.

The granting of a maternity and subsequent childcare leave of absence for **Laura Sarra**, Special Education Teacher, approximately effective August 31, 2021, and extending to January 31, 2022.

The granting of a maternity and subsequent childcare leave of absence for **Tara Visca**, Special Education Teacher, approximately effective May 10, 2021, and extending to June 30, 2021.

**Resignations:**

The resignation of **Brittany Turner**, Long Term Substitute Mathematics Teacher, effective May 5, 2021.

**Co-Curriculars:**

	<b><u>Teacher Leaders</u></b>	<b><u>Name</u></b>
<b>Strand 1</b>	Bilingual Education & World Languages (K-12)	Anne Stekl
	Career Occupational Studies	Mark Selvek
	ELA Building Level (K-3)	Jamie Fraser

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ELA Building Level (K-3)	Amy Hogan
English/Language Arts (9-12)	Colleen Collier
Library/Media	Margaret Elliott
Math Building Level (K-3)	Leslie Summerson
Math Building Level (K-3)	Kimberly McConnell
Math (9-12)	Dawn Knapp
Music (K-12) - Split Position	Laura Brewer
Music (K-12) - Split Position	Amy Oldfield
PE & Health (K-6)	Christine Phelps
PE & Health (7-12)	Michael Ferreri
School Counseling (K-12)	Mary Banaszak
School Psychologist (K-12)	Anne Clark
Science (9-12)	Kristina Sykes
Social Studies (9-12)	Erica Thompson
Special Education (K-12)	Caitlin Mack-Elliott
Theater Arts (K-12)	Jeremy Hawkinson
Visual Arts (K-12)	Shawn Duckworth

**Strand 2**

Elementary Grade (K-3)	Jessica Fronczak
Elementary Grade (K-3)	Kristin MacLean
Elementary Grade (K-3)	Leah Besaw
Elementary Grade (K-3)	Steven Fish
Science & Social Studies (K-3)	Linda Izzo
Science & Social Studies (K-3)	Adrienne Dahlstrom
Special Education (PreK-3)	Kristina Judge
Special Education (Intermediate)	Erin Lamborn
Special Education (Jr. High)	Charles Loray
Special Education (Sr. High)	Kelly Nestler

**Strand 3**

Chemical Hygiene Officer	Jeffrey Schraver
Instructional Technology/Computer (ECS) - Shared Position	Christina Burke
Instructional Technology/Computer (Primary) - Shared Position	Michele Linse
Instructional Technology/Computer (Intermediate)	Margaret Elliott
Instructional Technology/Computer (Jr. High)	Linda Tabit
Instructional Technology/Computer (Sr. High)	Danyelle Westbrook
Nursing (K-12)	Corinne Fox
Math AIS (K-6)	Kylie Hegeman
ELA AIS (K-6)	Laura Colcord
Social Studies (4-6)	Jamie Condon
Science (4-6) - Shared Position	James Mauro
Science (4-6) - Shared Position	Valarie Pezzimenti
ELA Building Level (4-6)	Thomas Cheevers
Math Building Level (4-6) - Shared Position	James Mauro

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Math Building Level (4-6) - Shared Position	Haley Erwin
Intermediate ELA - 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Rachel Lawrence
Intermediate ELA - 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Kimberly Bavis
Intermediate ELA - 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Shari Bischooping
Intermediate ELA - 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Kelley Ginster
Intermediate ELA - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Valarie Pezzimenti
Intermediate Math - 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Brittany Gordon
Intermediate Math - 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Michelle Ricigliano
Intermediate Math - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Erin Heberger
Intermediate Math - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade - Shared Position	Máire Welling
Bilingual Education & World Languages (6-8)	Cristie Rydzynski
English Language Arts (7-8) - Shared Position	Linda Tabit
English Language Arts (7-8) - Shared Position	Lisa Whipple
Math (7-8)	Thomas Zaccardo
Science (7-8)	Paula Smith
Social Studies (7-8)	Daniel Taylor

