



MEMORANDUM

FROM: Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education

DATE: October 7, 2011

TO: Michael J. Dalton, City Clerk

SUBJECT: Notice of Committee Meetings – TUESDAY, October 11, 2011,
5:30 p.m., Kennedy High School
Notice of Regular Meeting – Monday, October 17, 2011,
6:30 p.m., Waterbury Arts Magnet School

The Committees of the Board of Education will meet on TUESDAY, October 11, 2011, 5:30 p.m., **Kennedy High School, 422 Highland Avenue, Waterbury, CT.**

AGENDA

SILENT PRAYER

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

1. Committee of the Whole/5 minutes: Superintendent's Report.
2. Committee of the Whole/5 minutes: Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention – Richard Lee, Coordinator of the Department of Health's Healthy Homes Program.
3. Committee of the Whole/30 minutes: Principal's Report/Building Tour – Michael Yamin.
4. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes: Discussion: Waterbury Teachers Association – K. Egan.
5. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes: Discussion: NVCC's Waterbury AmeriCorps Program – John Corcoran, N. Vaughan.
6. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes: Discussion: Chinese educators and students' visit to Carrington School – K. Brennan.
7. Committee on Grants/5 minutes (if necessary): Request approval to apply for the State Department of Education Quality Enhancement Grant for the School Readiness Program – B. Tacchi.
8. Committee on Grants/5 minutes (if necessary): Request approval to apply for the CT Community Foundation Grant for the School Readiness Program (consensus needed) – B. Tacchi.
9. Committee of the Whole/5 minutes: Update: Sports Physicals Initiative with StayWell Health Center – J. Gorman.
10. Committee of the Whole/15 minutes: Discussion: Draft plan for the transitional Pre-k – 8 schools athletic program – J. Gorman.
11. Committee on School Personnel/5 minutes: Request approval of the job specifications for the position of Data Clerk for the STEM After School Program.

12. Committee on Schoolhouses/10 minutes: Update: Maintenance Department organization – P. Guidone.
13. Committee on School Activities/5 minutes:
- a. Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments.
 - b. Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests.
 - c. Request permission be granted to Nancy Silva, Chase School, and 13 chaperones to take 125 students to Old Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, MA on October 28, 2011.
 - d. Request permission be granted to Trevira Boatright, KHS, and one chaperone to take 21 students to Philadelphia, PA from November 18 through 20, 2011 to attend the DECA North Atlantic Regional Leadership Conference.
 - e. Request permission be granted to Michele Walker, CHS, and four chaperones to take 55 students to Salem, MA on October 31, 2011 to visit Salem Village.
 - f. Request permission be granted to Ms. King Johnson/Mr. K. Ondrush, WAMS, and four chaperones to take 20 students to Costa Rica from April 5 through 14, 2011.
 - g. Request permission be granted to Debbie Benjamin, WAMS, and four chaperones to take 45 students to Harlem, NY on November 10, 2011 to visit a recording studio, Source Magazine, and HOT 93 Radio Station.

14. Superintendent's Notification to the Board/5 minutes:

- a. Grant funded appointments:
Fucito, Louis – Part Time Accountant II, 19 hours per week @ \$20.48 p/hour, non-union, no benefits.
- b. After-school Detention Program appointments, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:
NEMS – Lisa Mason (Tuesday), Jim Hurdle (Thursday)
WMS – Donna Bryk
WSMS – Anne Belfiore, Lori DiTillo
CHS – Nikoleta Kollchaku
KHS – Larry Feola
WAMS – Joe Finn
- c. State Department of Education After School Program Grant appointments, maximum of 10 hours per week, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately.

North End (STEM)

Michael LoRusso, Administrator
Grace Halloran, Teacher
Miriam Wilson, Teacher
Yvonne Bourque, Teacher
David Habersang, Teacher
Charles Vaughan, Teacher
Jason Martinez, Teacher
Mary Colgan, Teacher
Leslie DePaulo, Para
Carole Maloney, Para
Robin Andrikis, Para
Nydia Solia, Sub

Bunker Hill

Andrew Gwiazdoski, Lead Teacher
Vanessa Salvador, Teacher
Steven Cruess, Teacher
Michael Labagh, Sub
Kelly Burke, Sub
Susan Groppi, Sub
Howard Rochon, Sub
Sonya Fleming, Sub

- d. Wilson Family Resource Center's Books & Basketball Program appointments, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:
Reho, Jessica – FRC Coordinator, M – Th, 42.5 total hours.
Fengler, Kelly – Teacher, M – Th, 34 total hours.

Fisher, Deborah – Paraprofessional, M – Th, 34 total hours.

Quinones, Leocadia – Teacher, M/W, 18 total hours.

Perrelli, Andrea – Teacher, T/TH, 16 total hours.

e. Retirements:

Howell, Deborah – Elementary Math Coach, Rotella, effective 12/31/11.

Perugini, Margaret – Reading Teacher, Hopeville, effective 10/01/11.

f. Resignations:

Chamis, John – Technology Teacher, Duggan, effective 11/01/11.

ADJOURNMENT into Executive Session for discussion concerning strategy and negotiations with respect to pending claims or litigation.

Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education