<u>MISSION STATEMENT</u>: We are committed to or exceeding the NJ Student Learning Standards at all grade levels in all areas, and providing a safe and supportive environment where all students are inspired, empowered, and encouraged to maximize their unique potential.

<u>VISION STATEMENT</u>: Students will become life-long learners, critical thinkers, and creative problem solvers who achieve success as valuable and contributing members of society.

WORKSHOP MEETING on March 13, 2017, Administration Building, 1 Crest Way, Aberdeen, NJ.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Gentile called the Committee of the Whole Meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. STATEMENT OF ADEQUATE NOTICE

Ms. Gentile read the following Statement:

"The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or agreed upon. In accordance with the provision of this act, the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education advertised this meeting on January 31, 2017, the Asbury Park Press and February 1, 2017, the Star Ledger. This notice was sent to the Municipal Clerks of the Borough of Matawan and the Township of Aberdeen, and the Matawan-Aberdeen Joint Free Public Library. The notice was also placed on the district's web site."

IV. ROLL CALL

Present: Ms. Kathleen Gentile - President Ms. Anissa Esposito - Vice President

Mr. Kevin Ahearn
Mr. Weymouth Brittingham- (arrived @7:06 pm)
Ms. Allison Friedman
Mr. Kenneth Aitken
Dr. John Delaney, Ed.D.
Ms. Tara Martinez

Ms. Joelle Nappi

Absent:

Also Dr. Joseph Majka, Superintendent of Schools

Present: Dr. Karen Jones, Assistant Superintendent Curriculum and Instruction

Mr. Alex Ferreira, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Mr. Brian Walsh, Director of Personnel

Ms. Nelyda Perez, Director of Special Services

Mr. David Palumbo, Assistant to the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

V. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Majka made the following statements:

Mr. Ferreira gave a PowerPoint presentation on the FY 18 Budget Expenditures to the Board.

A member of the Board had questions regarding the security radios, outward facing cameras on the buses and the Cliffwood playground. Mr. Ferreira addressed the concerns.

A member of the Board inquired about the State Aid figure remaining flat and our District being underfunded. Mr. Ferreira and Dr. Majka addressed the concern.

A member of the Board had questions about the District's reserve accounts, the worker's compensation premiums and local grants that are provided to the District. Mr. Ferreira addressed the concern.

Mr. Nasr gave a PowerPoint presentation updating the Board on the District's facilities and projects.

A member of the Board questioned as to the responsible party in an underground water leak. Mr. Nasr addressed the concern.

A member of the Board had questions regarding the lead testing, the stage at the High School and the bathroom stalls at the Middle School. Mr. Nasr addressed the concerns.

VI. CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

Dr. Jones reviewed the Curriculum and Instruction Agenda requesting that the Board take action this evening on Item A. The remainder of the items will be presented for action at the March 27, 2017 Regular Action Meeting.

A motion was moved by Ms. Esposito and seconded by Ms. Martinez.

B. OTHER

1. The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve an overnight trip for the Matawan Regional High School Winter Guard to Wildwood, NJ from May 4, 2017 to May 7, 2017.

Itemized Costs: Fundraising: \$ 800.00

Student Cost: \$ 160.00 District Cost: \$1,437.00

District Cost: \$1,437.00 **Account** #:11-401-100-890-30-1403-0

(transportation - \$1,200.00, substitutes \$237.00)

VII. PERSONNEL

Mr. Walsh reviewed the Personnel Agenda requesting that the Board take action this evening on Action Items 1 and 2. The remainder of the items will be presented for action at the March 27, 2017 Regular Action Meeting.

A motion was moved by Ms. Nappi and seconded by Ms. Friedman.

A member of the Board inquired about the HIB reports. Mr. Walsh addressed the concern.

A member of the Board asked about a staffing array change. Mr. Walsh addressed the concern.

A. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS

Policy: 4121.1 Individual Contracts Certificated Staff

4212.1 Individual Contracts Non-Certificated Staff

Name	Loc	Position	Reason	Effective Date
Wallace, Eileen	HS	Special Olympics Track & Field	Resignation from	2/28/17
		Coach	Extra Curricular	(Retroactive)
			Position	

B. LEAVE OF ABSENCES

Policy: 4151 Attendance Patterns

4151.1 Personal Illness and Injury/Health and Hardship

Name	Loc	Position	Type of Leave	With/W/O Pay	Effective Dates
Cotter, Shawn	CO	Operations &	Medical Leave	Without Pay	2/27/17, 3/1/17, 3/2/17
		Maintenance			(Retroactive)
		Mechanic			
Leahy, Sydnie	CO	Transportation	Personal Leave	Without Pay	3/1/17 (Retroactive)
		Assistant			
Peters-Esposito,	CL	Instructional	Medical Leave	With Pay	1/9/17-2/9/17
Mindy		Assistant		•	(Retroactive)
Gregg, Jennifer	MA	Teacher of English	Medical Leave	Without Pay	2/24/17-6/30/17
		_		-	(Retroactive)
Maiello, Regina	CL	Elementary Teacher	Maternity Leave	With Pay	5/4/17-9/12/17
			Disability Phase		
			Maternity Leave	Without Pay	9/13/17-10/13/17
			Disability Phase	Williout Luy	3/13/17 10/13/17
			_		
			FMLA/NJFLA	Without Pay	10/16/17-12/01/17
Morillo, Deborah	RD	Media Specialist	FMLA	Without Pay	1/9/17-3/29/17
					(Retroactive)
Pickell, Corinne	CL	Instructional	Medical Leave	Without Pay	3/7/17-3/17/17
		Assistant			(Retroactive)
Joyce, Kathleen	MA	Teacher	Personal Leave	Without Pay	6/1/17, 6/2/17, 6/5/17

C. APPOINTMENTS

Policy: 4111/4211 Recruiting, Selection and Hiring

4142/4242 Salary Checks and Deductions

4122 Substitute Teachers Student Teachers/Interns

4213/4214 Assignment/Transfer

1. Appointments

1. Appor						Donlogo	Effective
Name	Loc	Position	Step	Salary/Stipend	# Int	Replace Reason	Dates Dates
TBD	CL	Secretary 12 Months	TBD	TBD + \$1,400.00	TBD	Wustrow	5/1/17-6/30/17
		Principal		Principal Secretary		(Retirement)	
		•		Stipend (Pro-rated)			
Ashed, Jillian	CL	Elementary Teacher	C-01	\$49,190.00 (Pro-rated)	3	Thomas	4/1/17-6/30/17
		•				(Retirement)	
TBD	CO	Bus Van Driver Full	TBD	TBD (Pro-rated)	TBD	Kosbab	4/1/17-6/30/17
		Time				(Resignation)	
TBD	CO	Bus Van Driver Full	TBD	TBD (Pro-rated)	TBD	Beatrice	4/1/17-6/30/17
		Time				(Transfer)	
TBD	CO	Bus Van Driver Part	TBD	TBD (Pro-rated)	TBD	Dukes	4/1/17-6/30/17
		Time				(Transfer)	
TBD	CO	Bus Van Driver Part	TBD	TBD (Pro-rated)	TBD	Lara (Transfer)	4/1/17-6/30/17
		Time					
TBD	MA	Teacher of Special	TBD	TBD (Pro-rated)	TBD	Wilensky	4/20/17-6/6/17
		Education				(Leave of	
		Replacement Position				Absence)	

NOTE: The law on background checks requires ultimate clearance prior to any employment becoming final.

2. Mentors – 2016/2017 School Year

Novice Teacher	Mentoring Teacher	Subject	Location

Rationale: To assist first year teachers in the performance of their duties and adjustment to the challenges of their teaching assignment; reduce novice teacher attrition; improve the effectiveness of new teachers; and enhance knowledge of and strategies related to the CCSS to facilitate student achievement and growth by implementing the Board Approved Mentoring Plan pursuant to NJAC 6A:9B-6.

Cost: None to the District. Provisional Teacher assumes total responsibility for paying the Mentor Teacher

Effective Date: 2016/2017 School Year

3. Substitutes

Category	Account Number	
Transportation	11-000-270-160-11-0000-9	

NOTE: The law on background checks requires ultimate clearance prior to any employment becoming final.

