A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education, Seaford Union Free School District, was held on Thursday, September 6, 2007, in the All Purpose Room of the Seaford Manor School, 1590 Washington Avenue, Seaford, New York.

PRESENT: Mr. Bradley Kass - President

Ms. Linda Hurley – Vice President Mr. John DelGiudice - Trustee Mr. Richard G. DiBlasio – Trustee

Mr. Michael D. Sapraicone – Trustee (arrived at 6:42 p.m.)

Mr. Thomas J. Markle Mr. Brian L. Conboy Mr. Kenney W. Aldrich

Mr. Christopher Venator - Attorney

At 6:40 p.m., the Board President opened the Workshop Meeting.

OPEN WORKSHOP

**MEETING** 

Workshop Topic: Technology

At 7:30 p.m., a motion was made Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to adjourn the Workshop Meeting and enter the Regular Meeting.

All Ayes Motion Carried. **ADJOURN WORKSHOP** 

**MEETING** 

The Regular Meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. As the first order of business, Mr. Kass led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Tenured teachers were honored and presented with certificates. Newly hired instructional staff members were introduced and welcomed. The Board and Administration invited the audience to join them in refreshments. The Regular meeting recessed at 7:42 p.m.

CONVENE REGULAR MEETING

PRESENTATIONS RECOGNITIONS

The regular meeting resumed at 7:58 p.m.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. Sapraicone, to approve the Board of Education minutes for the Regular Meeting of August 2, the Special Meetings of August 12 and 24, and the Workshop Meeting of August 24 and the Special Meeting of September 4, 2007.

No Discussion

**MINUTES** 

All Ayes

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. Sapraicone, to acknowledge acceptance for audit of the Treasurer's Report for the month ended July 31. 2007.

TREASURER'S REPORT

**MEETING RECONVENED** 

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DiBlasio, to acknowledge acceptance for audit of the Revenue Report, General Fund, Special Aid Fund and School Lunch Report for the month ended July 31, 2007.

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DiBlasio, to acknowledge acceptance for audit of the Extracurricular Activity Fund Report for the month ended July 31, 2007.

EXTRACURRICULAR FUND ACTIVITY REPORT

**REVENUE REPORT** 

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to acknowledge acceptance for audit of the Appropriation Transfer Report for the month ended July 31, 2007.

APPROPRIATION TRANSFER REPORT

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to acknowledge acceptance for audit of the Expenditure Report, General Fund, Special Aid Fund, School Lunch Report and Capital Fund for the month ended July 31, 2007.

**EXPENDITURE REPORT** 

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

**BUDGET TRANSFERS** None

Comments, Questions and/or Concerns Raised by the Public on agenda

**PUBLIC COMMENTS -AGENDA ITEMS** 

None

**OLD BUSINESS** None

**BOARD REPORTS** None

**ADMINISTRATIVE** Topics Covered in Mr. Markle's Administrative Report Dated August 30, 2007 included: **REPORTS** 

- Update on High School Auditorium Renovation September 25<sup>th</sup> Open House/Back-to-School Night at High School and Ribbon-Cutting for Auditorium Discussion Items for this Evening:
- - Enrollment figures for transportation for Seaford students attending private schools
  - Capital Projects
  - Fences/Gate issue on Beechwood Place and Residents' Petition
- Claims Auditor Log
- Preliminary results of Special BOCES Board Election
- Settlement of UTS contract at the end of the 2006/2007 school year
- Nurses Unit contract to be negotiated
- New Teacher Orientation and Staff Development Days
- Opening of Schools

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to accept the recommendation to approve the Personnel Action Report:

PERSONNEL ACTION REPORT

## 1. INSTRUCTIONAL:

P-1: Position Abolition: No Recommended Action P-2: **Position Creation:** No Recommended Action

P-3: Resignations:

> **GINA MURPHY** 1.

