



## MEMORANDUM

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

**DATE:** May 2, 2023

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

**SUBJECT:** Notice of Workshop/Committee Meetings, Thursday, May 4, 2023  
5:30 p.m., Duggan School

The Committees of the Board of Education will meet on Thursday, May 4, 2023, 5:30 p.m., Duggan School, 38 West Porter Street, Waterbury, Connecticut.

This meeting will be broadcasted live on the City of Waterbury's Government Access Channel (Comcast 96, Frontier 6096) and streamed live on YouTube at <https://youtu.be/HCP-c2ssrM>.

### AGENDA

#### SILENT PRAYER

#### PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

#### PUBLIC SPEAKING

#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT ~ Melissa DiGiovanni

1. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes ~ Update: Connecticut Junior Republic programs – J. Gopie, M. Pabón, CJR.
2. Committee of the Whole/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with StayWell Health Care, Inc. for Mobile Dentals Services – A. McGuckin/Director of Health.
3. Committee on Finance/2 minutes ~ Request approval to participate in the Healthy Food Certification Program per CGS 10-215f – L. Franzese.
4. Committee on Finance/2 minutes ~ Request approval of the food and beverage exemption statement for the Healthy Food Certification relative to CGS 10-221q – L. Franzese.
5. Committee on Finance/3 minutes ~ Request approval to apply for the CSDE Career and Technical Education Supplemental Enhancement Grant (consensus needed) – L. Brown, J. Frenis, M. Merati.
6. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes ~ Special Education Report – M. Pabón.
7. Committee of the Whole/10 minutes ~ Pupil Personnel Report – M. Pabón.
8. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of Amendment One (1) to the Professional Services Agreement with RE-Center Race & Equity in Education, Inc. for equity strategic plan and professional development – J. Frenis, L. White.
9. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Police Activity League of Waterbury, Inc. for PAL Summer 2023 Basketball Program – J. Frenis.

10. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with The Greater Waterbury YMCA for YMCA Summer Camp – J. Frenis.
11. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with The Boys & Girls Club of Greater Waterbury, Inc. to provide Boys and Girls Club Summer Enrichment Program – J. Frenis.
12. Committee on Finance/5 minutes Request approval of Amendment One (1) to the Professional Services Agreement with Rubicon West, LLC to provide Online Curriculum and Lesson Planning Warehouse – M. Eckler, J. Frenis.
13. Committee on Finance/5 minutes Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Seven Angels Theatre, Inc. to provide Seven Angels Theater Classes – J. Frenis, H. Maxson.
14. Committee on Finance/5 minutes ~ Request approval of a Memorandum of Understanding with LiveGirl, Inc. as a partnership for Confidence Club – J. Gopie.
15. Committee on Finance/5 minutes Request approval of a Construction Contract with Scholar Painting, LLC for painting and wallpaper services – N. Albin.
16. Committee on Finance/5 minutes:
  - a) FYI - ARP/ESSER Update – D. Biolo.
  - b) FYI - Monthly Expenditure Report – D. Biolo.
  - c) Request approval of transfers in the General Fund Operating budget – D. Biolo.
17. Superintendent's Update ~ Dr. Ruffin.
18. Committee on Building & School Facilities/3 minutes ~ Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments – N. Albin.
19. Superintendent's Notification to the Board/5 minutes:

a. Athletic appointments

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Boland, Donald	Freshmen Baseball	KHS	04/17/23

b. Grant funded appointments

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position/Location</u>	<u>FT/PT</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Union</u>	<u>Funding</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Brown Sr., Michael	Adult Ed Security Guard	PT	\$20/hr	NON BOE	Ad. Ed. Prov. 22-23	05/08/23
DeFelice, Taylor	Classroom Assist. Maloney	FT	\$15/hr	UPSEU 68	Magnet 22-23	04/17/23
Grant, Cheryl	Hall Monitor Wallace	PT	\$98/day	NON BOE	Title I/A 22-24	04/17/23
Maldonado, Lorenzo (external)	Rec. Specialist 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Walsh	PT	\$15/hr	NON BOE	21st Cent Walsh/Driggs 22-23	04/3/23
Pizarro, Camila (external)	Rec. Specialist 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Bucks Hill	PT	\$15/hr	NON BOE	21st Cent BucksH/Chase 22-23	04/3/23
Walker, Jordan	Hall Monitor Crosby	PT	\$98/day	NON BOE	Title I/A 22-24	03/30/23
Wengertsman, Sarah	Crisis Interv. Team Youth Clinician	PT	\$35/hr	NON BOE	ESSER III 21-24	05/04/23
Williams, Rinaldi (external)	Rec. Specialist 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Bucks Hill	PT	\$15/hr	NON BOE	21st Cent BucksH/Chase 22-23	04/17/23

c. After-school Programs appointments:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grant</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Position</u>
Salcito, Arianne	21 <sup>st</sup> Century/SDE After School	Walsh	Teacher