Teacher Certificated: \$85.00 per Day – 2016/2017 School Year – Substitute Principal \$300.00 per day –

2016/2017 School Year

Substitute Transportation Assistant: \$12.00/Hour

4. College Student Observers/Teachers 2016/2017 School Year

		Cooperating Teacher and/or	
Name	College	Administrator	School/Area

Rationale: Student will be able to complete course work requirements toward degree and certification.

Cost: None to the Board Effective Date: 2016/2017 School Year

5. Home Instruction

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				Home	Hours	N 7 0	Total Hours	
	a		Classroom	Instruction	Per	No. of	Per	T100 T
I.D.	Subject	School	Teacher	Teacher	Week	Weeks	Subject/Class	Effective Dates
157124	World	HS	Harrington,	Carnovsky,	2	4	8	1/23/17-2/23/17
	Cultures		Meghan	Robert				(Retroactive)
157124	Lab Biology	HS	Tomasello,	Milan, Gregory	2	4	8	1/23/17-2/23/17
			Louise					(Retroactive)
157124	Algebra 1	HS	Stetz, Diane	Stetz, Diane	2	4	8	1/23/17-2/23/17
								(Retroactive)
157124	English 1	HS	Gallo, James	Kaiser, Heather	2	4	8	1/23/17-2/23/17
								(Retroactive)
157915	Science	MAMS	Reynolds,	Reinecke,	2.5	12	30	2/21/17-5/19/17
			Dustin	Taylor				(Retroactive)
157915	Social Studies	MAMS	Di Mario,	Miller, David	2.5	12	30	2/21/17-5/19/17
			Joseph					(Retroactive)
157915	Math	MAMS	Russo, Susan	Lenge, Tatiana	2.5	12	30	2/21/17-5/19/17
				_				(Retroactive)
157915	Language	MAMS	Monro,	McFadden,	2.5	12	30	2/21/17-5/19/17
	Arts		Christine	Mary Beth				(Retroactive)
159835	ELA/SS	LR	Herman,	Generoso,	5	13	65	3/6/17-6/9/17
			Carolyn/	Susan				(Retroactive)
			Reistrom,					
			Meghan					
159835	Math	LR	Herman,	Generoso,	3.5	13	45.5	3/6/17-6/9/17
			Carolyn/	Susan				(Retroactive)
			Reistrom,					
			Meghan					

I.D.	Subject	School	Classroom Teacher	Home Instruction Teacher	Hours Per Week	No. of Weeks	Total Hours Per Subject/Class	Effective Dates
159835	Science	LR	Herman, Carolyn/ Reistrom, Meghan	Generoso, Susan	1.5	13	19.5	3/6/17-6/9/17 (Retroactive)
155761	Food & Nutrition 1	HS	Claudio, Shannon	Claudio, Shannon	2	5	10	12/19/16- 1/30/17 (Retroactive)
160065	Reading/ Writing	CL	Pappas, Alyssa	Mastrangelo, Lauren	2.5	4	10	3/1/17-3/31/17 (Retroactive)
160065	Math	CL	Pappas, Alyssa	Mastrangelo, Lauren	2.5	4	10	3/1/17-3/31/17 (Retroactive)
160065	Social Studies	CL	Pappas, Alyssa	Mastrangelo, Lauren	2.5	4	10	3/1/17-3/31/17 (Retroactive)
16005	Science	CL	Pappas, Alyssa	Mastrangelo, Lauren	2.5	4	10	3/1/17-3/31/17 (Retroactive)

Account # 11-000-219-101-09-0000-0 – Special Education Account # 11-150-100-101-11-0000-1 – Regular Education

6. Chaperones - Matawan Aberdeen Middle School Graduation Exercise - June 2017

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	Last Name	First Name	Activity			
1	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
2	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
3	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
4	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
5	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
6	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
7	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
8	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
9	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
10	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			
11	TBD	TBD	Graduation Exercise Chaperone			

Cost: \$25.00/Hour – Not to Exceed 3 Hours

Effective: June 2017

Account #11-421-100-178-11-0000-5

7. Nurse - Matawan Aberdeen Middle School Graduation Exercise - June 2017

Name	Activity	Cost/Hours Effective
TBD	Nurse Middle School Graduation	\$40.00/Hour 3 Hours
	Exercise	June 2017