Position Registered School Nurse Assignment St. William the Abbot School August 24, 2007 Resignation Effective Date

Reason

P-4: Leaves: No Recommended Action P-5: Terminations: No Recommended Action P-6: Tenure Appointments: No Recommended Action

Other Appointments:

A) Instructional:

LISA BALDUCCI

Position
Type of Appointment Art Teacher Probationary Assignment Seaford High School Certification Initial - Visual Arts Effective Date September 1, 2007 August 31, 2010 August 31, 2010 Expiration Date Tenure Eligibility Tenure Area

MA Step 2 = \$57,431 plus benefits To replace Caitlin Jablow Salary Reason

ERIN CLANCY

School Media Specialist (Librarian) Regular Substitute Position Type of Appointment Seaford Harbor School Assignment Permanent – School Media Specialist September 1, 2007 June 30, 2008 Certification

Effective Date Expiration Date Tenure Eligibility N/A

Tenure Area School Media Specialist

MA+15 Step 3 = \$60,844 plus benefits To replace Margaret Egan Salary

Reason

**DANIELLE DI STEFANO** 3.

Reading Teacher Position

Type of Appointment Annual, Part-Time - 19-3/4 hours per

week

Assignment Seaford Manor School

Certification Initial - Literacy (Birth - Grade 6)

September 1, 2007 June 30, 2008 Effective Date Expiration Date Tenure Eligibility N/A Reading Tenure Area \$28.00 per hour Salary To replace Jennifer Read Reason

JESSICA FLOOD

Special Education Teacher Annual, Part-Time (.7) Position
Type of Appointment Assignment Seaford Harbor School

Certification Initial - Students with Disabilities (Gr. 1-

6) September 1, 2007 Effective Date Expiration Date June 30, 2008 Tenure Eligibility N/A Tenure Area

Special Education
MA Step 1 = \$55,366 pro-rated (\$38,756)
plus benefits Salary

Reason New Position

LINDSAY HARRIS 5.

Position
Type of Appointment Probationary
Seaford Middle School

Assignment

Certification

Initial – Middle Childhood Education 5-9
With Extension in Special Education 5-9

Special Education Teacher (Generalist)

Effective Date Expiration Date September 1, 2007 August 31, 2010 August 31, 2010 Tenure Eligibility Tenure Area Special Education

MA Step 2 = \$57,431 plus benefits New position Salary Reason

6. **DENISE MARDER** 

Reading Teacher Annual, Part-Time – 19-3/4 hours per Type of Appointment week

Seaford Harbor School Assignment Permanent - Reading September 1, 2007 Certification Effective Date June 30, 2008 **Expiration Date** Tenure Eligibility N/A Reading \$28 per hour Tenure Area Salary Reason

To replace Maria Gallo

MICHAEL MORRIS

Special Education Teacher (CDP) Probationary Position
Type of Appointment

Assignment Seaford High School

Certification

Provisional – Special Education September 1, 2007 Effective Date Expiration Date August 31, 2009 August 31, 2009 (Jarema) Tenure Eligibility Tenure Area

Special Education
MA Step 1 = \$55,366 plus benefits
To replace Kerry Palladino Salary Reason

8 JENNIFER SALERNO

> Effective Date **Expiration Date**

Special Education Teacher (Generalist) Position

Probationary
Seaford High School Type of Appointment Assignment

Certification

Initial – Students with Disabilities –
Grades 7-12 - English
September 1, 2007
August 31, 2010 August 31, 2010 Special Education

Tenure Eligibility Tenure Area MA Step 2 = \$57,431 plus benefits Salary

Reason New Position

9. TARA THIEL

Position Reading Teacher

Annual, Part-Time - 19-3/4 hours per Type of Appointment

week

Seaford Harbor School Assignment

Certification Initial - Literacy (Birth - Grade 6)

Effective Date September 1, 2007 June 30, 2008 **Expiration Date** Tenure Eligibility N/A Tenure Area Reading Salary \$28.00 per hour

To replace Regina Weber Reason

#### P-8: Other:

Recommend the appointment of Kerry Palladino as Department Chairperson Special Education K-12 effective September 1, 2007. The additional salary for a) this position is \$6,867.