d. Extended Academic Support (EAS) Summer School appointments:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>
Geffken, Melissa	Math Teacher	WSMS
Kalach, Kevin	Interdisciplinary	WSMS
Mancini, Dana	Site Administrator	WSMS
Pratt, Lena	ELA teacher	WSMS
Albert, Kristen	Interdisciplinary	NEMS
Brown-Spencer, Cara	Interdisciplinary	NEMS
Cremens, Lauren	SEL Counselor	NEMS
Garcia, Zulma	Bilingual Teacher	NEMS
Munoz, Kelly	Math	NEMS
Poulin, Gina	ELA	NEMS
Power, Stephanie	Bilingual Teacher	NEMS
Rotella, David	ELA	NEMS
Terenzi, Adriana	Site Administrator	NEMS
Mead, Christine	Site Administrator	WMS

e. Extended School Year (ESY) Summer School appointments:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>
Calderone, Paula	Site Administrator	TBD
Labagh, Michael	Site Administrator	TBD
Pesce, Margaruite	Site Administrator	TBD

f. Miscellaneous Summer School Programs appointments:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location/Program</u>
Ferreira, Dan	Site Administrator	WAMS Encore
Magliaro, Alicia	Teacher	WAMS Encore
Maxen, Heather	Teacher	WAMS Encore
Schulte, Scott	Teacher	WAMS Encore
Vagnini, Marianna	Teacher	WAMS Encore
McDonnell, Cassi	Coordinator	Summer Enrichment
Williams, Chelcey	Coordinator	Summer Enrichment

g. Academic achievements effective March 2023:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Degree From</u>	<u>Degree to</u>	<u>University</u>
Aftowski	Michael	6 yr/14	6+15/14	Lindenwood University
Basile	David	6 yr/13	6+15/13	University of Bridgeport
Bleau	Lisa M.	MA15/5	6 yr/5	CCSU; Dominican U of CA
Bolduc	Nicole	BA/4	MA/4	Eastern CT ST University
Boll	Deana	MA15/5	6 yr+15/5	University of Bridgeport
Bosworth	Stephanie	BA/4	MA/4	Sacred Heart University
Cassidy	Lauren	BA/15	MA/15	University of Hartford
Catricala	Julia	MA/5	MA+15/5	Goodwin University
Chabot	Albert	MA15/14	6+15/14	Lindenwood University
Cusack	Tara	6 yr/6	6+15/6	Bridgeport; Okl. Christian U
Deveau	Heather	MA/8	MA+15/8	Southern New Hampshire Univ.
Digiovanna	Lisa M.	6 yr/22	6+15/22	Loyola, So. New Hampshire Un
Divito	Johnna	MA15/22	6yr/22	American College of Education
Donohue	Kelly	MA15/9	6 yr/9	University of New England
Fiore	Patience	6th yr/14	6+15/14	University of New England
Foote	Andre	MA15/9	6 yr/9	University of New England
Forsberg	Megan	6 yr/18	6+15/18	Florida Institute of Technology
Gagnon	Jos	MA/14	MA15/14	Walden University
Gjolle	Besmira	BA/5	MA/5	CCSU

Gosturani	Marinela	MA15/8	6 yr/8	CCSU
Grant	Nataine	6+15/12	PhD/12	Walden Un
Gruner	Laureen A.	MA/13	MA15/13	American College of Education
Lawrence	Diana	BA/13	MA15/13	The City College of New York
LeBlanc	Danielle	BA/7	MA/7	Western Governors U
Mamudi	Shipe	BA/5	MA/5	Western Governors U
McAulay	Jordan	MA15/6	6 yr/6	Graduate Ins; So. New Hamp. U
Mendello	Joseph	MA/15/8	6 yr/8	University of Bridgeport
Miller	Keisha	6 yr/8	6+15/ 8	Lindenwood University
Mucciacciaro	Kathryn	6 yr/9	6+15/ 9	Colorado St University
O'Leary	Ronan	6 yr/8	6+15/ 8	Lindenwood University
O'Neill	Patrick	BA/5	MA/ 5	South Eastern Oklahoma St
Pierresaint	Courtney	6 yr/9	6+15/ 9	Sacred Heart U; Loyola
Pratt	Colin	MA15/9	6 yr/9	Dominican Un of CA
Rendon-Moreno	Miguel	BA/6	MA/ 6	Un of St. Joseph
Rodriguez Velez	Nanichi	BA/7	MA/ 7	Un of St. Joseph
Sanchez	Maria	BA/6	MA/ 6	WCSU
Sapone	Vincent	MA15/13	6+15/ 13	Mississippi St; Lindenwood Un
Sciascia	MaryAnn	6 yr/13	6+15/ 13	Un of Bridgeport
Taft	Nancy	MA15/18	6 yr/ 18	American College of Education

h. Resignations:

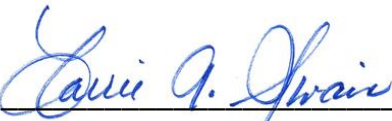
<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Amato, Carl	7/8 Math/Carrington	05/04/23
Betts, Shannon	Library Media/Reed	04/21/23
Miller, Susan	Curriculum Supervisor-Secondary Math	06/30/23
Pabón, Miguel	Director of Pupil Services	06/30/23

i. Retirements:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Cooley, Elizabeth J.	Kindergarten/Washington	06/30/23
Lehane, Danielle	Social Worker/Gilmartin	04/28/23

**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