

Board of Education

REGULAR MEETING

Thursday, October 6, 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:*** January 28, 2016 Workshop, February 4, 2016 Regular Meeting, February 11, 2016 Workshop, February 18, 2016 Regular Meeting, February 25, 2016 Workshop, March 3, 2016 Regular Meeting, March 10, 2016 Workshop, March 17, 2016 Regular Meeting, June 23, 2016 Special Meeting, June 30, 2016 Special Workshop, June 30, 2016 Workshop, July 14, 2016 Special Meeting, July 28, 2016 Workshop, August 4, 2016 Regular Meeting, August 25, 2016 Workshop, September 1, 2016 Regular Meeting, September 8, 2016 Workshop, and September 15, 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. The Chairman will disallow a speaker from continuing to speak if slanderous or defamatory remarks are made. 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 on Finance:* Request approval of an Agreement with PowerSchool Group, LLC for a Student Information Management System.
 - 9.2 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of an Agreement with ACES Cooperative Educational Services for project management services for the Student Information Management System.
 - 9.3 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of the submission of the 2016-17 State Bilingual Grant application.
 - 9.4 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of the submission of the 2016-18 Title III Grant application.
 - 9.5 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of an Agreement with Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center of Greater Waterbury, Inc. for a Board Certified Behavior Analyst.

- 9.6 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of an Agreement with Ambassador Wheelchair Services, Inc. for transportation for medically fragile students and/or students with disabilities.
- 9.7 *Committee on Building:* Request approval of an Agreement with Friar Associates, Inc. for design of two elevators and resurfacing of parking lots and tennis courts.
- 9.8 *Committee on Building:* Request acceptance of the Code Combination Project/State Project #151-0243, as complete.
- 9.9 *Committee on Building:* Request acceptance of the Reed Elementary School Project/State Project #151-0253, as complete.
- 9.10 *Committee on Building:* Request acceptance of the Waterbury Career Academy Project/State Project #151-0273, as complete.
- 9.11 *Committee on Curriculum:* Request permission be granted to Robyn Hicock, KHS, and four chaperones to take 50 students to Salem, MA on Friday, October 21, 2016 to visit various sites.
- 9.12 *Committee on School Facilities & Grounds:* Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments.
- 9.13 *Committee on School Facilities & Grounds:* Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests.

10. Items Removed from Consent Calendar

11. Superintendent's Notification to the Board

- 11.1 Athletic appointments effective immediately:
Soucey, David – Assistant Football Coach, KHS.
- 11.2 Grant funded appointments effective immediately:
DeCena, Davina – Parent Liaison, Washington School, \$15.12 per hour for 30 hours per week, school year only, non-union with salary and benefits governed by UPSEU #69, funded by Title I grant.
Leach, Darice – Classroom Assistant, Rotella Magnet School, \$11.15 per hour for 35 hours per week, school year only, salary & benefits governed by UPSEU #68 bargaining agreement, funded by Rotella Magnet grant.
Matazzo, Claudette – Child Associate (recalled from layoff list), Duggan School, \$22.00 per hour for 19.5 hours per week, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by Primary Mental Health grant.
McIntosh, Natasha – Assistant Tutor to the Homeless, \$16.00 per hour for 8-10 hours per week, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by EHC&Y grant.

Rentas, Benoni – Classroom Assistant, Sprague School, \$11.15 per hour for 35 hours per week, school year only, salary & benefits governed by UPSEU #68 bargaining agreement, funded by School Readiness grant.

Rinaldi, Joseph – Assistant Tutor to the Homeless, \$16.00 per hour for 8-10 hours per week, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by EHC&Y grant.

Walluck, Robin – Assistant Tutor to the Homeless, \$16.00 per hour for 8-10 hours per week, school year only, non-union and without benefits, funded by EHC&Y grant.