<b>Strand 4</b>	Health Coordinator (K-6)	Christine Phelps
	Intermediate Elementary Grade - 4th Grade (shared position)	Kelly Mead
	Intermediate Elementary Grade - 4th Grade (shared position)	Amy Thomas
	Intermediate Elementary Grade - 5th Grade (shared position)	Sarah Basta
	Intermediate Elementary Grade - 5th Grade (shared position)	Heather Hyer
	Intermediate Elementary Grade - 6th Grade	Joy Volkmuth

**Aquatics Director**                      Fall 2021, Winter 2021 & Spring  
2022    Lindsay Karl

**Driver Education Coordinator**      Summer 2021, Fall 2020, &  
Spring 2022                                      Andrew Purdie

**Co-Curriculars:**

<b><u>Clubs &amp; Advisors</u></b>	<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Group</u></b>
Int. Math Olympiad Advisor	Amy Smith-Faczan	1
Int. Student Council Advisor	Kathleen Goodberlet	1
Int. Student Council Advisor	Shawna Spriggs	1
Jr. High Academic Challenge Bowl Advisor	Matthew Halloran	2
Jr. High Big Time Friends Co-Advisor	Catherine Bossard	1
Jr. High Big Time Friends Co-Advisor	Cathy White	1
Jr. High Culinary Club Advisor	Karen Ierlan	1
Jr. High Fiddle Club Advisor	Elizabeth Knapp	1
Jr. High French Club Advisor	Ann Marie Crye	1
Jr. High Garden Club Co-Advisor	Anthony D'Agostino	2
Jr. High Garden Club Co-Advisor	Karen Harrison	2
Jr. High Jazz Band Advisor	Zachary Pelton	1

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Jr. High Math Olympiad Advisor	Susan Ibrisimovic	1
Jr. High Positive Connections Club (PCC) Co-Advisor	Jessica D'Ambrosio	1
Jr. High Positive Connections Club (PCC) Co-Advisor	Tara Hopson	1
Jr. High Yearbook Co-Advisor	Ann Marie Crye	3
Jr. High Yearbook Co-Advisor	Susan Ibrisimovic	3
Jr. High Young Women's Leadership Club Co-Advisor	Katherine Jerabeck	1
Jr. High Young Women's Leadership Club Co-Advisor	Ashley Fotopoulos	1
Sr. High Academic Team Advisor (Decathlon)	Andrew Purdie	4
Sr. High Academic Team Assistant Advisor (Decathlon)	Stephanie Schlueter	1
Sr. High Aquatics Leaders Advisor	Lindsay Karl	1
Sr. High Art Club Advisor	Andrew Reddout	1
Sr. High Chess Club Advisor	Ryan Horst	1
Sr. High DECA (Business Club) Advisor	Susan Utz	3
Sr. High DECA (Business Club) Advisor	Mike Cutaia	3
Sr. High Dollars for Scholars Advisor	Laura Fiorito	3
Sr. High Dollars for Scholars Advisor	Julie Merges	3
Sr. High Drama Club Co-Advisor	Jeremy Hawkinson	1
Sr. High Drama Club Co-Advisor	Matthew Mayne	1
Sr. High First Robotics Advisor	Peter Fleckenstein	5
Sr. High First Robotics Assistant Advisor	Melissa Gydesen	1
Sr. High French Club Co-Advisor	Anne Stekl	1
Sr. High French Club Co-Advisor	Andrew Buttram	1
Sr. High Freshman Class Co-Advisor	Danyelle Westbrook	1
Sr. High Freshman Class Co-Advisor	Anne Stekl	1
Sr. High Gay Straight Alliance Advisor	Laura Dunbar	1
Sr. High Global Competency Advisor	Cristie Rydzynski	3
Sr. High Global Competency Assistant Advisor	Bryan Kavanaugh	1
Sr. High International Club Advisor	Angélica Sanzotta	1
Sr. High Junior Class Advisor	Joseph Carey	2
Sr. High Junior Class Advisor	Michael Modleski	2
Sr. High Key Club Advisor	Eric Waples	3
Sr. High Key Club Advisor	Andrew Buttram	3
Sr. High Link Crew Advisor	Laura Avissato	3
Sr. High Link Crew Advisor	Colleen Collier	3
Sr. High Literacy Magazine Advisor	Mallory Horsfall	1
Sr. High Math Academic Team Co-Advisor	Dawn Knapp	3
Sr. High Math Academic Team Co-Advisor	Kyli Knickerbocker	3
Sr. High Medical Explorers Advisor	Kimberly Spitzer	2
Sr. High National Honor Society Co-Advisor	Karen Brion	2
Sr. High National Honor Society Co-Advisor	Todd Thompson	2
Sr. High Outdoor Activity Club Advisor	Kelly Ahern	2
Sr. High Positive School Climate Club Co-Advisor	Todd Forrest	2
Sr. High Positive School Climate Club Co-Advisor	Johanna Arnitz	2
Sr. High SEAS Club Advisor	Steve Cronmiller	2
Sr. High Senior Class Advisor	Andrew Buttram	3
Sr. High Senior Class Advisor	Michelle Mahoney-Merkley	3

