

Glen Cove Board of Education
MEETING
Wednesday, May 4, 2022, 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Glen Cove High School

Via Livestream: www.glencoveschools.org

I. Opening Ceremony

On a motion by Trustee Maria Venuto, seconded by Trustee Maureen Jimenez, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved into executive session at 6:03 pm. On a motion by Trustee Anne Markoulis, seconded by Trustee Maria Venuto, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to adjourn executive session at 7:26 pm.

A. Salute to Flag

Public session was called to order by President Lia Leone. Salute to the flag at 8:47 pm after the budget hearing that started at 7:33 pm.

B. Roll Call

The following Board of Education members were present:

Lia Leone, Maria Venuto, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Anne Markoulis, Meghan Lavine

II. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education Meeting

Minutes of April 13, 2022 - Presented by District Clerk

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the minutes from the Board of Education meeting of April 13, 2022 as amended.

Move: Maureen Jimenez Second: Meghan Lavine Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

III. Committee Reports

No Reports

IV. Superintendent Report

A. Updates

It's spring and with that it brings many concerts. Last night some of our elementary kids performed at the middle school Wunch center and after speaking with the principal as to the amazing experience seeing our 5th graders on stage and in person once again. Most of our concerts are scheduled in the evening and you can view our website for the schedules as well as a middle school talent show on May 13th at 6:30 where the monies raised will go towards helping Ukraine. If you get a chance please be sure to attend.

Dr. Rianna thanked the entire GCTV crew for the live streaming of all these events and doing a phenomenal job. It's viewed worldwide. One of the outside performances was even viewed by someone in the Ukraine that noticed a relative performing.

1. Glen Cove Downtown BID Honors Student Musicians

This section of the meeting will be rescheduled for a later date due to a conflict.

V. Public Participation

This section gives opportunity to residents who wish to raise a question or make a brief statement on agenda items.

No questions or comments were presented by attendees at this time.

VI. Instructional Report

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum Instruction, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following Committee on Special Education.

Move: Anne Markoulis Second: Angela Raimo Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

A. Committee on Special Education

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education for Initial Placement Programs/Services for cases filed in the office of special education from meetings and approves the authorization of funds to implement the special education programs and services.

B. Committee on Preschool Special Education

No reports

VII. Business Affairs

A. Finance

No Reports

B. Operations

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent of Business, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following matters:

Move: Angela Raimo Second: Maria Venuto Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

1. Appointment of Chairpersons and Inspectors of Election

BE IT RESOLVED that the following named qualified voters of the Glen Cove City School District, Glen Cove, New York is hereby appointed as a Chairperson, Translator or Inspector of Election for the School District Trustee and Budget Election to be held on May 17, 2022.

SCHOOL ELECTION DISTRICT A, B, C – High School, Back Gym		
Joanna Christ	18 Branding Iron Lane	Inspector
Lucille Johnson	202 Cambridge Drive, Glen Cove	Inspector
Carol Macvicar	310 Cambridge Court, Glen Cove	Inspector

Marie Meo	310 Cambridge Court, Glen Cove	Inspector
Donna Marino	47 Valentine Street, Glen Cove	Chairperson
David Nieri	8 Harwood Drive W, Glen Cove	Inspector
Margaret Nieri	8 Harwood Drive W, Glen Cove	Chairperson
Joanne Riccardi	24 Gaffney Street, Glen Cove	Inspector
Irma Riog (Villafane)	54 Viola Drive, Glen Cove	Translator
Karen Tenke	23 Stillman Road, Glen Cove	Inspector
Lori Testa	12 Briarwood Drive, Glen Cove	Inspector
Gregory Villafane	54 Viola Drive, Glen Cove	Inspector
Antoinette Zekraus	18 1 st Street, Glen Cove	Inspector

SCHOOL ELECTION DISTRICT D – Connolly School		
Angelina Basile	1 Henry Drive, Glen Cove	Chairperson
Agueda Lopez	23 Stillman Road, Glen Cove	Chairperson/Translator
Ann Marie Martinez	100 Village Square, Apt. 222	Inspector

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each Inspector of Election shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of \$225 for the full day or \$15 per hour (or whatever the minimum wage rate is). Chairpersons of Election shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of \$310 per day (full day only). Translators of Election shall be entitled to compensation of \$255 (full day only). If a switchboard operation is needed they shall be compensated at the rate of \$15 per hour. Additionally, any inspector, translator or chairperson that requires training will be compensated at a rate of \$15 for a one hour training given by the district clerk.

2. Contracts - Health and Allied Services

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the services as summarized below for Health and Allied Services and authorizes the President of the Board to sign such upon approval:

District	Address	School/# of Students	Services
White Plains City School District	5 Homeside Lane White Plains, NY 10605	Winward School 1	Health and Allied Services

3. Field Trip

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of School, the Board of Education approves the Class of 2022 senior trip to Six Flags Great Adventure on May 31, 2022 as outlined on documentation filed with the district.