11.3 Recreation Specialist appointments, State Department of Education and 21st Grant After-school Programs, maximum of 10 hours per week @ \$12.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits, effective immediately:

Chase Park House: Jedidah Burke
Driggs: Josiah Burke
Substitute: Rachel Lamb

Hopeville: Adnyl Trinidad
Wilson: Joshua Adorno

11.4 State Department of Education After-school Program appointments, Sprague School, salary according to individual's contract:

Geraldine Horan – teacher

Stephanie Pascale – teacher

11.5 21st Century Grant After-school Program appointments, salary according to individual's contract:

Jamie Donahue – PE teacher
Lauren Abarzua – Sub Teacher
Carli Carpentieri – Sub Teacher
Alison Kirchberger – Sub Teacher

Wesley Katrenya – PE teacher
Christian Baumbach – Sub Teacher
Vivaldi Demas – Sub Teacher
Marcy Peschke – Sub Teacher

11.6 Rotella Magnet School's After School Program appointments, October 3-December 8, 2016 – Monday through Thursday, salary according to individual's contract:

Administrator – Robin Henry
Grants Facilitator – Jean Zastaury

AV Tech – Brian Michaud

Teachers – Enrichment and/or Academics

Altieri, Christina
Argenta, Lauren
Barrett, Ellen
Cipriano, Nancyjean
Ciuffo, Stephanie
D'Aniello, Kara
Drysdale, Dana
Ecke, Lisa
Ledbetter, Brenda

Subs

Heidgerd, Angela
Matthews, Julia
Monroe, Mary
Ouellette, Bernadette
Romano, Lisa
Russaw, Crystal
Santovasi, Monica
Stanco, Barbara

Lee, Ellen
 McLaren, Ashley
 Miller, Terri
 Rinaldi, Heather
 Shopey, Meghan
 Silva, Joseph
 Vargas, Melissa

Paras

Begin, Debra
 Cicchiello, Ersilia
 Sugrue, Kathleen

Aides

Beaudoin, Janet
 Generali, Linda
 Hamel, Jacqueline
 Lopez, Elizabeth
 Meehan, Lisa
 Santos, Jeannine
 Vicenzi, Valerie
 Walters, Kimberly

11.7 Waterbury Career Academy Grade 8 After-school STEM Program appointments, funded by Alliance Grant:

Albini, Nicholas – Administrator Solla, Anna - Secretary
 Russo, Joseph – Sub Administrator Toucet, Nyree – Sub Administrator

Teachers:

Suzanne Hoy	Joseph Chabot
Reese Denu	Mario Dias
Jose Ferreira	Kay Ann Hewell-Walker
Jacqueline Lestage	Linda Richards
Vincent Sapone	Stephanie Simms
Ken Sirois	

11.8 Teacher new hires:

Name		Assignment		Step		Effective
Booth (Lawrence)	Caley	WMS	ELA	BA	2	8/25/2016
Gizzie	Danna	WHS	ELA	MA	3	8/26/2016
Jeon	Sunghee	WHS	Math	MA	6	9/6/2016
Johnson	Deanna	WMS	Art	MA	5	8/25/2016
Kissell	Stephen	NEMS	Science-Gr. 7	PHD	6	8/25/2016
Mangi	Theodore	Reed	Reading/LA	MA	6	9/22/2016
Oliveira	Gustavo	WSMS	Computer Educ.	MA	3	8/26/2016
Pal	Ayesha	Kingsbury	Guidance	MA	1	8/25/2016
Patrick	Kenneth	WHS	Health/Phys Ed.	BA	1	9/6/2016
Scialla	Joseph	WMS	Special Ed.	BA	3	9/6/2016
Scocozza-Johnson	Joy	Generali/Tinker	School Psych.	6TH	8	8/25/2016
Swarts	Garrett	Gilmartin	ELA	MA	1	8/25/2016

11.9 Adult Education appointments, effective immediately:

Iasevoli, Luigi – Security (Evening Division), \$20.00 per hour for 20 hours per week, 12 month position, non-union and without benefits.

Krasney, Kelly – CAN CNA Instructor, \$32.00 per hour for up to 9 hours per week, 12 month position, non-union and without benefits.

11.10 Resignations:

Gavrillis, Diana – Carrington School, School Psychologist, eff. 10/01/16.

Julian, Kate – Driggs School, Special Education, eff. 09/30/16.

Stirgwolt, Amanda – Waterbury Career Academy, Human Services, eff. 09/27/16.

11.11 Leave of absence requests:

Coussens, Maria – Hopeville School, Literacy Facilitator, requesting an unpaid childrearing leave of absence from 11/24/16 through 02/15/17.

12. Unfinished Business of Preceding Meeting Only

13. Other Unfinished, New, and Miscellaneous Business

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

15. Adjournment