Effective: June 2017

Account #11-000-213-104-11-0000-9

8. Pit Musician – Middle School Spring Musical 2016/2017

Name	Instrument	Number of Performances	Rate Total Not To Exceed \$500.00
Peterson, Heidi	Reed		
Bolivar, Miguel	Reed		
Messenger, John	Trumpet		
Montiero, Eddie	Keyboard		
Erdt, Conrad	Keyboard		
Mariner, Robert	Bass		
Kovac, Randy	Drums		
Silva, Jeff	Percussion		

Account #11-401-100-500-40-0000-0

Effective April 2017

9. Summer Theatre Workshop – 2017

Name	Position	MRTA Stipend
TBD	Director/Coordinator	\$6580
TBD	Director	\$5920
TBD	Musical Director	\$3340
TBD	Vocal Director	\$3340
TBD	Production Design/Construction	\$4020
TBD	Production Assistant	\$1490
TBD	Choreographer	\$2970
TBD	Choreographer	\$2970
TBD	Technical Director	\$2580

Note: The law on background checks requires ultimate clearance prior to any employment becoming final.

Effective: June – July – August 2017 Account #60-990-100-100-11-0000-1

10. HALL MONITORS FOR CENTRALIZED KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Name	Loc	Activity	Position	Hour/Cost	Effective Date
TBD	CO	Kindergarten Registration	Hall Monitor	6 Hours Per Diem	3/25/17 and 4/1/17
				Rate	(Retroactive)

11. Professional Development – Wilson Reading Training 2016/2017

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Name	Position	Activity	Loc	Cost/Hours Effective
Moore, Ryan	Special Education	Professional Development	LR	\$35.00/Hour NTE 60
	LLD	Wilson Reading Training		Hours
Longo, Andrea	Special Education	Professional Development	LR	\$35.00/Hour NTE 60
	ICR/POR	Wilson Reading Training		Hours
Ford, Jennifer	Special Education	Professional Development	RD	\$35.00/Hour NTE 60
	Resource Room	Wilson Reading Training		Hours
Perrotta, Alexandra	Special Education	Professional Development	ST	\$35.00/Hour NTE 60
	LLD	Wilson Reading Training		Hours

Cost: \$35.00/Hour – NTE 60 hours each. Effective: 2016/2017 School Year Account #: 20-270-100-101-11-0000-1

12. Volunteers - Activities 2016/2017 School Year

Name	Location	Activity	Effective Date
Harnett, Christopher	HS	Spring Track	2016/2017 School Year
Monro, Bruce	HS	Baseball	2016/2017 School Year
Derechailo, Richard	HS	Freshman Baseball	2016/2017 School Year
Lasko, Andrew	MS/HS	Track & Field	2016/2017 School Year

NOTE: The law on background checks requires ultimate clearance prior to any employment becoming final.

13. Curriculum & Instruction – Alternative After School Program

Name	Position	Staff	Activity	Max Hours	Cost/Hour	Total Cost	Loc
TBD	Algebra 1 Math	2	Provide supplemental after-	4.5 Hours per	\$35/Hour	\$3,150 NTE	HS
	Teacher &		school academic assistance to	Week (Feb-			
			students who have failed Algebra	June)			
	Geometry Math		1 and/or Geometry.				
	Teacher		-	2 Days per			
			This program will provide	Week for			
	Dual Certification		targeted remedial instruction in a	Algebra 1			
	in Special		small group setting designed to				
	Education		strengthen math skills and	2 Days per			
	preferred for all		content knowledge related to	Week for			
	positions		Algebra 1 and Geometry.	Geometry			

Account # 11-421-101-11-0000-6 Total Amounts NTE \$8.050

14. Staff Array Changes – 2016/2017 School Year

					Effective
Name	Loc	Assignment	Loc	Assignment	Date
Turley, Rose-Marie	HS - 0.25	AP Biology	HS – 0.25	AP Biology	Varma AM
	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology ICR	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology ICR	Half Day
	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology	3/7/17-3/31/17
	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology Honors	HS - 0.25	Lab Biology Honors	(Retroactive)
			HS - 0.20 O/L	Academy Lab Chemistry	
Mohammed, Patrick	HS - 0.50	Lab Chemistry Level 1	HS - 0.50	Lab Chemistry Level 1	Varma AM
	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2	Half Day
	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2 ICR	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2 ICR	3/7/17-3/31/17
			HS – 0.25 O/L	Lab Chemistry Honors	(Retroactive)
			HS – 0.05 O/L	Academy Lab Chemistry	
Olechnowicz, Jeffrey	HS - 0.75	Lab Chemistry Level I	HS – 0.75	Lab Chemistry Level I	Varma AM
	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2 ICR	HS - 0.25	Lab Chemistry Level 2 ICR	Half Day
			HS – 0.05 O/L	Lab Chemistry Honors Lab	3/7/17-3/31/17
				-	(Retroactive)