Recommend the re-appointment of the following reading teachers. Their reb) appointment is effective September 1, 2007 and expires June 30, 2008. They will be paid \$28 per hour and will work 19-3/4 hours per week.

Deisha Burgos - Manor Laurie Goldman - Manor Sharon Venticinque - Harbor

- Recommend rescinding the appointment of Kerry Palladino as the AM and PM Detention teacher as approved at the Board of Education Meeting on August c) 16, 2007
- Recommend revising the club appointment of Lauren Marcello as Advisor of d) Best Buddies as approved at the Board of Education Meeting on August 16, 2007, to Co-Advisor as indicated in "e)" below.
- Recommend the Board of Education approve the following High School club and extracurricular appointments for the 2007-2008 school year. These e) stipends should be taken from code 2850-132-00-0000.

Mary Berketis	Yearbook Co-Advisor	\$1815
Joseph Conger	Drama Club Choreographer	\$1210
Robert DiGiovanna	Computer Mentor	\$4234
Karen Lazicky	Literary Arts	\$1815
Lauren Marcello	Best Buddies Co-Advisor	\$1210
Kim Mickowski	PM Detention	\$4234
Pam Nagy	Home Instruction Coordinator	\$3024
Kerry Palladino	Best Buddies Co-Advisor	\$1210
Neil O'Connell	Drama Club Accompanist	\$1879
John Tomasello	Drama Club Director	\$3629
Curtis Tripoli	AM Detention	\$4234

f) Recommend the Board of Education approve the appointment of the following coaches:

Mary McNerney Jr. Varsity Girls Basketball \$5136 Step 5B Varsity Girls Basketball Robert Vachris Step 5A \$7058

- Recommend the Board of Education approve the appointment of Susan Binder as Part-Time (.5) CSE Chairperson effective September 1, 2007 through June 30, 20008. Ms. Binder should be placed on M.A. +60 Step 7 and receive a prorated salary of \$76,988 (\$38,494) plus benefits. Ms. Binder's salary will be taken from the Special Education Grant 611.
- Recommend the Board of Education approve revising the dates of Barbara Sherwin's Child Care Leave of Absence as follows:

Effective Date: September 4, 2007

Sick Leave: September 4, 2007- October 18, 2007 Leave Without Pay: October 19, 2007 – January 1, 2008

Expiration Date: January 1, 2008

FMLA: September 4, 3007 - December 5, 2007

i) Recommend approval of the effective date of Eric Feder's appointment as a Regular Substitute Teacher (replacing Barbara Sherwin) from September 17, 2007 to September 4, 2007.

### A. INSTRUCTIONAL - ADDENDUM:

### Other Appointments:

#### A. Instructional:

## KRISTEN ANISIS

Position Type of Appointment Assignment English Teacher Annual, Part-Time (.8) Seaford High School

Certification Initial – English Language Arts 7-12

Effective Date September 5, 2007 June 30, 2008 **Expiration Date** Tenure Eligibility N/A Tenure Area English

BA Step 1 = \$45,874 pro-rated (\$36,699) Salary

plus benefits
To replace Kerri Schweibert Reason

2 **ELAINE GLAVAS** 

Position

Reading Teacher Annual, Part-Time – 19-3/4 hours per Type of Appointment

Seaford Manor School Assignment Certification Initial - Literacy

Effective Date September 5, 2007 **Expiration Date** June 30, 2008 Tenure Eligibility N/A Reading \$28 per hour Tenure Area Salary

To replace Catherine McGinn Reason

3. JULIANNE GIORDANO

Registered School Nurse

Type of Appointment

Full Time St. William the Abbot School Assignment Certification Registered Professional Nurse

Effective Date October 1, 2007

Appendix B, Step 1 = \$32,965 pro-rated plus benefits
To replace Gina Murphy Salary

Reason

#### P-8· Other:

Recommend the Board of Education approve the temporary full-time a) appointment of Rose Robinson as the Regular Substitute Registered School Nurse at St. William the Abbot School effective September 5, 2007 through September 28, 2007. Ms. Robinson should receive \$164.83 per diem.

