

PITTSFORD CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board of Education Meeting
Monday, October 23, 2017
Board Room - Barker Road Middle School

The REGULAR MEETING of the Pittsford Central School District Board of Education was held at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room, Barker Road Middle School on Monday, October 23, 2017.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: A. Thomas, K. McCluski, T. Aroesty, V. Baum, I. Narotsky,
P. Sullivan, R. Sanchez-Kazacos.

LEADERSHIP TEAM PRESENT: M. Pero, J. Cimmerer, D. Kenney, M. Leone,
M. Ward, N. Wayman, E. Woods.

OTHERS PRESENT: Stephanie Warchol, J. Jean-Gilles, K. Manske, P. Lobe, K. Evans, R. DeBell

1. Mrs. Thomas called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Motion was made by Mr. Sullivan, seconded by Mr. Aroesty and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the agenda for this evening's meeting with the addition of a gift to the District to be added to the Superintendent's Report.

APPROVED:
AGENDA

Vote: Unanimously carried

3. Mr. Roger DeBell and Mrs. Stephanie Warchol, on behalf of the Pittsford Parent, Teacher, Student Association, the Pittsford District Teachers' Association, the Pittsford District Administrators' Association, expressed gratitude to the Board of Education members for their dedication to excellence by donating funds to the K.E.E.P. foundation in their honor. Mrs. Donna Hansen, for their many and varied duties and in grateful recognition of our Board members, presented, on behalf of the Pittsford Educational Office Professionals, a donation of \$100 to the student opportunity fund in their honor.

Mr. Pero acknowledged Board members this evening. He said that to be a good leader you must truly have vision and passion to do the job well. He is proud of the value placed on students and adults alike by our Board members. They do what is right in their heart when handling confidential matters and protecting kids who have no voices... all done with dignity. That is true leadership. He said he is proud to say in so many instances that we are lucky to have this Board. A gift of Pittsford apparel, sponsored through AdPro, was given to each of the Board members along with a very sincere thank you.

Mrs. Thomas said the Board is very grateful for the gifts given to them and that it is privilege and honor to serve in an organization where all stakeholders make the job an easy one.

4. Mrs. Thomas thanked Mr. DeBell for the recent tour/visit and invitation to Thornell Road's Hour of Code.

5. Mr. DeBell, principal, gave a presentation to the Board about the activities taking place at Thornell Road. Students, Campell Kazacos and Gregory Kuzin were present to talk about the book *Honoring Those Who Serve* that was created by Mrs. Stevens-Oliver's 2016/2017 fourth grade class. Mr. Pero thanked Mrs. Stevens-Oliver for this endeavor and gave credit to Campbell and Gregory for adjusting so well to the video problem that came up during their presentation this evening. Mr. DeBell thanked Mrs. Jarvis and Mr. Jurus for their technology expertise.

6. Motion was made by Mr. Aroesty, seconded by Mrs. Sanchez-Kazacos and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the minutes of its October 10, 2017, meeting.

APPROVED:
MINUTES
10/10/17

Vote: Unanimously carried

7. Motion was made by Mr. Sullivan, seconded by Mrs. Narotsky and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the Superintendent's recommendation, approves the following Professional Staff Report:

APPROVED:
PROFESSIONAL
STAFF REPORT

Vote: Unanimously carried

A. Appointment – School Related Professional

Name: Colleen Bell
 Position: CSE Assigned Paraprofessional
 Type of Position: Civil Service
 Probationary Period: 10/23/2017 – 04/23/2018
 Salary: \$17,658
 Effective Date: October 23, 2017

Name: Jacquelyn Bowser
 Position: Instructional Technology Support Specialist
 Type of Position: Civil Service
 Probationary Period: 11/27/2017 – 05/27/2018
 Salary: \$44,000
 Effective Date: November 27, 2017

**B. Resignation for Retirement – Executive Assistant to the Superintendent of Schools
 School District Clerk**

Veronica M. Walker

Mr. Pero expressed his appreciation for Mrs. Walker’s 34 years of service to the District; 29 of those in the Superintendent’s Office and as School District Clerk.

