



## MEMORANDUM

**FROM:** Carrie A. Swain, Clerk  
Board of Education

**DATE:** April 14, 2015

**TO:** Michael J. Dalton, City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Notice of RESCHEDULED Committee Meetings – Thursday,  
April 16, 2015, 5:30 p.m., Waterbury Career Academy  
Notice of RESCHEDULED Regular Meeting – Wednesday,  
April 22, 2015, Maloney Magnet School Café

The Committees of the Board of Education will meet on Thursday, April 16, 2015, 5:30 p.m., Waterbury Career Academy, 175 Birch Street, Waterbury, CT.

### AGENDA

#### SILENT PRAYER

#### PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

1. Committee of the Whole/30 minutes ~ Principal's Report [BFC: n/a] (no backup) – Dr. Padua.
2. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval to participate in the Continuation of the Discovery Initiative Grant/William Caspar Graustein Memorial Fund with Waterbury Bridge to Success and approval of the 2015-2016 Application Assurances for the same [BFC:G3/01] – A. M. Cullinan, Lori Hart.
3. Committee of the Whole/5 minutes ~ Update: Board of Education's 2015 Meeting Schedule [BFC: n/a].
4. Committee on Curriculum/2 minutes ~ Request permission be granted to Emmanuel Martinez, WHS, and three chaperones to take 36 students to Boston, MA from May 21 through 22, 2015 to visit the Natural History Museum and Salem Town [BFC: G2/01].
5. Committee on Curriculum/2 minutes ~ Request permission be granted to Stephanie LaBonte, WHS, and four chaperones to take 50 students to Newport, RI on April 28, 2015 to visit The Breakers and Salve Regina College [BFC: G2/01].
6. Committee on Curriculum/2 minutes ~ Request permission be granted to Anita Watkins, WHS, and two chaperones to take 28 students to New York, NY to visit the Fashion Institute of Technology and Museum of Modern Art [BFC: G2/01].
7. Committee on Curriculum/2 minutes ~ Request permission be granted Robyn Hicock, KHS, and four chaperones to take 50 students to Lyndhurst, NJ on May 21, 2015 to attend Medieval Times [BFC: G2/01].
8. Committee on Curriculum/2 minutes ~ Request permission be granted to Theresa Gionfriddo, CHS, and three chaperones to take 40 students to Agawam, MA on May 15, 2015 to visit Six Flags [BFC: G2/01].
9. Committee on School Facilities & Grounds/5 minutes ~ Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments [BFC: n/a].

10. Committee on School Facilities & Grounds/5 minutes ~ Use of school facilities by outside organization and/or waiver requests <sup>[BFC: n/a]</sup>.

11. Superintendent's Notification to the Board/5 minutes: <sup>[BFC: n/a]</sup>

a. Grant funded appointments effective immediately:

Gibson, Alyse – ELA Instructional Tutor, 15.75 hours per week for a maximum of 28 weeks, \$25.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits, funded by Alliance Grant.

Martinez, Alexandra – Parent Educator/Positive Youth Development Leader, Reed FRC, 10 months p/year, 30 hours p/week, \$15.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Matozzo, Claudette – Child Associate for Primary Mental Health Program Grant/Wraparound Service, Walsh School, 10 months p/year, 19.5 hours per week, \$22.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Rice, Ka-ne – Child Associate for Primary Mental Health Program Grant/Wraparound Service, Walsh School, 10 months p/year, 19.5 hours per week, \$22.00 p/hour, non-union and without benefits.

Saraiva, Luisa – Grant Facilitator, WAMS, 12 months p/year, 35 hours p/week, \$22 per hour, with benefits.

Torres, Jacqueline – Family Resource Center Coordinator, Chase School, \$31.54 p/hour, 35 hours p/week, 12 months, benefits governed by the SEIU agreement.

b. Wilson Family Resource Center's Books & Basketball Before School Program appointments, Monday through Thursday, 29 total days, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:

Deeley, Jennifer – Teacher

Fengler, Kelly – Teacher

James, Rebecca – Para

Lestage, Sara – Teacher

Quinones, Leocadia – Teacher

Reho, Jessica – Coordinator

Shaffer, Andrea – Sub

Steffero, Melissa – Teacher

c. Teacher hires:

| Name     |         | Location      | Assignment        | Eff.     | Salary |
|----------|---------|---------------|-------------------|----------|--------|
| Coviello | Jessica | Enlightenment | Special Education | 04/13/15 | MA/8   |

d. Academic Achievements effective March 1, 2015:

| Last             | First     | From                  | To                    | College/University        |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Bandurski        | Andrew    | MA+15/3               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /3    | UConn                     |
| Barbiuto         | Gina      | 6 <sup>th</sup> /6    | 6 <sup>th</sup> +15/6 | Walden U                  |
| Blaney           | Sean      | MA+15/4               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /4    | SCSU                      |
| Brown            | Heather   | 6+15/12               | PhD/12                | SCSU                      |
| Carrion (LaRose) | Stephanie | BA+15/3               | MA/3                  | U of St. Joseph           |
| Conte, JR.       | Joseph    | BA/2                  | BA+15/2               | SCSU                      |
| Conway           | Alyson    | BA/2                  | BA+15/2               | Central                   |
| Coyle            | Kerry     | BA/2                  | BA+15/2               | Concordia U               |
| Delaney          | Jennifer  | MA/5                  | MA+15/5               | Western                   |
| Demas            | Vivaldi   | MA+15/1               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /1    | Central                   |
| Demiraj          | Brunilda  | MA+15/5               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /5    | Walden U                  |
| Densmore         | Amy       | 6 <sup>th</sup> /6    | 6 <sup>th</sup> +15/6 | Walden U                  |
| Dombrowski       | Jason     | MA+15/2               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /2    | SCSU                      |
| Dunn             | Brittany  | MA/4                  | MA+15/4               | U of Bridgeport           |
| Feola (Meyer)    | Sara      | BA+15/3               | MA/3                  | SCSU                      |
| Gagne-Grasso     | Melissa   | 6 <sup>th</sup> +15/6 | PhD/6                 | Walden U                  |
| Gibbons          | Melissa   | BA/4                  | BA+15/4               | Boston U                  |
| Irizarry         | Reina     | BA+15/9               | MA/9                  | UConn/ U of Phoenix       |
| Kickel           | Alison    | 6 <sup>th</sup> /3    | 6 <sup>th</sup> +15/3 | Grand Cannon U            |
| King-Johnson     | Tracy     | BA/9                  | MA/9                  | Post U                    |
| Koeppel          | Denise    | MA/5                  | MA+15/5               | U of Bridgeport           |
| LaValle          | Alexa     | MA+15/3               | 6 <sup>th</sup> /3    | SCSU                      |
| Lindley (Dibble) | Carly     | MA/6                  | MA+15/6               | U of Bridge/Southern NH U |

|                     |         |                    |                       |                             |
|---------------------|---------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Manalio-Bonaventura | Gia     | MA+15/2            | 6 <sup>th</sup> /2    | National U                  |
| Martinez            | Jason   | BA/6               | BA+15/6               | Ashford U                   |
| Miller              | Megan   | MA+15/5            | 6 <sup>th</sup> /5    | Sacred Heart U              |
| Nowacki             | Jennie  | BA+15/6            | MA/6                  | SCSU                        |
| Outlaw              | Ashley  | BA+15/4            | MA/4                  | Lesley U                    |
| Rykowski (Kerwin)   | Colleen | BA+15/2            | MA/2                  | SCSU                        |
| Santana             | Zulma   | MA/2               | MA+15/2               | The City College of NY/SCSU |
| Sileo               | Renee   | 6 <sup>th</sup> /4 | 6 <sup>th</sup> +15/4 | SCSU/Western                |
| Summa               | Emily   | BA+15/6            | MA/6                  | U of NE/Walden U            |

- e. Adult Education Enrichment Program appointments effective immediately:  
Palomba, Krista – Couponing 101 & The Basics of Selling on E-bay, 4 hours p/week @\$24.00 p/hour.
- f. Retirements:  
Brophy, Judith – CHS Literacy, effective 02/01/15.  
Gorman, Phyllis – Chase Literacy, effective 07/01/15.
- g. Resignations:  
Amendola, Maryangela – Director, Chase Family Resource Center, effective 04/01/15.  
Erdmann, Michael – WHS Special Education, effective 04/16/15.  
Vitale, Sandra – School Psychologist, Carrington School, effective 04/10/15.
- h. Leave of Absence requests:  
Colello, Jennifer – School Psychologist, Bucks Hill Annex, requesting an unpaid childrearing leave of absence for the period of June 12 – 19, 2015.

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

ATTEST:   
Carrie A. Swain, Clerk  
Board of Education