4. Budget Transfers

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of School, the Board of Education approves the following budget transfers:

BUDGET TRANSFER(S)			
Account Code	Account Name	Transfer In	Transfer Out
A2110.161.03	Salary - Monitors - Connolly	\$10,000.00	
A2110.161.04	Salary - Monitors - Gribbin	\$10,000.00	
A2110.161.06	Salary - Monitors - Landing	\$16,000.00	
A2110.161.02	Salary - Monitors - Deasy		\$10,000.00
A2110.161.08	Salary - Monitors - HS		\$5,000.00
A2250.161.07	Salary - Monitors - Special Ed - MS		\$21,000.00
TOTAL		\$36,000.00	\$36,000.00

*To fund various salary codes to cover actual expense.

BUDGET TRANSFER(S)			
Account Code	Account Name	Transfer In	Transfer Out
A2250.470	Tuition Special Ed Schools	\$125,000.00	
A2250.401	Special Ed Services - DOL		\$19,000.00
A2250.444	Medicaid Reimbursement SVC Fee		\$9,000.00
A2250.471	Special Ed Contractual Services		\$36,000.00
A2250.476.25	Psch Consultant - CSE		\$6,000.00
A2250.490.25	Special Ed - BOCES - Speech - DW		\$50,000.00
A2820.401	Psch Consultant - Non CSE		\$5,000.00
TOTAL		\$125,000.00	\$125,000.00

*To fund tuition special ed schools to cover actual expenses billed by various special ed schools.

5. Contracts - Student Services

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the student service contracts as summarized below and authorizes the President of the Board to sign such contract upon approval:

Provider: Tinagero Speech-Language Pathology
 Address: P.O. Box 512
 Williston Park, NY 11596
 Service: Speech Language Services
 Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: Tiegerman School
 Address: 100 Glen Cove Avenue
 Glen Cove, NY 11542
 Service: Tuition and related services
 Rate: \$58,091 for 10 months, \$9,682 for 2 months

Provider: Kidz Educational Services
 Address: 1400 Old Country Road, Ste. C103N
 Westbury, NY 11590
 Service: Multiple Special Education Services
 Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: George Wurzer LCSW
 Address: 67 Bennett Avenue
 Huntington Station, NY 11746
 Service: Behavior Consultant Services
 Rate: \$100 per hour

Provider: MKSA
 Address: 125 East Bethpage Rd, Suite 5
 Plainview, NY 11803
 Service: Multiple Special Education Services
 Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: Life’s WORC Family Center for Autism
 Address: 1501 Franklin Ave.
 Garden City, NY 11530
 Service: Multiple Special Education Related Services
 Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: Long Island Speech Pathology Services
 Address: 71 Alexander Avenue
 Farmingdale, NY 11735
 Service: Speech services
 Rate: \$120 per hour and \$240 per evaluation

Provider: Dr. Tanya Linzalone

Address: 44 Kirkwood Drive
Glen Cove, NY 11542
Service: Assistive Technology Consultation
Rate: \$125 per hour

Provider: Little Flower UFSD
Address: 2460 North Wading River Road
Wading River, NY 11792
Service: Tuition
Rate: \$55,796 for 10 months, \$9,299 for 2 months

Provider: Carrie's Kids
Address: 47 Locust Avenue
Glen Head, NY 11545
Service: Occupational Therapy Services
Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: Blue Sea
Address: 25 Fenimore Lane
Huntington, NY 11743
Service: Multiple Special Education Related Services
Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: East Norwich Therapeutic Services
Address: 2 Calvert Drive
Syosset, NY 11791
Service: Occupational Therapy Services
Rate: \$150 per hour, \$450 evaluation

Provider: Cove Speech Language & Feeding Therapy
Address: 25 N Yew St
Glen cove, NY 11542
Service: Speech Language and Feeding Therapy
Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

Provider: Extraordinary Pediatrics PC
Address: 5 Dakota Drive, Suite 200
New Hyde Park, NY 11042
Service: Multiple Special Education Related Services
Rate: Fee schedule filed in the office of special education

6. Cooperative Bid Award

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education awards the Nassau County School Buildings Association 2022-2023 Cooperative Bid for Playground Installation, Repair and Inspection, opened on Friday, March 25, 2022 to the following contractors:

1. Playground Purchase and Installation
 - A) Burke: American Recreational Products
 - B) Gametime: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 - C) Landscape: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 - D) Playcraft Systems: No Bids
 - E) Play & Park Structures: NZL Equipment, Inc.
2. Playground Site Preparation
NZL Equipment, Inc.
3. Playground Removal & Disposal
 - A) Pea Gravel: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 - B) Wood Fiber: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 - C) Structures: NZL Equipment, Inc.