Recommend the Board of Education approve the annual appointment of Michael Spreckels as District Athletic Trainer effective September 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008. The salary for this position is \$19,394.

## B. NON-INSTRUCTIONAL:

#### P-1: POSITION ABOLITION:

Clerk/Typist – Technology Department 1. Position:

Civil Service Title: Clerk/Typist Type of Appointment: 12 Month

Technology Department September 7, 2007 Location: Effective Date:

#### P-2· POSITION CREATION:

Account Clerk – Technology Department Position: 1.

Civil Service Title: Account Clerk Type of Appointment: 12 Month

Location: Technology Department Effective Date: September 7, 2007

#### P-3: **RESIGNATIONS:**

THERESA BELMONTE

Part-time Teacher Aide Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher-Aide P-T Location: High School Effective Date: August 1, 2007

JUNE CROOK

Part-time Teacher Aide Teacher-Aide P-T Position: Civil Service Title: High School Location: Effective Date: August 1, 2007

JOAN DOMBROWSKI

Position: Civil Service Title: Part-time Teacher Aide Teacher-Aide P-T Harbor School Location: Effective Date: August 22, 2007

BARBARA SALTZMAN Position: 4.

Part-time Teacher Aide Civil Service Title: Teacher-Aide P-T Location: Effective Date: Manor School August 27, 2007

5. KATIE HSI

Teacher Aide Teacher Aide – PT Position: Civil Service Title: High School CDP Location: Effective Date: September 4, 2007

NO RECOMMENDED ACTIONS P-4: LEAVES:

NANCY MORRISSEY 1.

Part-time Teacher Aide High School Position:

Location: Medical Leave Reason September 1, 2007 June 30, 2008 Effective Date: **Expiration Date:** 

P-5: TERMINATIONS: NO RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

P-6: TENURE APPOINTMENTS: N/A

P-7: APPOINTMENTS:

> MARYANN HANSEN 1.

Position: Account Clerk - Technology

Civil Service Title: Account Clerk

Probationary – 12 Month Technology Department Type of Appointment: Location: Salary: \$34,485 per annum Code: 2630-160-00-0000

Upon approval by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

SUSAN GUTTENBERG-JERRAM 2

Teacher Aide Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT Type of Appointment:

Part-time Manor Elementary \$10.02 per hour Location: Salary: Code: 2110-165 Reason: Replacement

Upon approval of her application by the Effective Date:

Civil Service Commission and

background checks.

3. **CHRISTINE MOHR** 

Teacher Aide Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT

Type of Appointment: Part-time Manor Elementary Location: Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2110-165 Reason: Replacement

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

**DINA CAFARELLI** 

School Monitor (formerly Board approved Position:

as Substitute) Civil Service Title: School Monitor - PT

Type of Appointment: Location: Part-time Manor Elementary Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2110-165 Reason: Replacement

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

5. DEBRA PETERSEN

School Monitor (formerly approved as Position:

Substitute) (UPI) School Monitor - PT

Civil Service Title: Type of Appointment: Location: Part-time Manor Elementary Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2110-165 Reason: Replacement

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

6.