15. Extra-Curricular/Hourly Activities – 2016/2017 School Year

Name	School	Activity	Position	2016/2017 Step/Stipend	Effective Date
Extra-Curricular Activities					
TBD (Replacing E. Wallace resignation from activity)	HS	Special Olympics Track & Field 11-402-100-100-11-0000-2	Coach	\$1045.00 Season	2016/2017 School Year

16. Other

Nursing Services Plan 2016/2017 Preschool through Grade 12

Rationale: The Nursing Services Plan describes in detail the nursing services to be provided throughout the school district based on the needs of its students, potential emergency situations, basic nursing services requirements, and the assignment of medical staff to provide the services. Once the plan is developed, each district board of education shall annually adopt the school district's Nursing Services Plan at a regular meeting pursuant to NJAC 6A:16-2.1

VIII. POLICY

Mr. Walsh reviewed the Policy Agenda requesting the Board approve the first reading of the listed policy.

A motion was moved by Ms. Nappi and seconded by Ms. Friedman.

A member of the Board inquired if some of her suggestions would be incorporated into the policy. Ms. Gentile addressed the concern.

IX. FINANCE/TRANSPORTATION

Mr. Ferreira reviewed the Finance Agenda requesting that the Board take action this evening on Action Items A.1., 2. and 3. The remainder of the items will be presented for action at the March 27, 2017 Regular Action Meeting.

A motion was moved by Mr. Ahearn and seconded by Ms. Esposito.

A. BUSINESS OPERATIONS

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the following:

4. Payroll for February 2017 and Bills List for March 2017 (Available for review in Board Secretary's Office)

Policy #6470 Payment of Claims

February 2017, Payroll	\$3,611,237.49
March 2017, Bills List	\$
TOTAL	\$

5. Transfer of Funds for February 2017 (Available for review in Board Secretary's Office) Policy # 6422 Budget Transfers

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(a)1 prohibits a district Board of Education from approving an encumbrance or expenditure that, when added to the total of existing encumbrances and expenditures, does not exceed the amount appropriated by the district board of education in the applicable line item account established pursuant to N.J.A.C. 18A:22-8.1., and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)1 requires presentation of a report showing all transfers between line item accounts at every regular district board of education meeting,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the report of line item transfers for **February 2017** as presented.

6. S-1701 Reporting for February 2017

Board Secretary Report for February 2017

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Report of the Secretary to the Board of Education and the Report of the Treasurer of School Monies for **February 2017**, which are in agreement, be accepted as submitted and attached to and made part of the minutes of this meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)4, certify that as of **February 28, 2017**, after review of the Board Secretary's monthly financial reports (appropriations section) and Treasurer's Report, and upon consultation with appropriate district officials, to the best of our knowledge no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(a)1 and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

	March 27, 2017
Alex Ferreira	Date
Board Secretary	

7. Agreement with Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education enter into an agreement with Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey. The rates are guaranteed from May 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. The monthly premium rates are as follows:

Coverage Type	Horizon Direct Access 10	Horizon Direct Access 15	Horizon Direct Access 15/25	Horizon Direct Access 20/30	Horizon Direct Access 20/35	Horizon POS 10/20
Single	786.79	748.79	726.73	682.99	587.37	620.01
2 Adults	1,573.16	1,497.60	1,453.45	1,395.96	1,174.73	1,239.98
Family	2,249.79	2,141.54	2,078.45	1,953.35	1,679.89	1,773.22
Parent/Child	1,463.02	1,399.72	1,351.72	1,270.36	1,092.51	1,153.21

8. Routine Business Travel 2016-2017

Policy: # 6471 School District Travel

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education pursuant to Travel policy # 6471, approve the following staff for travel related to routine business for the 2016-2017 school year:

Name	Position	Total
Michele Maida	Library Assistant	\$650.00

9. Fire and Evacuation Drills

The following Fire and Evacuation Drills occurred during February 2017:

School Name	Security Drill Type	Date & Time
Cambridge Park Pre-school	Fire Drill	2/8/17 @ 9:50 am
Cambridge Park Pre-school	Lockdown	2/24/17 @ 12:30 pm
Strathmore Elementary School	Fire Drill	2/1/27 @ 9:25 am
Strathmore Elementary School	Lockdown	2/2/17 @ 10:45 am
Cliffwood Elementary School	Fire Drill	2/13/17 @ 11:30 am
Cliffwood Elementary School	Bomb Threat	2/27/17 @ 2:47 pm
Lloyd Road Elementary School	Fire Drill	2/6/17 @ 10:55 am
Lloyd Road Elementary School	Active Shooter	2/27/17 @ 2:20 pm
Matawan-Aberdeen Middle School	Fire Drill	2/15/17 @ 8:40 am
Matawan-Aberdeen Middle School	Active Shooter Lockdown	2/6/17 @ 1:50 pm
Ravine Drive Elementary School	Fire Drill	2/15/17 @ 10:58 am
Ravine Drive Elementary School	Lockdown	2/6/17 @ 2:25 pm
Matawan Regional High School	Fire Drill	2/8/17 @ 12:40 pm
Matawan Regional High School	Lockdown	2/23/17 @ 8:25 am

X. PUBLIC COMMENTS RELATING TO BOARD AGENDA ITEMS

There were none

XI. ACTION ON AGENDA ITEMS

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

The following item was then approved by a unanimous roll call vote. Ms. Gentile and Ms. Esposito abstained from their portions of the travel agenda.

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the following:

A. TRAVEL

Pursuant to travel policy #6471, the following staff is approved for travel related to training and workshops. This travel is deemed educationally necessary and fiscally prudent, and all travel expenditures shall be directly related to and within the scope of the staff member's current responsibilities and the district's Professional Development Plan. (Curriculum & Instruction Attachment #1)

Policy: #6471 Travel/Reimbursable Expenses

Rationale: Required estimates to abide by law and policy.

PERSONNEL

The following items were then approved by a unanimous roll call vote.

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the following:

1. HIB Report

The Superintendent recommends the approval of the Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying (HIB) Report as reported during Executive Session of the Matawan Aberdeen Board of Education Meeting of February 27, 2017.

Incidents Reported	Confirmed HIB Incidents
4	0

2. Substitutes

Category	Account Number
Certificated Staff	Substitute Teacher
Dacas, Njelama N.	Substitute Teacher

NOTE: The law on background checks requires ultimate clearance prior to any employment becoming final.

Teacher Certificated: \$85.00 per Day – 2016/2017 School Year – Substitute Principal \$300.00 per day – 2016/2017 School Year

POLICY

The following items were then approved by a unanimous roll call vote.

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the first reading of the following policy:

M indicates mandated by State law

Policy/Regulation #	Title
P & R 8600	Transportation (M) - Revised

FINANCE

The following item was then approved by a unanimous roll call vote.

A. BUSINESS OPERATIONS

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the following:

1. Adoption of Tentative Budget for 2017-18 – <u>ACTION ITEM</u>

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Board of Education approve the adoption of the 2017-18 tentative budget as follows:

General Fund	\$67,408,011
Special Revenue Fund	\$1,155,713
Debt Service Fund	\$2,658,358
Total Tentative Budget	\$71,222,082

2. Acknowledgement of Amount to be Raised in Local Taxes – ACTION ITEM

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen acknowledge the total amount of funds to be raised in local taxes which includes the use of the health insurance adjustment and use of banked cap in the general fund for the ensuing school year (2017-18) as follows:

	Total	Matawan	Aberdeen
General Fund	\$52,003,125	\$17,308,965	\$34,694,160
Debt Service Fund	\$2,392,474	\$796,322	\$1,596,152
Total Taxes to be Raised	\$54,395,599	\$18,105,287	\$36,290,312

3. Advertise Tentative Budget for Public Hearing – <u>ACTION ITEM</u>

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen approve the submission of the 2017-18 tentative budget to the Monmouth County Executive County Superintendent of Schools for approval and authorize the advertisement after approval in the Asbury Park Press in accordance with the form suggested by the NJ Department of Education and according to law and establish that the public hearing on the budget for the 2017-18 school year be held in the Administrative Building located within the Cambridge Park Elementary School, One Crest Way, Aberdeen, New Jersey on April 24, 2017 at 7:00pm.

