



MEMORANDUM

FROM: Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education

DATE: November 3, 2020

TO: Michael J. Dalton, City Clerk

SUBJECT: Notice of Workshop/Committee Meetings – Thursday,
November 5, 2020, 5:30 p.m., VIRTUAL MEETING VIA ZOOM

The Committees of the Board of Education will meet on Thursday, November 5, 2020, 5:30 p.m. In an effort to adhere to social distancing guidelines, this meeting will be held without normal in-person public access. However, the meeting will be broadcasted live on the City of Waterbury’s Government Access Channel (Comcast Channel 96, Frontier Channel 6096), streamed live at <https://youtu.be/NOjBF1IGewg> or listened to via teleconference by calling 1-701-802-5303 with access code 7755337. For additional information regarding agenda items please visit www.waterbury.k12.ct.us/board and refer to the November 5, 2020 Meeting Agenda.

If you wish to address the Board during the public portion of the meeting please call 1-701-802-5303 with access code 7755337 between 5:00 and 5:15 p.m. and provide your name, address, and phone number. You will then need to participate via the above teleconference call information at 5:30 p.m. The Board President will call upon you to address the Board during the public speaking portion of the meeting.

A G E N D A

SILENT PRAYER

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PUBLIC SPEAKING (see above)

1. Superintendent’s Update – Dr. Ruffin.
 - a) Summary: Special Education Audit – Futures Consultants
 - b) Special Education Accountability
 - c) COVID 19
 - d) Superintendent’s Forum Summary
 - e) Successes and Celebrations
2. Committee on Finance/3 minutes ~ Request approval/acceptance of a grant from Nellie Mae Education Foundation – J. Davis.
3. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Fiscal Year 2020/2021 Quarterly Report – D. Biolo.
4. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a contract with SNE Building Systems, Inc for Temperature Control and Ventilation Project upgrade at Carrington Elementary School – W. Clark.
5. Committee on Finance/2 minutes ~ Request approval of Amendment One to the Memorandum of Understanding with Wellmore, Inc. for Emergency Mobile Psychiatric Services (EMPS) – K. Gabrielson.
6. Committee on Finance/2 minutes ~ Request approval of an Agreement with St. Vincent’s Special Needs Center, Inc. for special education services for students – K. Gabrielson.

7. Committee on Finance/2 minutes ~ Request approval of an Agreement with Benhaven, Inc. for special education services for students – K. Gabrielson.
8. Committee of the Whole/2 minutes ~ Request approval of an Agreement with Hispanic Coalition of Greater Waterbury, Inc. for transition services for students with disabilities – K. Gabrielson.
9. Committee of the Whole/2 minutes ~ Request approval of a Student Intern Affiliation Agreement with The University of Connecticut for Speech Language Pathology Student Internships – K. Gabrielson.
10. Committee of the Whole/2 minutes ~ Request approval of a Student Teacher Affiliation Agreement with University of Saint Joseph for student teaching opportunities – J. Mendoza.
11. Committee of the Whole/2 minutes ~ Request approval of a Student Teacher Affiliation Agreement with Western Connecticut State University for student teaching opportunities – J. Mendoza.
12. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes ~ Discussion: School Administrators of Waterbury (SAW) 2021-2024 Written Agreement – T. Shaw.
13. Committee on Curriculum/10 minutes ~ Curriculum updates: – D. Schwartz.
 - a) Seal of Biliteracy
 - b) African American/Black and Puerto Rican/Latino Course of Study
14. Committee on Building & School Facilities/3 minutes ~ Request acceptance of the following projects as complete (no backup): - W. Clark.
 - a) Hopeville Elementary School Elevator Addition- 151-0300 CV
 - b) Chase Elementary School Elevator Addition- 151-0301 CV
 - c) Kingsbury Elementary School Elevator Addition- 151-0302 CV
 - d) Sprague Elementary School Elevator Addition- 151-0303 CV
15. Committee on Building & School Facilities/3 minutes ~ Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments – W. Clark.
16. Committee on Building & School Facilities/3 minutes ~ Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests – W. Clark.
17. Superintendent's Notification to the Board/5 minutes:
 - a. Athletic appointments:
 Patrick, Kenneth – WHS Assistant Volleyball, effective 10/13/2020.
 Stroud, Lori – WHS Lead Unified Sports, effective 10/13/2020.
 Soeprasetyo, Preston – WHS Assistant Baseball, effective 04/11/2021.

b. Grant funded positions:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position/ Location</u>		<u>Rate P/Hour</u>	<u>Union</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Andrews, Lomon	Security Guard Adult Education	Part Time	\$20.00	NonBOE	10/22/2020
Diaz, Kimberly	Tutor ELA/ Reed	Part Time	\$25.00	NonBOE	10/15/2020
Gjolle, Besmira	ABE Teacher Adult Education	Part Time	\$33.00	NonBOE	10/22/2020
Hadley, Gaylynn	Parent Liaison Wilby	Part Time	\$15.21	Follows SEIU3 benefits	10/01/2020
Jackson, Tonya	Assistant Tutor to the Homeless/ McKinney Vento	Part Time	\$16.00	NonBOE	10/15/2020
Melchor, Nathan	Computer Tech	Part Time	\$12.00	NonBOE	11/05/2020
Montgomery, Asia	Parent Liaison WCA	Full Time	\$15.12	Follows SEIU3 benefits	10/01/2020