8. Motion was made by Mrs. McCluski, seconded by Mr. Aroesty and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the Superintendent’s recommendation, approves the following Support Staff Report:
 Vote: Unanimously carried

APPROVED:
SUPPORT
STAFF REPORT

APPOINTMENTS

<u>FOOD SERVICE</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>BLDG</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SALARY</u>
Catherine Rowley	Fd Svc Help	BRMS	3.5/day	10/17/17	\$10.40/hr.

RESIGNATIONS

<u>CUST /MAINT</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>BLDG</u>	<u>LENGTH OF SVC</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Dennis Maher	Security	MHS	1 yr	10/20/17
Aaron Pettine	Technology	BR East	Summer	10/3/17

APPOINTMENTS

<u>TRANSPORTATION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>BLDG</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SALARY</u>
Laura Behrns	Bus Attend.	BG	AM/PM	10/17/17	\$10.95/hr.
Gail Bledsoe	Bus Attend.	BG	AM/PM	10/30/17	11.44/hr.

RESIGNATIONS

<u>TRANSPORTATION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>BLDG</u>	<u>LENGTH OF SVC</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Lisa Adolphson	Bus Attendant	BG	5 yrs	10/28/17
Joanne Antinore	Bus Driver	BG	1+ yrs	10/6/17

9. Mrs. Ward, gave a presentation to the Board regarding the secondary assessment report. Mrs. Ward noted the high level of performance by our students on the 2017 Regents Exam and the high level of student performance on the Common Core exams.

Mr. Pero mentioned the work that was done leading up to Common Core standards, the professionalism involved to bring new standards into our own program and that the results were equal to or better than last year. The slides Mrs. Ward presented represent the work that everyone did to make this a successful journey.

AP exams results were reviewed that included results compared to the state, nation and internationally. Also along with SAT results, Mrs. Ward noted they have been redesigned. A brief discussion took place after the presentation.

10. Motion was made by Mrs. McCluski, seconded by Mrs. Sanchez-Kazacos and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the following gift to the District: A Viola-Gottfried RAABS, Bubereuth 1985 and a Viola bow-Horst Schicker valued at \$4450. **APPROVED:**
GIFT TO THE
DISTRICT
Vote: Unanimously carried

11. Mr. Pero acknowledged Mrs. Ward's report noting there is a significant amount of information from our data team and gave special thanks to the team and Dr. Cimmerer.

12. Motion was made by Mrs. Baum, seconded by Mr. Aroesty and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves calling an Executive Session for the purpose of discussing current litigation, where no official business will be conducted. This session will take place immediately following regular session. **APPROVED:**
EXECUTIVE
SESSION
Vote: Unanimously carried

13. Motion was made by Mrs. Narotsky, seconded by Mrs. McCluski and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the following items per the Consent Agenda: **APPROVED:**
CONSENT
AGENDA
Vote: Unanimously carried

Bid Awards:

Athletic Supplies & Equipment	Various Vendors	\$12,791.96
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Committee on Special Education: Amendment – Agreement No Meetings, Requested Reviews.

Sub-Committee on Special Education: Amendment – Agreement No Meetings, Reevaluation Reviews, Transfer Student – Agreement No Meeting

14. Mrs. Thomas thanked Mr. Jeff Beardsley and Mr. Karl Knapp for their work on the new formal table for our four directors.

15. Motion was made by Mr. Sullivan, seconded by Mrs. McCluski and carried regarding the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves recessing its Regular Meeting at 8:08 p.m. **APPROVED:**
RECESS
Vote: Unanimously carried

16. Motion was made by Mr. Sullivan, seconded by Mrs. Thomas and carried regarding the the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the adjournment of its Executive Session and Regular Meeting at 8:55 p.m. **APPROVED:**
ADJOURNMENT
Vote: Unanimously carried

Respectfully submitted,



Veronica M. Walker
School District Clerk