4. Playground Repair
NZL Equipment, Inc.
5. Playground Inspections
Playground Medic
6. Playground Safety Surfaces – Materials and Install
 - A) Rubber Tile:
NZL Equipment, Inc.
American Recreational Products-Sole Source for Burke
 - B) Engineered Wood Fiber: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 - C) Blown-in EWF: American Recreational Products
7. Playground Safety Surfaces-Materials & Install
 - A) Poured In Place Rubber-New Install: Premier Rubber Surfacing Inc.
 - B) Poured in Place Rubber-Repair: Premier Rubber Surfacing Inc.
8. Playground Safety Surfaces-Materials Only
 - A) Rubber Tile:
NZL Equipment, Inc.
American Recreational Products-Sole Source for Burke
 - B) Engineered Wood Fiber: American Recreational Products
 - C) Wear Mats:
 1. 1" thick: NZL Equipment, Inc.
 2. 1-1/2" thick: American Recreational Products
 3. 3" thick: Playground Medic
9. Playground Sub-Base:
 1. Compacted RCA 4" depth: Premier Rubber Surfacing Inc.
 2. 3" RCA & stone dust at 1" compacted: NZL Equipment, Inc.

7. Donation

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of School, the Board of Education accepts a donation of \$1018 from Theatre Two to be used for a scholarship for a Class of 2022 senior pursuing a career or study in performing arts.

8. Proposal - IAG

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of School, the Board of Education approves the proposal from IAG, an insurance archaeology company to research insurance coverage for prior periods.

President Lia Leone thanked the donor.

VIII. Personnel

A. Certified

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of School the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following certified manners.

Move: Maureen Jimenez Second: Meghan Lavine Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

1. Appointment of 6th Period Class Teachers (High School)

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed to a 6th period ENL class at the high school for one period, every day, effective

April 25, 2022 through June 24, 2022, as specified below (salary as per contract, prorated).

Georgiadis, Lucas
Hernandez, Ariana
Kelly, Thomas
Luxenberg, Jennifer
Pavlovich, Lora

2. Appointment of Summer Academic Program K-8 Staff

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed for the Summer Academic Program K-8, effective July 5, 2022 through August 4, 2022, as specified below.

Teaching Assistant – (salary-hourly rate, as per contract, up to 3.75 hrs./day)

Gomez Del Valle, Emma

3. Appointment of Summer Curriculum Writers

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Summer Curriculum Writers for the Glen Cove City School District effective June 27, 2022 through August 19, 2022, as specified below (salary as per contract).

Grade 8 Transition to Regents Living Environment (15 hours per teacher)
Carnovale, Christina
Meyerson, Jake

4. Appointment of Per Diem Substitute Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Per Diem Substitute Teacher for the Glen Cove City School District for the 2021-2022 school year (salary - \$125/day).

Sivacek, Taylor

5. Appointment of Part-Time Teaching Assistant

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Part-Time Teaching Assistant for the Glen Cove City School District, as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Perry, Maddison
Current Assignment: Classroom
Building Assignment: Connolly
Hours: 29.5 hours per week
Effective: 5/5/22-6/24/22 (or sooner at the discretion of the Board of Education)

6. Requests for Leaves of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the requests for a leave of absence for the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Francisco Rodriguez, Domifer

Position: Foreign Language Teacher
Building: High School
Effective: o/a 5/6/22-o/a 6/2/22
Comments: Ms. Francisco Rodriguez is requesting a leave of absence for medical reasons.

Name: Liptzin, Stefanie
Position: Elementary Teacher
Building: Landing
Effective: 4/12/22-o/a 5/19/22
Comments: Ms. Liptzin is requesting an extension of her childcare leave.

Name: Rodriguez, Breacis
Position: ENL Teacher
Building: Middle School
Effective: 4/25/22-o/a 6/3/22
Comments: Ms. Rodriguez is requesting a leave of absence for medical reasons.

Name: Connolly, Dayna
Position: Elementary Teacher
Building: Gribbin
Effective: 4/23/22-o/a 5/6/22
Comments: Ms. Connolly is requesting an extension of her medical leave.

7. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it
RESOLVED, that the resignation of the following named person be
approved, as specified below.

Name: Rodriguez, Marcella
Position: ENL Teacher
Building: High School
Effective: 6/30/22

Name: Piteris, John
Position: Coordinator of Science
Building: District
Effective: 6/30/22

Name: Smith, Stephen
Position: Business Teacher
Building: High School
Effective: 6/30/22

Name: Fingerling, Edward
Position: Special Education Teacher
Building: High School
Effective: 6/30/22

8. Termination of Probationary Position

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it
RESOLVED, that the probationary positions of the following named
persons be terminated, as specified below.