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Sr. High Yearbook Advisor/ Yearbook Asst. Co-Advisor	Heather Page	4/2
Sr. High Yearbook Advisor/ Yearbook Asst. Co-Advisor	Meghan Fatzinger	4/2
Sr. High Sophomore Class Co-Advisor	Eric Dahlstrom	1
Sr. High Sophomore Class Co-Advisor	Alyse Wuest	1
Sr. High Spanish Club Advisor	Vivian Richelsen	2
Sr. High Student Council Advisor	Heather Page	3
Sr. High Student Council Advisor	Kyli Knickerbocker	3
Sr. High Tri-M Honor Society Co-Advisor	Laura Brewer	1
Sr. High Tri-M Honor Society Co- Advisor	Gretchen Judge	1
Sr. High Tri-M Honor Society Co- Advisor	Kristin Mellema	1
Sr. High Victor Cares Advisor	Deborah McManis	2
Sr. High Victor Cares Co-Advisor	Matthew Mayne	2
Sr. High Victor Cares Co-Advisor	Amelia Paas	2
Sr. High Wellness Club Advisor	Vivian Richelsen	1
Sr. High Quiddich Club Advisor	Laura Dunbar	1

<b>Co-Curriculars:</b>	<b><u>Music</u></b>	<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Group</u></b>
	Jazz Ensemble	Zachary Pelton	1
	SH Fall Play Stage Technician	Timothy Caughlin	1
	SH Fall Play Assistant	David Denner	1
	SH Fall Play Assistant	Aaron Isaacs	1
	SH Fall Play Assistant	Nathan Wolf	1
	SH Fall Play Director	Jeremy Hawkinson	4
	SH Spring Musical Asst. .25 Capacity	Timothy Caughlin	2
	SH Spring Musical Asst. .25 Capacity	Matthew Mayne	2
	SH Spring Musical Asst. .50 Capacity	Sarah Reilly	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Nathan Wolf	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	LeeAnne Birkemeier	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	David Denner	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Aaron Isaacs	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Laura Brewer	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Erin Fetzner	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Kristin Mellema	2
	SH Spring Musical Assistant	Wendy Sentiff	2
	SH Spring Musical Director	Jeremy Hawkinson	5
	JH Musical Assistant	Kaitlyn Barthelmes	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Steve Cronmiller	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Anthony D'Agostino	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Marysue Hartz-Holtz	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Aaron Isaacs	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Matthew Mayne	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Sarah Reilly	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Laura Brewer	2
	JH Musical Assistant	Karen Mellema	2
	JH Musical Director	LeeAnne Birkemeier	5
	Marching Band Color Guard	Michelle Bills	3
	Marching Band Assistant	Caelin Kordziel	2