XII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Ms. Gentile stated the bylaws and polices for the District are being reviewed with comments and suggestions being incorporated into them. Once completed, they will be sent to the Board attorney for his review.
- Dr. Majka stated that at the last Board meeting there were concerned parents who spoke about the Y-Time and KinderCare programs. He has met with the community on two occasions to discuss the matter. Dr. Majka then read into the record the letter he wrote addressing the situation and that it will be placed on the District's website tomorrow morning.
- A member of the Board noted that the District did not initiate the process of removing the YMCA. Parents had brought up concerns that they had regarding the program which is what brought it to administration's attention. Dr. Majka addressed her statement.

XIII. NEW BUSINESS

There was none

XIV. PUBLIC COMMENTS RELATING TO ADDITIONAL MATTERS

- A member of the public asked about changes to the transportation for the District, specifically subscription busing. Mr. Ferreira addressed the concern.
- A member of the public asked what would happen if the YMCA does not improve the quality of their program. Dr. Majka addressed the concern.

• A member of the Board noted that the YMCA program at Lloyd Road has already begun to change.

XV. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Be It Resolved, that a closed session be convened for the purpose of discussing Privacy and Personnel Matters. The subject matter of these discussions will be disclosed to the public when the reason for confidentiality subsides. Although the Board cannot guarantee it, the length of the Executive Session is estimated to be 20 minutes after which the public meeting of the Board shall reconvene and proceed with business. Action will take place.

It was moved by Ms. Nappi seconded by Ms. Friedman that the Board convene in Executive Session and approved by a unanimous voice vote at 8:29 pm.

The Board returned to Open Session at 9:01 pm.

It was moved by <u>Ms. Esposito</u>, seconded by <u>Ms. Nappi</u> and approved by a split roll call vote with Mr. Ahearn voting no for Item #3.

PERSONNEL

The Superintendent recommends that the Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District Board of Education approve the following:

3. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS

Policy: 4121.1 Individual Contracts Certificated Staff 4212.1 Individual Contracts Non-Certificated Staff

Name	Loc	Position	Reason	Date of Hire	Effective Date
Spells, Wayne	CP	Principal Cambridge Park Pre-School	Retirement	11/14/1978	12/31/2017
		Director of Special Programs			

4. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS

Policy: 4121.1 Individual Contracts Certificated Staff 4212.1 Individual Contracts Non-Certificated Staff

Name	Loc	Position	Reason	Date of Hire	Effective Date
Jones, Karen	CO	Assistant Superintendent of	Retirement	1/5/2015	6/30/2017
		Curriculum & Instruction			

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by Ms. Martinez seconded by Ms. Nappi and a unanimous roll call vote the Board adjourned the meeting at 9:04 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Alex Ferreira

School Business Administrator/

Board Secretary

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NAME	BLDG	DATES	LOCATION	TITLE	REGIS FEE	MILEAGE MAX	TOLLS- PARK	LODGING	MEALS/ MISC.	TOTAL	SUB YES/NO
Brophy, Eileen	LR	3/15/2017	The College of New Jersey Ewing Township, NJ	The College of New Jersey Symposium	\$0.00	\$14.26*	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$14.26*	YES
Irons, Mark	СО	3/15/2017	The College of New Jersey Ewing Township, NJ	The College of New Jersey Symposium	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Olsen, Cristina	СО	3/15/2017	NJPSA Monroe, NJ	NJDOE Training for NJBCT and NJASK Science	\$0.00	\$11.10*	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11.10*	NO
Bombardier, John	СО	3/15/2017	Monroe Crowne Plaza Jamesburg, NJ	Measurement Incorporated & DOE District Test Coordinator Training for 2017 NJBCT & NJASK Science Grades 4-8	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Kaplan, Daniel	HS	3/17/2017, 3/18/2017	Princeton University Princeton, NJ	NJ American Association of Physics Teachers Spring Meeting - Gravity Wave and New Approaches to Teaching Physics	\$59.73*	\$28.83*	\$3.60*	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$92.16*	NO
Perez, Nelyda	СО	3/23/2017	APA Hotel Woodbridge Iselin, NJ	North/Central Jersey Community Communication Meeting Pre-K Our Way	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Alli, Asma	CL	3/24/2017	Colts Neck School Administrative Building Colts Neck, NJ	MC3 ESL/Bilingual Teacher Sharing Sessions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	YES

