



# DEAL BOARD OF EDUCATION DEAL, NJ

## Public Minutes – July 17 2023

The Board President Mrs. Jannarone read the following statement: In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Chapter 231, also known as the "Sunshine Law", a 48-hour notice of this meeting has been provided to the public as follows: Asbury Park Press as a press release, posted on the bulletin board at the Deal School, Posted with the clerk of the Boro of Deal and has been placed on the website.

### ROLL CALL

Mrs. Jannarone - Present  
Mr. Sorrentino – Present

Mr. Rishty - Absent  
Mr. Nachmani – arrived 6:02 PM

Mr. Astorino - Present

### MINUTES.

Approve the Public Minutes of June 19, 2023.

**MOTION: Mr. Sorrentino**  
**VOTE: 4-0**

**SECOND: Mr. Astorino**

### SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. Approve HIB REPORT P.L. 2010. c. 122 (A-3466) There were (0) HIB reported, investigated and (0) zero confirmed Incidents from June 19, 2023 through July 17, 2023.

**MOTION: Mr. Sorrentino**  
**VOTE: 4-0**

**SECOND: Mr. Astorino**

### BUILDING & GROUNDS

### CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

1. Approve the 2023-2024 Deal School Digital Learning Plan.

**MOTION: Mr. Astorino**  
**VOTE: 4-0**

**SECOND: Mr. Sorrentino**

### PERSONNEL

1. Approve the Maternity Leave of Absence for Mrs. Sarah Hayes beginning on Sept 26, 2023 through February 5, 2024. Mrs. Hayes will utilize 30.5 days of her accumulated sick days through November 8, 2023. Then will begin the 12 week FMLA leave on November 9,



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2023 returning to school on February 5, 2024.

2. Approve the resignation of the STEAM / G&T teacher Mrs. Rachel Walton effective June 30, 2023.

3. Approve the Superintendent's recommendation that Mrs. Lindsay Pietrocola be hired as the STEAM / G&T teacher commencing Sept 11, 2023 through June 2024. Mrs. Pietrocola will be hired at Step 15-MA at a salary of \$79,955.00. NJ Educator Plan Health benefits will be offered. This is pending Criminal Background Check and NJ New Jersey's P.L. 2018 c. 5. Please note, if the former district finds a hire for the the position she is vacating Mrs. Pietrocola will not be held to her 60 day notice and will start here on Sept 1.

4. Approve the Superintendent's recommendation that Ms. Emma Morris be hired as a Paraprofessional at a salary of \$28,433.00 for the 2023-2024 School Year.

5. Approve the following After School Programs with Title 1 and Beyond School Day ARP Funds :

Title I ( 20-230-100-100) and Beyond the School Day RTI ( 20-490-100-100)

Up to 2.25 Hours a week at \$75.00 Per Hour, These after school programs will begin on Oct 2, 2023 ending June 2024.

Title 1 ( 20-230-100-100)

- a. Heather Campo (3-5 Math)
- b. Alexis Moskov (K-2 ELA)
- c. Tiffany Resto (6-8 Math)
- d. Deana Curcione (6-8 ELA)

Beyond the school Day RTI ( 20-490-100-100)

- e. Kayla Troia (K-2 Math)
- f. Amanda Hules (3-5 ELA)

6. Approve the following 2023-2024 Schedule B appointments and Schedule B Stipend Salary:

- a. NJHS - Deana Curcione - \$2,360.68
- b. NJHS - Christine Priest - \$2,360.68
- c. DC Coordinator - Amanda Hules and Tiffany Resto - \$2,500.00 Stipend will be divided in 2. Each will receive \$1,250.00.
- d. Coordinator of School Projects and Initiatives - Courtney Magner \$ 3,000.00.
- e. Student Council - Tiffany Resto - \$ 2,800.00.
- f. Boys Soccer - Carlos Villacres - \$2,666.83.