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Marching Band Assistant- Shared		
Position	Rachel Brown	2/2
Marching Band Assistant-Shared		
Position	Hannah Martin	2/2
Marching Band Brass Instructor	Patrick Clarke	2
Marching Band Color Guard Tech	Christina Eames	1
Marching Band Director	Mark Gowman	5
Marching Band Drill Designer	Michael Neubert	4
Marching Band Drill Instructor	Melissa Mesic	1
Marching Band Percussion		
Instructor	Joseph Palomaki	3
Marching Band Summer Assistant	Elizabeth Gowman	1
Percussion Ensemble Director	Mark Gowman	4

<b>Athletics:</b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Level</u></b>	<b><u>Years</u></b>
<b>Lacrosse Girls</b>	JV	Madeline Haggerty	5	3
<b>(Amended</b>	Volunteer	Jennifer Haggerty	-	-
<b>Appointments)</b>				

**Amendments:** The probationary appointment of **Kerry Pender**, Primary School Principal, effective July 6, 2021.

<b>Per Diem</b>	<b><u>Candidate</u></b>	<b><u>Area of Certification</u></b>
<b>Substitutes:</b>	Ariana Scarfone	Elementary/Special Education
	Jennifer Martusewicz	Elementary/Special Ed./Literacy
	Jennifer Cole	Elementary/Special Education
	Natalie Allen	Uncertified
	Colleen Dix	Elementary/Spanish
	Laurie Estochoen	ELL
	Emily Queiroz	English
	Kristen Lyons	Special Education
	Elizabeth Sanderson	Mathematics
	Brittany Gordon (ESY 2021)	Elementary/ Literacy

**Non-Instructional**  
**Appointments:**

The appointment of **Kadia Cardona Olmos**, from Part Time Teacher Aide to Full Time Teacher Aide, effective April 12, 2021.

The appointment of **Trang Cointot**, Part Time Teacher Aide, effective April 26, 2021, at an hourly rate of \$12.50.

The appointment of **Betty Post**, from Senior Typist to Building Secretary, effective July 1, 2021.



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The appointment of **Alicia Langton**, Full Time Teacher Aide to Senior Typist, effective July 1, 2021, at an hourly rate of \$16.60.

The appointment of **Jeffrey Prior**, Full Time Teacher Aide, effective May 3, 2021, at an hourly rate of \$12.50.

The appointment of **Elizabeth Temple**, Full Time Teacher Aide to Typist, effective July 1, 2021, at an hourly rate of \$14.66.

The promotional appointment of **David Graham**, from Facilities Laborer to Building Maintenance Assistant, effective May 3, 2021, at an hourly rate of \$17.57.

**Appointments:**

The appointment of the following as Teacher Aides in the Extended School Year Program, effective July 6, 2021 and ending August 3, 2021, at their 2021/2022 rate of pay: **Tonya Burns, Wendy Dattilo, Cory Grant, Shana Mundorff, Clare Olbrys, Lori Reynolds, Jena Tambe, Pratima Purcell, Eric Wachob, Michele Alden, Christin Crossing, Erin Hart, Kelly Gelinis, Melissa Hunt, Margaret Lynch, April Pettee, Amy Hotto, Marleah Holmes, Natalia Lewis, Antwennette Brady, Caroline Sheehan, and Adriana Rudy.**

The appointment of the following as Teacher Aides in the Extended School Year Program, effective July 6, 2021 and ending August 3, 2021, at the rate of \$12.50 hourly: **Emily Cook.**

The appointment of the following as Extended School Year Nurse at the rate of \$21.64 hourly: **Lori Pownall and Kristin Renkert.**

**Resignations:**

The resignation of **Terry Caldwell**, Part Time Cleaner, effective April 22, 2021.

The resignation of **Catherine Haines**, Part Time Teacher Aide, effective April 23, 2021.