PIETRA DELPOZZO Position: School Monitor Civil Service Title: School Monitor - PT Type of Appointment: Location: Part-time Manor Elementary Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2110-165 Reason:

Replacement Upon approval of her application by the Effective Date:

Civil Service Commission

DOROTHY BRZEZINSKI Position: Teacher Aide (shadow aide)

Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide - PT Type of Appointment:

Part-time Manor Elementary Location: Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 New – IEP Directed Code: Reason:

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

**REMOVED** 8.

9. **LAUREN MALVEY** 

Teacher Aide (1:1 – Collaborative) Teacher Aide – PT Part-time Position:

Civil Service Title:
Type of Appointment: Location: Middle School Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 Code: New – IEP Directed Reason:

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

**DENISE CAPUTO-BRENNAN** 

Position: Teacher Aide (1:1 - SSC) Civil Service Title:
Type of Appointment: Teacher Aide – PT Part-time Location: Middle School Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 New – IEP Directed Code:

Reason: Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

LINDA DALTON Position:

Teacher Aide (1:1 - CDP) Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide - PT

Part-time Middle School Type of Appointment: Location: Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 New – IEP Directed Code: Reason: Effective Date:

Upon approval of her application by the

SUZANNE CALANDRA

Teacher Aide (5:1 – SSC) Teacher Aide – PT Position:

Civil Service Title: Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: Middle School Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2250-166

Reason: Effective Date: New – IEP Directed

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

13 ROSARIO ANGELASTRO

Teacher Aide Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT Type of Appointment: Part-time Middle School \$10.02 per hour Location: Salary: 2250-166 Code: Reason: New - IEP Directed

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

NANCY WOLFE

Teacher Aide Teacher Aide – PT Position: Civil Service Title: Type of Appointment: Part-time Middle School Location: Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 Code:

Reason: New – IEP Directed Effective Date:

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

**DOROTHY BUKOWSKI** 

Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide (1:1) Teacher Aide – PT Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: Harbor School \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 Salary: Code: Reason: New – IEP Directed

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

KRISTEN FARKASH

Teacher Aide Teacher Aide – PT Position:
Civil Service Title: Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: Harbor School \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 Salary: Code: New – IEP Directed Reason:

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

**ANGELA LYNCH** 

Teacher Aide Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: Harbor School Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 Code:

New – IEP Directed Reason:

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

18. JEANETTE GRASING Position:

Teacher Aide Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT Part-time Type of Appointment: Harbor School Location: Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: 2250-166 New – IEP Directed Reason:

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

19. SHANA BERMAN

Teacher Aide (1:1 – CDP) Teacher Aide – PT Position: Civil Service Title:

Type of Appointment: Part-time High School \$10.02 per hour Location: Salary: Code: 2250-166

Reason: Effective Date: New – IEP Directed

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

20 **REMOVED** 

21. JENNY CAMPISI

Teacher Aide (1:1 - CDP) Civil Service Title:

Teacher Aide – PT Part-time Type of Appointment: Location: High School Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code: Reason: 2250-166 New – IEP Directed

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

22. **REMOVED** 

**CAROL KOENIG** 23

Teacher Aide (Referral) Teacher Aide – PT Position: Civil Service Title: Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: High School \$10.02 per hour Salary:

2110-165 Code: Reason: Replacement

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission

ANTOINETTE DIBLASIO 24

Substitute School Monitor Position: Civil Service Title: School Monitor - Substitute PT

Type of Appointment: Part-time

Elementary Schools \$10.02 per hour Location: Salary: Code: 2110-165

Upon approval of her application by the Effective Date:

Civil Service Commission

25 MAZIE FERRARO

Substitute School Monitor Position: Civil Service Title: School Monitor - Substitute PT

Type of Appointment: Part-time Location: Where Needed Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2110-165 Code

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

LINDSAY BRILL 26.