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Armanno, Carol	RD	3/24/2017	Colts Neck School Administrative Building Colts Neck, NJ	MC3 ESL/Bilingual Teacher Sharing Sessions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	YES
Spaur, Isabel	ST	3/24/2017	Colts Neck School Administrative Building Colts Neck, NJ	MC3 ESL/Bilingual Teacher Sharing Sessions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Perez, Nelyda	СО	3/24/2017	Colts Neck School Administrative Building Colts Neck, NJ	MC3 ESL/Bilingual Teacher Sharing Sessions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Walsh, Brian	СО	3/30/2017	New Jersey City University Jersey City, NJ	Career Fair	\$75.00****	\$21.27****	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$96.27****	
Cernero, Andrea	HS	3/31/2017	Kean University Union, NJ	NJ School Counselor Association 2017 Annual Conference	\$40.00*	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40.00*	NO
Cronin, Sean	HS	3/24/2017, 3/25/2017, 3/26/2017, 3/27/2017	Anaheim Convention Center Anaheim, CA	Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development Annual Conference Empower 2017	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Bauer, Jennifer	СР	3/30/2017	Philadelphia Convention Center Philadelphia, PA	American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference	\$520.00**	\$39.68**	31.50**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$591.18**	NO
O'Mullan, Claudia	LR	3/30/2017	Philadelphia Convention Center Philadelphia, PA	American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference	\$520.00**	\$31.74**	\$40.00**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$591.74**	NO
Six, Lauren	LR	3/30/2017	Philadelphia Convention Center Philadelphia, PA	American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference	\$520.00**	\$49.29**	\$31.50**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$600.79**	NO

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Walsh, Brian	СО	4/4/2017	Montclair State University Montclair, NJ	Career Fair	\$50.00****	\$27.00****	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$77.00****	NO
Spitz, Yael	CL	4/7/2017	Days Inn Toms River, NJ	New Jersey Association of Learning Consultants Spring Conference 2017	\$200.00**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00**	NO
Lazur, Margaret	СО	4/27/2017	Forsgate Country Club Monroe Twp., NJ	NJAPSA Jane Petrozzino	\$35.00**	\$3.41**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$38.41**	NO
Perez, Nelyda	СО	4/27/2017	Forsgate Country Club Monroe Twp., NJ	NJAPSA Jane Petrozzino	\$35.00**	\$8.43**	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$43.43**	NO
Zibbell, James	MS	5/1/2017	Borgata Hotel & Casino Atlantic City, NJ	National Association of Social Workers 2017 Annual Conference	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	NO
Danback, Barbara	RD	5/24/2017, 5/25/2017	Richard Stockton College Galloway, NJ	Ceceilyn Miller Institute for Diversity Anti-Bullying Conference	\$189.00*	\$79.36*	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$268.36*	NO
Ferreira, Alex	СО	6/7/2017, 6/8/2017, 6/9/2017	Borgata Hotel & Casino Atlantic City, NJ	55th Annual New Jersey Association of School Business Officials Conference	\$275.00***	\$53.10***	\$35.00***	\$358.00***	\$210.00***	\$931.50***	NO
Palumbo, David	со	6/7/2017, 6/8/2017, 6/9/2017	Borgata Hotel & Casino Atlantic City, NJ	55th Annual New Jersey Association of School Business Officials Conference	\$275.00***	\$41.54***	\$35.00***	\$358.00***	\$210.00***	\$919.54***	NO
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^{*}Amount being charged to Account #20-270-200-500-00-0000-0

Substitutes costs will vary as follows: BA with Certification - \$118.50 per day; BA only - \$104.56 per day, NTE: \$355.50

REQUIRED ESTIMATES TO ABIDE BY LAW AND POLICY. ALL AMOUNTS ARE NOT TO EXCEED.

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