Nixon, Andrea	Payroll Clerk Finance	Full Time	\$21.05	UPSEU 69	10/15/2020
Robinson, Jae'Quan	Behavior Counselor	Full Time	\$22.00	Follows SEIU3 benefits	10/01/2020
Wasilewski, Diane	Classroom Aide Adult Education	Part Time	\$21.50	NonBOE	10/22/2020

c. New teacher hires:

LAST NAME	FIRST	SCHOOL	ASSIGNMENT	DOH
Accetura	Kailyn	North End	Gr 6 Science	08/24/2020
Aguirre-Galan	Ashley	Crosby	Special Ed	08/24/2020
Andreycak	Ashley	Sprague	Gr 3	09/08/2020
Azab	Jaime	Walsh	Gr 5	10/01/2020
Bailey	Teri	Kennedy	Art	08/24/2020
Bleau	Lisa	State Street	Sped Gr 4-5	09/16/2020
Boland	Cathleen	West Side	Science Gr 6	08/24/2020
Boland	Haley	W. Cross	Gr 3	09/08/2020
Burksa	Alyssa	Bunker Hill	Sped G 3-4	08/31/2020
Calcavecchio	Ellen	Driggs	Special Ed	08/24/2020
Casas	Effren	Wilby	ROTC	07/01/2020
Chavarry Ysla	Jose	Wilby	Bil Biology Gr9-12	09/08/2020
Cuadrado	Andrea	Wilby	ELA	08/24/2020
Cusano	Brooke	Wallace	Sped	08/24/2020
Davis	Chad	Wilby	Special Ed BDLC	08/24/2020
DellaVolpe	Erica	Waterbury Arts	PE/Health	08/24/2020
Durkin	Lynda	Walsh/Tinker	ESL	08/24/2020
Giddings	Jennifer	Driggs/Chase	Art	08/24/2020
Iadarola	Kristen	Kennedy	Eng LA	09/08/2020
Kaponis	Rachael	State Street	Pre-k Sped	09/08/2020
Lavernoich	Julia	Bunker Hill	Music	09/08/2020
Miller	Alexandra	Bucks Hill Annex	Pre-K Sped	08/24/2020
Miller	Justin	Wilby	PE/Health	08/24/2020
Morrow	Olivia	Wilby	Music	09/08/2020
Morse	Joseph	Career Academy	Math	09/17/2020
Murrell	Kereme	Kennedy	Guidance Counselor	09/08/2020
Mustafaraj	Megi	Wilson	Gr 2	08/24/2020
Nazario	Katherine	Bucks Hill	Gr 5	08/24/2020
Newman	Michael	Reed	Music	11/02/2020
Nido	Savanah	Chase	Gr 2	09/14/2020
Nott	Timothy	Wilson	Special Ed	08/24/2020
Oliver Miccio	Audra	Wilby	Special Ed BDLC	09/08/2020
Paglia	Marissa	Tinker	Kindergarden	08/24/2020
Peters	Courtney	Duggan	Eng/LA Gr 7	09/08/2020
Petta	Mikaela	Rotella	Gr 4	08/24/2020
Piselli	Damon	Career Academy	History/Soc Studies	08/24/2020
Purnawasi	Muniram	Crosby	Math	09/08/2020
Quispe	Magna	OEC-Districtwide	Pre-K	10/22/2020
Reeves	Kenneth	Bunker Hill	Special Ed- BDLC	09/08/2020
Rivera	Ana	BH Annex	Pre-K Sped	10/01/2020
Rosenblum-Shevis	Barbara	Wallace	Math Gr 7	08/24/2020
Russo	Christopher	Carrington	Gr 04	09/17/2020
Santos	Rosalina	Wallace	PE/Health	08/24/2020
Schultz	Olivia	Carrington	Gr 5	09/08/2020
Scurso	Steven	Wilby	Math	08/24/2020
Sileo-Pettway	Renee	Enlightenment/ State Street	Guidance Counselor	08/24/2020
Solla	Daniel	Career Academy	Business	09/24/2020
Spinella	Christine	Tinker	Gr 5	08/24/2020
Taher	Tanzina	North End	General Science	08/24/2020
Tata	Lauren	Washington/Regan	Library Media	10/08/2020
Thompson	Jessica	Chase	PreK Reg Ed	08/24/2020
Tripoli	Christine	Generali/DW	SLP	10/01/2020
Tulley	Jordan	Wallace	Music	09/08/2020
Valletta	Kimberly	Reed	Gr 3	09/08/2020
Van Wyk	Cornelis	Wilby	Science	08/24/2020
Virdee	Robin	Bunker Hill	Gr 2	09/14/2020

d. Resignations:

Grendzinski, Kelsey – Chase Special Education, effective 10/20/2020.

Iadarola, Kristen – KHS English, effective 11/13/2020.

Sample, Atiya – WHS Math, effective 11/05/2020.

Walent, Cheyenne – Rotella Grade 4, effective 11/06/2020.

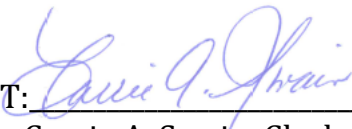
e. Retirements:

Betkoski, Nancy – Rotella/Generali ESL, effective 11/20/2020.

DiMaio, Dante – KHS Technology Educ., new effective date of 10/26/2021.

EXECUTIVE SESSION for discussion the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

ADJOURNMENT

ATTEST: 

Carrie A. Swain, Clerk
Board of Education