Name: Ahrari, Farzona
Position: Special Education Teacher
Building: Middle School
Effective: 6/30/22

B. Classified

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following classified matters.

Move: Anne Markoulis Second: Angela Raimo Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

1. Appointment of Head Custodians

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as permanent Civil Service Employees for the Glen Cove City School District off the eligible list number 62953 as specified below.

Name: Romeo, Pasquale
Building: Middle School
Effective: 5/5/22

Name: Keryc, Michael
Building: Connolly School
Effective: 5/5/22

2. Appointment of School Monitor

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a School Monitor for the Glen Cove City School District as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Lopez, Ana
Current Assignment: Classroom
Hours: 29.5 hours per week
Building: Connolly
Effective: 4/25/22-6/24/22 (or sooner at the discretion of the Board of Education)

3. Appointment of Per Diem Substitute Nurse

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a per diem substitute Nurse for the Glen Cove City School District effective the 2021-2022 school year (salary - \$150/day).

Daniels, Stacy

4. Change in Hours

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that a change in hours for the following named person be approved, as specified below.

Name: Reyes, Maria
From: 11.9 hours per week
To: 23.6 hours per week
Effective: 5/2/22

5. Additional Hours of Employment

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that additional hours of employment be approved for the following named persons, as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Cameron, Lina
Position: School Monitor
Building Assignment: High School
Effective: 6/20/22-7/1/22 (up to 15 total hours)

Comments: These additional hours will be utilized in order to prepare for graduation.

6. Requests for Leaves of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the requests for a leave of absence for the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Greenfield, Barbara
Position: School Monitor
Building: Middle School
Effective: 4/15/22-o/a 5/27/22

Comments: Ms. Greenfield is requesting a leave of absence for medical reasons.

Name: Sweeney, Taylor
Position: Confidential Secretary
Building Assignment: Thayer
Effective: 4/25/22-o/a 5/27/22

Comments: Ms. Sweeney is requesting a leave of absence for medical reasons.

7. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignation of the following named person be approved as specified below.

Name: Perry, Maddison
Position: School Monitor
Building: Connolly
Effective: 5/4/22 (end of day)

Comments: Ms. Perry is resigning in order to accept a position as a teaching assistant.

Name: Basil, Stephanie
Position: Senior Typist
Building Assignment: Gribbin
Effective: 6/24/22 (end of day)

Name: Dupkin, Lawrence
Position: Cleaner
Building: Districtwide
Effective: 5/13/22 (end of day)

IX. Unfinished Business

X. New Business

A. Everett R. Dyer Award Nomination

RESOLVED, on the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education of the Glen Cove City School District nominates Monica

Alexandris-Miller for the NYSSBA Everett R. Dyer award for distinguished school board service.

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to nominate Monica Alexandris-Miller for the Everett R. Dyer Award.

Vice-President Maria Venuto commented that Monica was so passionate about our district and made a huge sacrifice. She's happy to acknowledge her in anyway.

President Lia Leone will complete all the necessary paperwork for this nomination and will have it returned to NYSSBA for processing.

Move: Maria Venuto Second: Angela Raimo Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

XI. Board Comments

Trustee Angela Raimo mentioned that she was so impressed with how well manned the high school students and supported each other at last week blood drive .

Vice-President Maria Venuto acknowledge Phoebe Pinder whose being included in an art show at the Heckscher Park Museum in Huntington where she was selected by her art teacher

Dr. Maria Rianna also stated that there's a bunch of high school kids whose pieces are being exhibited virtually. It has been converted into a story and can be viewed on our website under our "District News Tab".

Trustee Anne Markoulis stated that Friday's district games were greatly attended and thanked the Board of Education and administration and went on to thank all the children, parents and administration for their support and looking forward to next year.

President Lia Leone thanked Trustee Markoulis for all her hard work and stated that it was a really good time.

Dr. Rianna mentioned that it's a concerted effort with our teachers giving up their time to supervise the games and thanked Trustee Markoulis for her efforts as well.

XII. Public Participation

This section gives opportunity to residents who wish to raise a question or make a brief statement on matters including, but limited to, agenda items.

Questions and comments were presented by attendees all of which were addressed by administration and the Board of Education.

XIII. Executive Session (if necessary)

XIV. Adjournment

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to adjourn public session at 9:18 pm. Next meeting scheduled for May 18, 2022 in the high school auditorium at 7:30 pm.

Move: Anne Markoulis Second: Maria Venuto Status: Passed

Yes: Maria Venuto, Lia Leone, Angela Raimo, Maureen Jimenez, Meghan Lavine, Anne Markoulis

Respectfully submitted by
Ida Johnson
District Clerk _____
Ida Johnson - District Clerk