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**Lansingburgh Central School District  
Minutes of the  
Special Meeting of the Board of Education  
Monday, June 3, 2024  
Turnpike Elementary School - Gymnasium**

The meeting was called to order by Board President, Andrea Fairhurst at 6:00 p.m.

**CALL TO ORDER**

All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Board of Education Members, Michael Cusack, Andrea Fairhurst, Jillian Manupella, Jason Shover, James Spear, and Thomas Zakrzewski were present. Talia Pallozzi, Daniella Richards and Jessica Vartigian were absent from the meeting.

**ROLL CALL**

Others present include Lindsey Gibson (on behalf of the LTA), Matthew Van Dervoort, Carrie Phelan, Melissa Santarcangelo, Kelly Cataldo, Linda Klime, Rebecca McGrouty, Dr. Antonio Abitabile and Christina Williams. There were many others present.

Ms. Fairhurst read the District’s Mission Statement:

**MISSION**

*Our mission at the Lansingburgh Central School District is to create for all students a productive, challenging and safe educational environment. Our students will acquire civic values and learning skills and strategies through a dynamic partnership between the schools and community. These experiences will inspire a lifetime of learning and self-sufficiency.*

Motion by Mr. Spear:

**RESO #1-06/03/2024  
Approve Meeting  
Agenda**

RESOLVED, the Board of Education hereby approves agenda for the June 3, 2024 Special Meeting.

Motion Carried  
Unanimously

Second: Mr. Zakrzewski

Ayes – 6      Nays – 0

The Board Recognized the Top 10 Academic Students of the Class of 2024

**TOP 10**

1. Ariana Dingley, *Valedictorian*
2. Vivian Bull, *Salutatorian*
3. Colin Trolio, *Honor Graduate*

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4. Jillian Pitman
5. Maddison Adams
6. Naia Bourdeau
7. Logan Gavin
8. Liam Roarke
9. Mackenzie O'Brien
10. Ariana Cunningham

Motion by Mrs. Manupella:

**RESO #2-06/03/2024**  
**Award Tenure**

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education hereby confers tenure upon the following teachers, who have successfully completed the required probationary period:

Hopkins, Annette	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Elementary, RPES
Covello, Bianca	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Elementary, TES
Graham, Mary Kate	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Mathematics, KMS
Sisti, Jessica	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Music, RPES/KMS
Miller, Brooke	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Mathematics, KMS
Guerette, Reanna	09/01/2020 – 08/31/2024	Special Education, KMS
Lilkas, Tracy	09/01/2021 - 08/31/2024	Elementary, RPES
Walkuski, Rachel	09/01/2021 - 08/31/2024	English, KMS

Motion Carried  
Unanimously

Second: Mr. Shover

Ayes – 6      Nays – 0

Guidance Presentation – Greg Rashford, Chief Information Officer

**WORKSHOP**  
**PRESENTATIONS**

Health & Wellness Presentation – Matt Hickling, Medical Director

Motion by Mrs. Manupella:

**RESO #3-06/03/2024**  
**Executive Session**

Be it resolved that the Board of Education enter into Executive Session at 7:32 p.m. to discuss the medical, financial, credit, or employment history of a particular person or corporation or matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal, or removal of a particular person or corporation.

Second: Mr. Cusack

Ayes – 6      Nays – 0

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

**RESO #4-06/03/2024**  
**Adjourn**

Be it resolved this meeting of the Board of Education hereby adjourns at  
8:48 p.m.

Second: Mr. Spear

Ayes – 6

Nays – 0

Motion Carried  
Unanimously

Respectfully submitted,

Christina Williams  
Clerk to the Board of Education