CLINTON-GLEN GARDNER BOARD OF EDUCATION

BUSINESS SESSION MEETING MINUTES February 20, 2013

Robert Pyle called the meeting together at 7:00 p.m. by announcing this meeting is held in compliance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law. The Clinton-Glen Gardner Board of Education has given the public adequate notice by having the date, time, and place of the meeting published in the Hunterdon County Democrat and Hunterdon Review, and by having duly posted the same information in the Board Office, the school bulletin board, the faculty room, and the Town Hall.

ROLL CALL: Present:

Robert Pyle, Patricia Cooper, Margaret Layding, Robert Moul, and

Brendan McIsaac

Also Present:

Richard Katz, Superintendent/Principal

Lisa Craft, Business Administrator

GENERAL INFORMATION: MONTHLY SCHOOL DATA

- A. Enrollment Data Report
- B. Student Suspensions:
 - 1. In-School Suspensions:
 - 2. Out-of-School Suspensions: 0
- C. School Nurse's Report:
- D. Violence and Vandalism (EVVRS Data)
- E. Fire Drill and Bus Evacuation Drill Report

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 128

ACCEPT SCHOOL DATA REPORTS

Margaret Layding moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to accept the monthly school data reports. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

District Evaluation Advisory Committee members will be attending DOE information session in March to hear about new regulations for the teacher evaluation model.

Math Curriculum Committee update.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Mrs. Schorr gave CTA update on school activities.

PERSONNEL REPORT:

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 129

ACCEPT SAVARESE RESIGNATION

Margaret Layding moved, seconded by Robert Moul, to accept with regret, the resignation of Kathi Savarese, teacher (PCR-36), for the purpose of retirement, effective June 30, 2013. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes" by roll call vote.

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 130

ACCEPT DONOVAN RESIGNATION

Brendan McIsaac moved, seconded by Patricia Cooper, to accept with regret, the resignation of Jeanette Donovan part-time administrative assistant (PCR-75) to the Child Study Team and part-time paraprofessional (PCR-58), effective on or before March 8, 2013. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes" by roll call vote.

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 131

APPROVE KAGAN LEAVE

Patricia Cooper moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to approve the following staff member for the 2012-13 school year for a Maternity Leave of Absence. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes" by roll call vote.

Position	Name	Effective Date	
Social Worker (PCR - 82)	Amy Kagan	April 25, 2013-June 30, 2013	Attachment #5

CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, ASSESSMENT, & TECHNOLOGY

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 132

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Margaret Layding moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to approve the following requests for professional development and travel related mileage in accordance with NJAC 18A:11-12. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

Program Name	Date	Employees	Board Member	Event Cost	Substitute Pay	Total Cost
NJASK DTC Training	3/18/2013	Christine Steiner		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Statewide Character Ed Conference	03/18/2013	Sue Penn		\$85.00	\$0.00	\$85.00

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iPad Workshop at DelVal	02/07/2013	Jamie Friedel Liz Hedden Kelly DeJesus	\$0.00	\$85.00 each	\$255.00
Classroom Management & Effective Teaching of Children & Adol. w/Emotional & Behavioral Problems	03/15/2013	Amy Kagan	\$164.00	\$0.00	\$164.00
CPR Instructor Renewal	02/06/2013	MaryEllen Bowlby	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NJSSNA's 8th Annual Conference	03/08/201303/ 09/2013	MaryEllen Bowlby	\$229.00	\$110.00	\$339.00
Digital Storytelling on the iPad	03/21/2013	Alex Jordan Judy Liptak	\$125.00 each	\$85.00 each	\$420.00
CASANA – The iPad Basics webinar	02/13/2013	Susan DeSapio Camille Reilly	\$35.00 each	\$0.00	\$70.00
Healing Arts: The Creative Path	03/01/2013	Sue Penn	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Voices of Change	03/13/2013	Denise Rella	\$190.00	\$85.00	\$275.00
Voices of Change	03/12/2013	Barbara Shaffer	\$95.00	\$85.00	\$180.00
NJASCD Annual Conference	03/07/2013	Rich Katz	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$50.00

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 133

FIELD TRIPS

Brendan McIsaac moved, seconded by Robert Moul, to approve the following requests for Field Trips as listed. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

Date	Grade	Destination	Cost per person
Apr-13	6th grade students	Princeton Art Museum	\$8.00
May-13	5th grade students	Camp Bernie	\$18.50
May-13	7th grade students	Patriots Theater	\$21.00
May-13	6th grade students	Liberty Science Center	\$19.00

POLICY: None

GENERAL INFORMATION: BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 134

BOARD MINUTES

Robert Moul moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to approve the Board of Education Meeting minutes from the January 7, 2013 Reorganization and Work Session; and the January 22, 2013 Business and Executive Sessions. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes"

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 135

SECRETARY AND TREASURER'S REPORTS

Robert Pyle moved, seconded by Patricia Cooper, to approve the Secretary's and Treasurer's reports as the cash receipts, cash expenditures, and cash balances of \$1,352,654.43 for December, 2012, are in agreement and further approve that in compliance with NJAC 6:20-2.13E, that no major account or fund has been over-expended and that as of the date of their reports there are sufficient funds available to meet financial obligations for the remainder of the 2012-2013 school year. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 136

BILL LIST

Robert Moul moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to approve final payment of bills in the amounts specified below. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

Bill List

General Account: \$1,207,596.67
 Cafeteria Account: \$ 0.00

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 137

ACCOUNT BALANCES

Robert Moul moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to accept account balances as of December, 2012 as specified below. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

Checking Account Balances for:

1.	Student Activities:	\$32,841.27
2.	Cafeteria:	\$47,330.02
3.	Payroll Agency:	\$50,540.43
4.	Unemployment:	\$67,016.64

CORRESPONDENCE:

SEMI Waiver Approval Letter – 1/30/13 – HCDOE

Town of Clinton Fee Waiver Denial Letter - 1/25/13

NEW BUSINESS: None

OLD BUSINESS:

District Goals Update

School Choice

2013-14 School Budget: Reviewed budget summary and tax impact on flat taxes, 1% cap and 2% cap. Reviewed budget cuts to arrive at those tax impacts. Discussed Ipad iniative and technology usage in the school.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 138

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Robert Moul moved, seconded by Brendan McIsaac, to adjourn to Executive Session at 9:30 p.m. in accordance with the Sunshine Law, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975, to discuss Paraprofessional Contract Negotiations, Health Benefit options, & Grievance. The matters discussed will be made public if and when the circumstances requiring confidentiality no longer exist; however, it is not presently known when such circumstances will exist. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

RESOLUTION 2012-2013: 139

ADJOURNMENT

Margaret Layding moved, seconded by Patricia Cooper, to adjourn the Board Meeting at 10:15 p.m. Motion carried unanimously with all "ayes".

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Craft

Business Administrator

Robert Pyle, President