

Ballston Spa Central School District
Board of Education Meeting
January 19, 2022
7:00 p.m.

Agenda #16
Regular Meeting

Library
High School

1. Call to Order
2. Recognition
3. Public Comment
4. Student Government Report
5. Superintendent's Report
 - a. COVID Management Update
6. Committee Reports
7. Correspondence
8. Announcements
9. Old Business
10. New Business
 - a. Cooperative Purchasing
 - b. Placement of Students with Disabilities
 - c. Personnel Actions
 - d. Other new business
11. Public Comment
12. BSATA, BSTA, CSEA, and PTA
13. Adjournment

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Resolution #358 - Cooperative Purchasing

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law Section 103(16) permits public school districts, upon the adoption of a resolution, to use to use cooperative purchasing programs administered by the United States Government (or any agency thereof) or any State (or any political subdivision thereof) to award contracts other than through its own competitive bidding for the purchase or services related to the installation, maintenance or repair of apparatus, materials, equipment, and supplies if such contract was awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or on the basis of best value by the other governmental entity; and,

WHEREAS, the Keystone Purchasing Network is a cooperative purchasing program administered by the Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit, an educational service agency and political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, located in Milton, Pennsylvania, which provides nationally bid contracts with many national vendors and allows other public entities to become members to use various publicly bid contracts; and,

WHEREAS, based on the above, and a determination that Keystone Purchasing Network satisfies the conditions of General Municipal Law Section 103(16), the School District desires to become a member of the Keystone Purchasing Network and desires to use various contracts to acquire products, equipment or other services.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of School, the Ballston Spa Central School District shall become a member of the Keystone Purchasing Network and hereby authorizes staff to complete all necessary paperwork to become a member to utilize the contracts available through the Keystone Purchasing Network.

Resolution #359 - Placement of Students with Disabilities

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District, that the said Board arrange placement of the following students as recommended by the District Committee on Special Education, effective January 19, 2022 be and are hereby approved:

Student #273352	Student #25268	Student #276400
Student #278991	Student #272091	Student #273584
Student #23951	Student #277092	Student #279068
Student #277131	Student #272292	Student #278447
Student #274827	Student #274370	Student #274146
Student #276574	Student #273686	Student #273527
Student #24455	Student #273725	Student #274540
Student #274146	Student #274941	

Resolution #360 - Placement of Preschool Students with Disabilities

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District, that the said Board arrange placement of the following students as recommended by the District Committee on Preschool Special Education, effective January 19, 2022 be and are hereby approved:

Student #279041	Student #279012	Student #278479	Student #278974
Student #278480	Student #278505	Student #278504	Student #278837

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Resolutions #361 - #372 are recognized as a consent agenda for the purpose of Board of Education action.

Resolution #361 - Resignation

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District hereby accepts the resignation of the employee(s) listed below, with effective date(s) shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Colleen Dunleavy	Teaching Assistant	2/04/22
Holly Fitzgerald	Bus Driver	1/04/22
Lawrence Moultrie	Assistant Principal	2/06/22
Keith Reilly	Teacher	2/25/22
Allison Sliper	School Aide	1/19/22
Lynn Tomlinson	Special Education Aide	1/20/22

Resolution #362 - Rescission of Appointment

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the appointment of Katherine Smith, previously approved by the Board at their meeting held October 6, 2021, in Resolution #236, is hereby rescinded, be and is hereby approved.

Resolution #363 - Approval – Addendum

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District, that the addendum to the individual employment agreement(s) for the following person, be and is hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Justin Yerdon	Building and Grounds Supervisor	1/20/22

Resolution #364 - Tenure Appointment

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be awarded tenure, be and is hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>Commencement Date</u>
Heather Hackett	Special Education	1/18/22
Kathryn Mion	Social Studies	3/21/22
Laurie Pascucci	School Media Specialist	2/21/22
Daina Sisk	Assistant Principal	1/29/22
Donna Marie Thomas	Teaching Assistant	2/01/22

Resolution #365 - Permanent Appointment

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be granted permanent appointment to the position(s) indicated below with effective date(s) shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Amy Jo Decoteau	Bus Driver	2/11/22
Sean Kenneally	Lead Driver	2/11/22
Marie Mercier	School Aide	2/11/22

Resolution #366 - Appointment – Instructional – Long Term Substitute

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be appointed to instructional position(s) as indicated below, with salary and effective dates shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:.

