

Board of Education

RESCHEDULED REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, November 16, 2016 – 6:30 p.m.

Waterbury Arts Magnet School, 16 South Elm Street, Waterbury, CT

A G E N D A

- 1. *Silent Prayer***
- 2. *Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag***
- 3. *Roll Call***
- 4. *Communications***
- 5. *Approval of Minutes:*** June 9, 2016 Workshop, June 16, 2016 Regular Meeting, October 27, 2016 Workshop, and November 3, 2016 Regular Meeting.
- 6. *Public Addresses the Board:*** All speakers are encouraged to submit prepared written statements to the Commissioners. Comments shall be limited to a maximum of five minutes. There will be no responses this evening to any questions or concerns raised; they will be referred to the Administration for review and response.
- 7. *Superintendent's Announcements***
- 8. *President's Comments***
- 9. *Consent Calendar***
 - 9.1 *Committee of the Whole:* Request approval for the Waterbury Public Schools to participate in Durham School Services "Bus Tracker" app.
 - 9.2 *Committee of the Whole:* Request approval of a Memorandum of Understanding with United Way of Greater Waterbury for the Born Learning Academy Program.
 - 9.3 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of an Agreement with Waterbury Youth Service System, Inc. as required by the Youth Service Bureau Grant for truancy prevention services.
 - 9.4 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of a License and Purchase Agreement with Edgenuity to provide student online products and services.
 - 9.5 *Committee on School Personnel:* Request approval of the revised job specifications for the position of Talent and Professional Development Supervisor.
 - 9.6 *Committee on Policy:* Request approval of new policy "Business and Non-Instructional Operations – Student Data Privacy" (#3520.13).

- 9.7 *Committee on Policy*: Request approval of new policy “Students - Alcohol Use, Drugs, and Tobacco” (#5131.6).
- 9.8 *Committee on Policy*: Request approval of new policy “Personnel-Marijuana Medical Standards” (#4118.235).
- 9.9 *Committee on Curriculum*: Request permission be granted to Heidi Doolan, WHS, and five chaperones to take 40 students to New York, NY on November 30, 2016 to attend a performance of “The Color Purple”.
- 9.10 *Committee on Curriculum*: Request permission be granted to Michael Sullivan, CHS, and three chaperones to take 25 students to Salem, MA on November 17, 2016 to visit historical sites.
- 9.11 *Committee on School Facilities & Grounds*: Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments.
- 9.12 *Committee on School Facilities & Grounds*: Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests.

10. *Items Removed from Consent Calendar*

11. *Committee on Policy* – Commissioner Sweeney

- 11.1 Request approval of revisions to the Bylaws of the Board of Education.

12. *Committee on Grievances* – Vice President Rodriguez

- 12.1 WTA Grievance 15-16-18.
- 12.2 WTA Grievance 16-17-01.
- 12.3 WTA Grievance 16-17-12.

13. *Superintendent’s Notification to the Board*

- 13.1 Athletic appointments effective immediately:
 Conte, Joseph – WHS Assistant Track Coach.
 Flammia, Peter – WCA Winter and Spring Strength and Conditioning Coach
 Mauro, Jennifer – WHS Assistant Cheerleading Coach.
 O’Toole, John – WCA Fall Strength and Conditioning Coach.
 Parks, Eric – Carrington Intramural Boys Basketball Coach.
 Rosa, Jennifer – NEMS Softball Coach.
 Soucey, David – Carrington Intramural Girls Basketball Coach.
 Tattersall, Samuel – NEMS Soccer Coach.

13.2 Grant funded appointments effective immediately:

Beierle, Karen – Instructional Tutor – English Language Arts, maximum of 19 hours p/week @ \$25.00 p/hour, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by Title I.

Blaschke, Jennifer – Physical Education Teacher, State Department of Education and 21st Century After-school Program Grants, maximum of 10 hours p/week, salary according to WTA contract, non-union and without benefits.

Gomes, William – Instructional Tutor – English Language Arts, maximum of 19 hours p/week @ \$25.00 p/hour, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by Title I.

Ortiz, Hector – Substitute Recreation Specialist, State Department of Education and 21st Century After-school Program Grants, maximum of 10 hours p/week @ \$12.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Patterson, Daniella – Substitute Recreation Specialist, State Department of Education and 21st Century After-school Program Grants, maximum of 10 hours p/week @ \$12.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Paulson, Veronica – Instructional Tutor – English Language Arts, maximum of 19 hours p/week @ \$25.00 p/hour, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by Alliance Grant.

Rollins, Ti’Shai – Substitute Recreation Specialist, State Department of Education and 21st Century After-school Program Grants, maximum of 10 hours p/week @ \$12.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Vilchez, Anthony – Substitute Recreation Specialist, State Department of Education and 21st Century After-school Program Grants, maximum of 10 hours p/week @ \$12.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

13.3 Extended School Hours (ESH) Program appointments, salary according to individual’s contract:

School	Last name	First Name	Assignment
Wilson	Orsini	Marie	Teacher

13.4 Teacher new hires:

Name		Assignment		Step		Effective
Bloemker	Daniel	WCA	Tech Ed-Manuf.	BA+15	4	9/9/2016
Brocksmith	Jennifer	WMS	Guidance	6th+15	5	11/21/2016
Dodge	Melissa	NEMS	Special Ed.	BA	2	10/1/2016
Guanca	Ruth	WCA	World Lang/Spanish	BA	1	9/21/2016
Knecht	Kimya	WSMS	Special Ed.	6th	3	9/28/2016
Magurne	Amanda	Carrington	School Psych.	6th	2	11/17/2016
Nordby	Lindsay	Walsh	Special Ed.	MA	2	8/29/2016
Poulter	Dennis	Generali	Gr. 5	MA	2	9/16/2016
Schmidt	Rachel	Duggan	Special Ed.	MA	1	10/3/2016
Schuck	Yechezkel	Bunker Hill	School Psych.	6th+15	6	8/29/2016
Shungu	Alex	WCA	Chemistry	6+15	6	8/25/2016
Wolff	Nicole	Kingsbury	Kindergarten	MA	3	8/25/2016

13.5 Teacher transfers:

Name		From	To	Effective
Franceskino	Jennifer	WCA Math	WCA Math Dept. Head	Nov-16
Harrison	Rebecca	Regan Reading	WMS Literacy Teacher /Interventionist	Nov-16
Larson	Jamie	Tinker SPED	WAMS SPED	Nov-16
Lawson	Doreen	Bucks Hill Title 1 Literacy	WHY Literacy Teacher /Interventionist	Nov-16
Lindley	Carly	WCA English	WCA English Dept. Head	Nov-16
Linehan	Megan	Tinker Gr 3	Districtwide - Math Facilitator/Coach	Dec-16
Nizzardo	Kari	WCA Science	WCA Science Dept. Head	Nov-16
O'Donnell	Patricia	Chase Gr	Chase Title I Literacy	Nov-16
Sylvester	David	WCA Social Studies	WCA Soc. Studies Dept. Head	Nov-16

13.6 Adult Education appointments effective immediately:

Zabbara, Ian – Part time Security/Custodial Aide, 25 hours p/week @ \$11.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

13.7 Resignations

Jeon, Sunghye – WHS Math, effective 10/14/16.

O'Halloran, Kathryn – Duggan Tech Ed/Computer, effective 10/31/16.

Wilkesman, Carrie – WHS Special Ed, effective 10/31/16.

14. Unfinished Business of Preceding Meeting Only

15. Other Unfinished, New, and Miscellaneous Business

16. Executive Session for discussion concerning the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

17. Adjournment