The resignation, due to retirement, of **Randy Becker**, Cleaner, effective June 30, 2021.

The resignation of **Robert Tuttle**, School Bus Monitor, effective April 26, 2021.

**Amendment:**

The amended end date of the unpaid discretionary leave of absence for **Gerald Waite**, Full Time Teacher Aide, to April 28, 2021.

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**Position Action:**

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Board of Education for the Victor Central School District hereby abolishes one (1) part time position in the Civil Service labor classification of Cleaner effective April 28, 2021.

The Board of Education has determined that Jason Swarts is the least senior in that title and such part time Day Cleaner shall be excessed effective April 28, 2021. In accordance with the collective bargaining agreement, these individuals shall be placed on a recall list.

**Per Diem and Substitute Positions:**

**Candidate**

**Position**

Allie Dillman	Summer Groundskeeper
Henry Stone	Summer Groundskeeper
Randy Becker	Cleaner
Sharon Beaver	Teacher Aide
Patricia Riegle	Teacher Aide
Dorothy Vaughn	Teacher Aide
John Adams	School Bus Driver Trainee

**BOARD MEMBER COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

Board members to attend standing committee meetings;

**CSE/CPSE RECOMMENDATIONS**

Recommendations of the Committee on Special Education from the meetings of February 3, 24, 25, 2021, March 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 2021, April 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, 2021, May 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 2021 and from the Committee on Preschool Special Education from the meetings of April 14, 27, 2021, and May 4, 2021;

**ELECTION INSPECTORS**

Election inspectors for the May 18, 2021 Annual Vote and Election as submitted;

**SURPLUS**

Declare the following as surplus:

- NEC Projectors with VCS tag #s 02582, 02596, 02607, 010025, 010038, 010048, 012076, 010088, 010033;

**INTERMUNICIPAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT FOR TAX CERTIORARI PROCEEDINGS**

**WHEREAS**, The Ontario County Board of Supervisors, pursuant to Resolution No. 285-2007, established a policy and program for the County to share in the costs of defending legal challenges to real property tax assessments; and

**WHEREAS**, Pursuant to said program, the Town requested that the County share in the cost of defending certain certiorari proceedings pending in the Town of Victor; and

**WHEREAS**, The County Board of Supervisors, pursuant to

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PROCEEDINGS  
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Resolution No. 83-2021, authorized the County to share in the cost of defending six certiorari cases involving eight parcels, and authorized the County Attorney to join with the Towns to defend the cases, and pay 25% of defense costs, including professional appraisal and legal fees, subject to total funding available and to be made available by this Board of Supervisors; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town requested that the School District also share in the cost of defending the certiorari cases and pay 25% of defense costs, including professional appraisal and legal fees,

**NOW, THEREFORE**, inconsideration of the terms and conditions herein contained, the parties agree as follows:

**FIRST:** The Town shall retain legal counsel to defend certiorari proceeding(s) described as:

Filing Index #127543-2020-HD Dev of Maryland Inc, petitioner – 6.00-1-3.210 and Filing Index #127494-2020 – MSF Eastgate-I LLC, petitioner – 1.02-1-1.000 including subsequent year(s) filings while the listed action is pending, and shall vigorously pursue the defense of such matters. The Town, and its attorneys, shall take all reasonable steps to obtain or preserve intervener status for the County and the School District in said proceedings.

**SECOND:** For the services rendered pursuant to Paragraph “FIRST”, the County shall reimburse the Town 25% (twenty-five percent) of the costs of defending the proceeding(s), including attorneys’ fees, filing fees and litigation costs billed by legal counsel and any necessary real estate professional appraisal fees.

**THIRD:** For the services rendered pursuant to Paragraph “FIRST”, the School District shall reimburse the Town 25% (twenty-five percent) of the costs of defending the proceeding(s), including attorneys’ fees, filing fees and litigation costs billed by legal counsel, and real estate professional appraisal fees.