Position: Teacher Aide Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT Part-time

Type of Appointment: Location: Manor Elementary Salary: \$10.02 per hour Code 2110-165

Upon approval of her application by the Civil Service Commission Effective Date:

P-7: APPOINTMENTS:

> 27. **LINDA LAURO**

Teacher Aide Position: Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide - PT Type of Appointment: Location: Part-time High School Salary: \$10.02 per hour 2250-166 New – IEP Directed Code: Effective Date:

Upon approval of her application by the

28. <u>THERESA MINECCI</u>

Position: Teacher Aide
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide – PT
Type of Appointment: Part-time
Location: Middle School
Salary: \$10.02 per hour
Code: 2250-166

Reason: New – IEP Directed

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

29. DORSEY, SHERRY

Position: Teacher Aide
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide — PT
Type of Appointment: Part-time
Location: High School
Salary: \$11.02 per hour
Code: 2250-166
Reason: New – IEP Directed

Effective Date: Upon approval of her application by the

Civil Service Commission

### P-8: OTHER:

 Transfer Doris Mitchell, Clerk Typist, from the Technology Department to the Guidance Department at no change in salary (2810-162)

- 2. Recommend Vincenza Mauriello as a fill-in clerical staff member in HS Guidance Department at the rate of \$210 per day (\$30.00 p/h) for a maximum of three months beginning July 30, 2007.
- 3. Remove the appointment of Deborah Dombrowski (P7-8) as a teacher aide at the Manor School from the Personnel Action Report Non- Instructional. Ms. Dombrowski changed her mind and does not want the position.
- 4. Remove the appointment of Kathleen Bruens (P7-20) as a teacher aide at the High School from the Personnel Action Report Non- Instructional. Ms. Bruens changed her mind and does not want the position.
- Remove the appointment of Jennifer DiMarco (P7-22) as a teacher aide at the High School from the Personnel Action Report – Non- Instructional. Ms. DiMarco changed her mind and does not want the position.

A question was raised concerning the correctness of a date contained in Personnel Addendum A. P.8 (i).

No Discussion

Bradley Kass - Aye
Linda Hurley - Aye
John DelGiudice - Aye
Michael Sapraicone - Aye
Richard DiBlasio - Aye
Motion Carried.

Questions were raised concerning the dates contained in Contract #5. It was decided to table the contract in order to verify the accuracy of the dates contained in the transportation contracts.

A motion was made by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to table Item 10.B.5.

TABLE ITEM 10.B.5

All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to approve the following contracts:

Recommend that the President of the Board of Education sign an Agreement between the Board of Education, Seaford UFSD and Anthony C. Hollander, Ph.D. for consultation services for our Special Education Students for the period of July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008.

 Recommend that the President of the Board of Education sign a License Agreement between the Seaford School District and SCOPE Education Services for the Continuing Education Program for the 2007-2008 school year. CONTRACTS

# CONTRACTS (cont'd)

- 3. Recommend that the President of the Board of Education enter into a services agreement with Ramllok Consulting LTD (Bruce Kollmar) for providing staff training for the preparation of Special Education grants during the 2007-2008 school year.
- Recommend that the President of the Board of Education authorize the Seaford UFSD to utilize the services of the Hagedorn Little Village School for the specific needs of a number of our students.
- 6. Recommend that the President of the Board of Education sign a contract with Abilities, Inc. for providing educational and life training services for a Special Education Student during the 2007-2008 school year.
- 7. Recommend that the President of the Board of Education sign an agreement retaining the Internal Auditor, Cristina Spinelli, CPA for the period of July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

A discussion took place on Contract No. 3 concerning the procedures in selecting a company to provide these types of services and the rates charged for such services.

All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. Sapraicone, to approve acceptance of the determinations and placements of the Special Education Committee Preschool Meeting of 7/24/07.

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried. CPSE/CSE DETERMINATIONS

None

DONATIONS

None

**FUNDRAISING** 

None

FIELD TRIPS

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to approve the first reading of NYSSBA Sample Policy 8115—Pesticides and Pest Management.

POLICIES 1<sup>ST</sup>/2<sup>ND</sup> READINGS

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

At Mr. Kass' request, Mr. Ward explained the need for this policy concerning best practices with reference to Pesticides and Pest Management.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DiBlasio, to approve the Outside Use of Facilities schedule as detailed in the Board documentation.