<u>Name / Position</u>	<u>Certification Status</u>	<u>Salary / Step</u>	<u>Effective Dates</u>
Ellen Kenna Speech Pathologist	NYS Permanent, Speech and Hearing Handicapped	\$61,444/yr. Step 10+92	1/21/22-3/30/22
Jennifer Rodrigue Teacher	NYS Emergency COVID-19, Childhood Education 1-6	\$50,836/yr. Step 4+43	1/20/22-6/30/22

Resolution #367 - Administrative

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District hereby accepts the recommendation of the Superintendent, to appoint the following person(s) to the position(s) indicated below, with effective date(s) and salary shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Certification Status</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Effective Dates</u>
Inge Jacobs Carmola	Interim Administrator of Special Education	NYS Permanent, School District Administrator	\$400/day	1/20/22-6/30/22
Thomas Nicholson	Interim Assistant Principal	NYS Permanent, School Administrator and Supervisor	\$450/day	1/31/22-6/30/22

Resolution #368 - Approval – Individual Employment Agreement

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District, that the individual employment agreement(s) for the following person(s), be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Effective Dates</u>
Inge Jacobs Carmola	Interim Special Education Administrator	1/20/22-6/30/22
Thomas Nicholson	Interim Assistant Principal	1/31/22-6/30/22

Resolution #369 - Appointment – Teaching Assistant

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be appointed to the probationary position(s) indicated below, with salary and effective date(s) shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>Certification Status</u>	<u>Salary/Step</u>	<u>Effective Dates</u>
Dana Keeler	Teaching Assistant	Teaching Assistant Level 3	\$30,754/yr. Step 12 (pro-rated)	1/20/22-1/19/25

Resolution #370 - Appointment – Support Services

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be granted appointment to the probationary position(s) indicated below, with hours, rate and effective date(s) shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Max. Hrs./ Wk.</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Effective Dates</u>
Keirstein Downey	School Aide	22.5	\$15.59/hr.	1/20/22-1/19/23
Shonna Hunter	School Aide	32.5	\$15.59/hr.	1/20/22-1/19/23
Keith Murphy	Bus Driver	25	\$22.91/hr.	1/05/22-1/04/23
Allison Sliper	Special Education Aide	32.5	\$17.96/hr.	1/20/22-1/19/23
James Tino	Bus Driver	25	\$22.91/hr.	12/24/21-12/23/22

Resolution #371 - Appointment – Support Services

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be appointed to the position(s) indicated below for the 2021-2022 school year, with hours shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Max Hrs./Wk.</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Christine Heflin	Driver in Training	40	\$17.00/hr.
Cynthia Plante	Substitute Clerical	40	\$18.55/hr.
Alexis Rogers	Substitute Bus Driver	40	\$22.22/hr.

Resolution #372 - Appointment- Increase in Hours – Support Services

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Ballston Spa Central School District that the following person(s) be granted an increase in hours to the position(s) indicated below with effective date(s) shown, be and is (are) hereby approved:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Max Hrs./Wk.</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Sharlene Collins	Bus Driver	28.75	1/10/22
Dennis Jourdanais, Jr.	Bus Driver	30	1/17/22
Odilia Shaw	Bus Attendant	28.75	1/10/22
Tammie White	Bus Attendant	27.5	1/17/22
James Wilson	Cleaner	24	1/04/22
Barbara Wolf	Bus Driver	28.75	1/09/22
Michelle Zichelli	School Aide	24.75	1/18/22