**FOURTH:** Requests for payment shall be submitted to the County and School District by the Town and include copies of appropriate invoices submitted by legal counsel. Prior to the making of any payments hereunder, the County or the School District may audit such books and records of the Town as are reasonably pertinent to this Agreement to substantiate the basis for payment.

**FIFTH:** The term of this Agreement shall commence upon final execution of this agreement and shall continue until completion of the certiorari proceedings.

**SIXTH:** The Town shall keep the County and the School District apprised of the status of the litigation and shall provide the County and the School District with periodic reports from counsel. The Town shall not, without prior written authorization of the County and the School District, settle, compromise or otherwise agree to resolve the certiorari cases.

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**AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN VCS AND  
VTA**

Agreement between the Victor Central School District and the Victor Teacher’s Association effective July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 as submitted.

The motion to accept the foregoing consent items was carried.  
5 yes 0 no (*end of consent items*)

**CAMPUS NEWS**

VCS administrators summarized campus news and events.

**WAYNE FINGER-  
LAKES BOCES  
PROGRAMMING**

Vicky Ramos, District Superintendent of Wayne-Finger Lakes BOCES, Finger Lakes Technical and Career Center (FLTCC) Principal Matt Barr and Victor Senior High Student Emily Baker spoke about the programming Wayne Finger-Lakes BOCES has to offer. Emily spoke about the New Vision Health Therapy Program she has been fortunate to be part of. She said the program has given her a lot of college credits, taught her how to study and is making the transition to college a lot easier. Mr. Barr talked about the FLTCC programs. He said FLTCC brings 14 school districts together. Students get to work with like-minded kids and are provided real world training. Ms. Ramos said currently Victor has 67 students in the Career and Technical Education Program. There are 25 students in the Special Education Program and 11 students in the AccelerateU Program. Wayne Finger-Lakes BOCES also provides Regional Arts in Education, Tutoring Services, EduTech, Services, School Library Services, Telecommunications and Community School Resources. Ms. Ramos said Wayne Finger-Lakes BOCES commits to impacting P-16 education and supporting regional economic growth. It commits to increasing the capacity of individual component districts through the development of collaborative opportunities. It commits to transforming instructional pedagogy in the region, promoting a culture of innovation and to fostering effective communication. Dr. Parks congratulated Emily Baker on her work ethic and the courage to say she wants to do more as well as her accomplishments.

**SCIENCE  
PATHWAYS**

Associate Superintendent of Educational Services Kristin Swann and Senior High School Science Teacher Karen Brion presented to the Board of Education the 6-8 grade level and acceleration science pathways. Mrs. Swann said the New York State P-12 Science Standards were released and the State Education Department has implemented a phased in approach. Phase I was to raise awareness and build capacity, Phase II is the transition and implementation phase and Phase III is the implementation and sustainability phase. Right now the District is in Phase II. This is really geared around the middle school band. When thinking about science pathways it is

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important to make sure that all students are instructionally exposed to grade level bands. The committee has been working over the past year on the pathway proposal and what we want to accomplish. First it is important to ensure that students have access to all Science Standards in the three bands (K-5, 6-8, 9-12). There should be multiple entry points for acceleration. It is also important to have flexibility in scheduling so if students need to move between courses they can do so. Secondary students should be challenging themselves throughout their high school career. Mrs. Swann said they came across some barriers. Sixth grade science includes Physical Science standards, which are also taught in 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Currently, Middle School Earth and Space Science standards are not being taught in grades 6, 7, or 8. Currently the 7/8 course does not offer an advantage to students for acceleration in 8<sup>th</sup> grade and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students in Earth Science cannot easily switch to Grade 8 science if necessary. Mrs. Brion discussed the recommended pathways. Sixth grade will be taught physical science, 7<sup>th</sup> grade will be taught life science and then students can take an acceleration pathway or traditional pathway with the opportunity to move in and out of pathways if needed. There are benefits to students having access to all standards. All students have access to every middle school standard in science. Offering grade level Earth Science in 8<sup>th</sup> grade provides opportunities for movement into or out of the acceleration pathway without changing content focus. Eighth grade accelerated students will have the opportunity to demonstrate their understanding of high school level standards. Flexible pathways will exist for students to enter and exit an accelerated pathway at multiple levels. This includes students who are not ready for acceleration in middle school but show readiness in high school. Curriculum will be written this summer. Mrs. Swann said they are trying to create multiple opportunities for students instead of saying this is our pathway and students have to fit into it. Mrs. Ballard asked how many teachers will be writing curriculum. Mrs. Swann said a little more than 10. Mrs. Elliott said this is very exciting work.