USE OF FACILITIES

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to approve the requests for transportation stop changes, as indicated in the Board's documentation.

**TRANSPORTATION** 

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DiBlasio, to approve the awarding of the bids to the Southeast Nassau Transportation Cooperative for the 2007-2008 school year.

OUT OF DISTRICT COOPERATIVE TRANSPORTATION BIDS

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

### Items Discussed included:

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Correspondence from parents regarding late bus transportation for private school students, cost comparison of late busing to private schools 2006/07 to 2007/08, enrollment of students in private school. A discussion ensued concerning options for lowering the number of Seaford students attending private school required to provide late bus service. Areas covered in this discussion included:

- Current bus contracts
- Current runs
- Cost to add additional runs,
- 2007/2008 budget concerns and future budgets
- Possibility of working with neighboring school districts to share transportation - save money
- History of policy
- Current policy
- Surveys to provide information concerning need for late buses
- How to choose what the number of students required should be
- Private elementary school need for late busing
- Procedures to change board policy
- Adoption of a resolution
- How change will effect students now

Motion by Mr. Sapraicone, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to authorize Kenney Aldrich, Assistant Superintendent for Business, to secure additional transportation services to those private schools with the number of six (6) students or more.

All Ayes Motion Carried.

Correspondence, telephone calls and petition from residents of Beechwood Place concerning after school activities, traffic, parking and late night problems. At Mr. Kass' request, Mr. Ward updated the Board on security, gate closures, vandalism and changes put in place to resolve issues. Areas covered in this discussion included:

DISCUSSION ITEM

- Petition by residents to either move the gate or shut the gate right after school
- Cost to move gate and paths
- Parking issues and pedestrian traffic on Beechwood
- Sealing fence completely and access to grounds
- Past history of problems
- Possibility of security cameras in the future
- Other options to resolve concerns
- Security patrols
- Gate Closure

Update on Process for Bond Vote and Priority List for Capital Projects by District's Architects. Included areas:

**DISCUSSION ITEM** 

- Pre-referendum scoping list
- Initial Presentation on August 16
- Architects Priority List
- District Priority List
- Avenue School
- Modification of Numbers
- Building Roofs
- Scaled down schemes
- Overall cost of list as it presently exists
- Parking Lots and various options
- Overview of Building Addition Configuration
- Music Area
- Science Rooms
- Guidance and Special Ed Offices
- Cost of Office Renovations
- Energy Performance Contract and Coordination Issues

### Also included:

- Capital Committee Recommendations & Questions
- Creation of Bond Committee
- Wrestling Room (cost differences)
- "What If" Scenarios
- Working together
- Decisions
- Future Meetings

Comments, Questions and/or Concerns Raised by the Public included:

**PUBLIC COMMENTS** 

- Continuing problems on Beechwood Place, Security, Gate Closure, Parking, Safety
- Late Bus Policy
- Transportation for HS Students and St. Williams students who have to cross Sunrise Highway
- Scope of Bond Projects
- Request to break the bond up into components rather than one big package
- Status of Minutes on website
- 2007/2008 School Calendar
- Recycling

Closing remarks by the Administration and Board concerned:

**CLOSING REMARKS** 

- 2007/2008 School Calendar
- NYSSBA Convention in NYC
- Nassau/Suffolk School Boards Resolution Dinner
- Thanks and appreciation to the Capital Committee for all their time and work
- Thanks to Administrators for a smooth school opening
- Upcoming 9/11 Memorial Candlelight Ceremony
- Manor Parking Update
- Post "Vacation Days" calendar on website as soon as available

There being no further business, a motion was made by Ms. Hurley, second by Mr. DelGiudice, to adjourn the Regular Meeting at 10:12 p.m.

ADJOURN REGULAR MEETING

No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Hurley, Vice District Clerk

Carmen T. Ouellette District Clerk