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- g. Girls Soccer - To Be Determined - \$2,666.83.
- h. Yearbook - Karyn Cutler - \$ 2,360.69.
- i. Bus Duty - Jamie Kiernan - \$500.00 / 10 Months - \$50.00 Monthly .
- 7. Approve Allison Ficchi for the Before Care position from 7:30AM to 8:15AM at a stipend of \$2,000.00. This is contingent on enrollment.
- 8. Approve Amanda Hules For afterschool PM dismissal duty.
- 9. Approve the student teacher Olivia Cozzi who attends Monmouth University to complete her 100 hour year long clinical practice from September 2023 through May 2024. Her Cooperating Teacher will be Heather Campo. ( See Attached resume)
- 10. Approve Patricia Jean Manzo Cooper as the MLOA Replacement Kindergarten teacher from Sept 18 , 2023 through February 2, 2024 year at MA step 10 \$69,305 prorated (\$3,408.44 for 9 days in September plus (\$6,930.50\* 4 months (October 2023 - January 2024) and 3 days in February - \$757.43. \$31,887.87)) .

**MOTION: Mr. Nachmani**  
**VOTE: 4-0**

**SECOND: Mr. Sorrentino**

### POLICY

Approve the suspension of Bylaw 131 and Approve the New and Mandated Policy:

#### 2419 – School Threat Assessment Team (M) (New)

**MOTION: Mr. Sorrentino**  
**VOTE: 4-0**

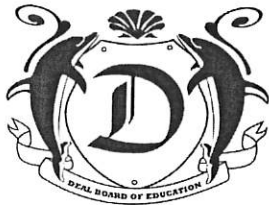
**SECOND: Mr. Nachmani**

### BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORTS

#### FINANCE AND INSURANCE

- 1. Approve the disbursements for June 30, 2023 for \$ 11,215.40 and July 2023 \$ 268,627.28.
- 2. Approve the following Resolution:

Pursuant to NJAC 6:20-2:13(e), the Business Administrator Pia Lordi, certifies that as of June 30, 2023 after review of the Report of the Secretary to the Board of Education and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, that to the best of our knowledge, no major account or fund has been over expended and no line item account has encumbrances and



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expenditures, which in total exceed the line items appropriations in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c) 4.

Pursuant to NJAC 6:20-2a-10(d), the Deal Board of Education accepts the Board Secretary/School Business Administrator certification as of June 30, 2023, that no line item account has been over expended in violation of NJAC 6:20-2A.10(a) and that funds are available for the remainder of the fiscal school year.

The Deal Board of Education accepts the Report of the Secretary to the Board of Education A-148 and Treasurer's A-149 reports which said reports are in agreement for the month of June 30, 2023.

3. Approve the application to apply and accept the funds for 2023-2024 IDEA B and Pre-School Grant in the amounts of \$44,951.00 and \$1,375.00.

4. Approve the June 30, 2023 Transfers to close out the year. (See Attached)

**MOTION: Mr. Astorino      SECOND: Mr. Nachmani**

**VOTE: 4-0**

### **Reminders and Notes:**

Complete 2023 Mandated Board Training as soon as possible.

### **OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion to enter executive session at 6:25PM:

Mr. Sorrentino and Mr. Astorino Second

Vote: 5-0

Whereas, the Board of Education pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act of 1975, intends to exclude the public for a portion of this meeting, and

Whereas, pursuant to an exception contained in the Open Public Meetings Act of 1975, the Board of Education will now go into closed Session for the purpose of Legal Matters , and will be in session for approximately 10 minutes and,

Be It Further Resolved, that appropriate minutes shall be taken by the Board of Education during this closed session and at such time as the confidentiality of these minutes is no longer necessary , they will be released to the public, and

Be It Further resolved, that no formal action will be taken by the Board of Education during this closed session.

Motion to leave executive session and reconven the public meeting at 6:36 PM



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Motion Mr. Sorrentino  
Vote: 4-0

Second Mr. Astorino

## ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Sorrentino Motioned and Mr. Astorino Second to adjourn the meeting at 6:36 PM.

Carried by a unanimous voice vote.

Submitted By,

  
Ria Lordi