**STRATEGIC  
PLANNING  
PROCESS**

Superintendent Terranova talked about the District's Strategic Planning Process. Strategic planning is a school and community partnership that drives all of our work and leads to consistency, alignment and cohesion toward common goals. This will be a 6-7 month process starting in August of 2021. Facilitators from outside the District are utilized who are trained in the strategic planning process. They create a plan that lasts 3-5 years and is consistently reviewed and emphasized as the District makes decisions. Dr.

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Terranova said specifically they gather input from the school and community. A tremendous amount of time is spent gathering input. There will be two reports generated one around perception and the other around instruction, programs and achievement. The District's current mission will be reviewed and revised as needed. A Strategic Planning Council, made up of staff, administration, students, community members, and Board of Education members, to create a Strategic Plan based on all of the input gathered. Ultimately a yearly management plan will be created to articulate what we want to accomplish each year. Dr. Terranova said the next step will be to finalize the consultants and facilitators. Over the summer they will start to gather information and in September move into interaction with the staff and the community. Mr. Vetter said if people in the community are interested in participating in an official capacity what is the method to let the District know. Dr. Terranova said once the facilitator is finalized they will coordinate the communication and how the community and staff get involved. Each step of the way will be clear and transparent. Dr. Parks said when talking about the mission are you talking about the District's Mission Statement? Does that include identifying the core values and long-term vision for the District? Dr. Terranova said yes.

**2021-2022 SCHOOL  
DISTRICT  
CALENDAR**

A motion was made by K. Ballard, seconded by C. Parks to approve the revised 2021-2022 School District Calendar.

Dr. Terranova said a lot of work was put into looking at the revised calendar. Originally school was going to start on September 7<sup>th</sup>, however out of respect for our Jewish friends and in the spirit of inclusivity the start of school has been shifted to September 9<sup>th</sup> making sure people can celebrate Rosh Hashanah. There will be five conference days before the start of school, which will give us significant work time. Unfortunately, there was nothing we could do about moving April break. Due to the way the holidays branch out and the number of school days needed April break will remain April 11, 2022 – April 15, 2022. That is a different week than the Monroe County schools. The hope is the leadership of our BOCES and Monroe BOCES will work through this in the future and it won't happen again.

The motion was carried. 5 yes 0 no

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**MEETING REPORTS**  
**Monroe County School Boards Association** Mrs. Elliott attended some of the Executive Leadership Meetings. She said they are doing great work. She said Monroe County School Boards Association has decided to purchase some technology to live stream and record their meetings. They also talked about the struggle with the 2021-2022 School year calendar.

**Standing Committee Updates** Dr. Parks mentioned the Visual and Performing Arts Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony taking place on Monday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. This will be a virtual induction ceremony.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION** None at this time.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**  
**Annual Vote and Election** The Annual Vote and Election will take place on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 from 6:00 AM – 9:00 PM in the Primary School Gymnasium.

**Regular Board Meeting** The next regular Board meeting will take place on Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 7:15 PM in the Junior/Senior High Performing Arts Center.

**ADJOURN** A motion was made by C. Parks, seconded by K. Ballard, to adjourn the meeting at 9:10 PM.  
The motion was carried. 5 yes 0 no

Respectfully submitted,

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District Clerk