HAWORTH BOARD OF EDUCATION HAWORTH, NEW JERSEY 07641 REORGANIZATION MEETING January 2, 2019 AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER – 7:30 PM

II. FLAG SALUTE

III. SUNSHINE LAW STATEMENT.

All requirements of the Open Public Business Meetings Law have been met for this meeting of the Board of Education of the Borough of Haworth. On October 13, 2018 advance written notice was emailed to **The Record**, filed with the Borough Clerk, posted on the school website and forwarded to the Presidents of the Haworth Home and School Association and Teachers Association, and all persons requesting such notice.

IV. MISSION STATEMENT

The Haworth Public School District, a safe and nurturing small school environment, in partnership with our community, is dedicated to providing every student with educational excellence through a comprehensive, innovative and rigorous curriculum that fosters productive and responsible lifelong learners in a global society. Adopted – May 28, 2013.

V. ROLL CALL: Mr. Jeffrey Ashkenase

Mrs. Nicole Brennan Mrs. Mary Anne Doran

Mrs. Judy Eig Mrs. Karen Leddy Mr. Michael Rodino Mrs. Stacey Wunsch

Dr. Peter Hughes, Superintendent

Mr. Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education

Mrs. Stacey Cherry, Esq., Fogarty & Hara Mrs. Kristi Giambona, Board Secretary

VI. MOTION TO OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FOR AGENDA ITEMS ONLY –

The Board is interested in hearing your comments. In order to ensure that everyone has the opportunity to speak, we are asking that you speak once and limit your comments to three minutes. We further ask that all comments be directed to the Board. We recognize that everyone has the freedom to speak but advise you that anything said in public may have legal ramifications. There is no protection regarding statements made by the public. Please state your name before you begin.

VII. CLOSE THE PUBLIC PORTION -

VIII. BOARD SECRETARY'S REPORT ON ELECTION RESULTS

1. Election Results - It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education acknowledge the election results from November 6, 2018, as reported herein by the Superintendent/Board Secretary.

Board Candidate Results (2) Full Three-Year Terms

Three Year candidates	At Polls	Absentee	Total
Nicole Brennan	598	0	598
Stacey Wunsch	396	0	396

2. Oath is administered by the Board Secretary based on these results to the following newly elected Board Members:

Nicole Brennan Stacey Wunsch

3. Haworth Board of Education Trustees and Expiration of Terms of Office:

Trustee	Expiration of Term
Jeff Ashkenase	2019
Nicole Brennan	2021
Mary Anne Doran	2020
Judy Eig	2019
Karen Leddy	2019
Michael Rodino	2020
Stacey Wunsch	2021

- 4. **Nomination and Election of President** The Board Secretary receives nominations for the election of the President of the Board. **Board Secretary relinquishes the chair to the newly elected president.**
- 5. **Nomination and Election of Vice-President** The Board President receives nominations for the election of the Vice-President of the Board.

Moved,	Seconded
ROLL CALL VOTE:	

6. **Meeting Dates** - It is hereby moved, that the Board of Education approves the Public Board meetings to be held once per month (unless otherwise advertised) at 7:30 p.m. in the Haworth Multipurpose Room as follows:

2019

Haworth Board of Education Meeting Dates

Wednesday, January 2, 2019
Tues. February 12, 2019
Tues. March 19, 2019
Tues. April 30, 2019 (Budget Presentation)
Tues. May 21, 2019
Tues. June 18, 2019
Tues. July 16, 2019
Tues. August 20, 2019
Tues. September 17, 2019
Tues. October 15, 2019
Tues. November 19, 2019
Tues. December 17, 2019

Note: Action is taken at all Public Meetings. Closed session meetings may precede and/or follow the meetings. Meeting location, dates & times subject to change. Notices for all meetings (scheduled, non-scheduled, canceled or changed) are posted in the hall outside the Superintendents Office, the hall outside the Haworth School main office, Haworth Public Library and the Haworth Town Hall. Public Notice is also published in The Record newspaper.

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	ROLL CALL VOTE:	
7.	Board Meeting Conduct - It is hereby moved that the Board adopt "Robert Rules of Order" for parliamentary procedures in conducting board business.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
8.	Official Depository - It is hereby moved that the Board approve Valley National Bank as official depository for funds of this Board of Education for remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	

9. **MOTION to designate the following accounts as the official accounts** which the Board of Education of the Borough of Haworth will use during the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.

Valley National Bank for the Haworth School District located at 205 Valley Road, Haworth, NJ 07641. The check supplier for Haworth is MGL Forms, 154 South Street, New Providence, NJ 07974.

- <u>Agency Account</u> Any 1 of 3 Business Administrator, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>After School Account</u> Any 1 of 3 Business Administrator, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>Capital Projects Referendum Account</u> 3 Signatures Required Business Administrator, Board President and Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>Capital Reserve Account</u> 3 Signatures Required Business Administrator, Board President and Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>Flexible Spending Account</u> Any 1 of 3 Business Administrator, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.
- Operating Account 3 Signatures Required Business Administrator, Board President and Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>Payroll Account</u> 1 Signature Required Business Administrator, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.
- <u>Petty Cash Account</u> Any 1 of 3 Business Administrator, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.
- Student School Fund Account Any 2 of 4 Business Administrator, Superintendent, Board President or Treasurer of School Money's.

Moved,ROLL CALL VOTE:	Seconded
10. Official Newspapers - It is hereby Education approve <u>The Record and</u> newspapers of the Haworth Board of 2019 school year and through the newspapers.	The Suburbanite as the official of Education for the remainder of the 2018-
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of Education approve the Chart of A	t is hereby moved that the Haworth Board accounts for the remainder of the 2018-2019 nization meeting, which are on file in the
Moved, ROLL CALL VOTE:	Seconded

12. **Appointment of Treasurer of School Money's** - It is hereby moved, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education appoints Rebecca Overgaard, as Treasurer of School Money's for the

remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
13. Appointment of Board Secretary – It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education appoint Kristi Giambona as Board Secretary for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved,Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
14. Petty Cash Account - It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education establish a petty cash account for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting in the amount of \$500.00.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
15. Professional Consultant/School Physician/Medical Examiner - It is hereby moved upon recommendation of the Superintendent, that Nancy Rothenberg, D.O., be appointed as professional consultant/school physician/ medical inspector, at an annual salary of \$2,500 for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
16. Professional Services Agreement/Architect —It is hereby moved that RSC Architects be approved as the District's Architect of Record for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved,Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
17. Professional Services Consultant/Auditor - It is hereby moved that Nisivoccia, LLP, Certified Public Accountants & Advisors, be approved as the District's auditor for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

13	8. Professional Services Consultant-Board Attorney – It is hereby moved that the Board, appoints the firm of Fogarty and Hara as Board Attorney at a rate of \$17 per hour for a partner and \$155 for an associate, for the remainder of the 2018-1 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	5
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
19	9. Professional Consultant/Comprehensive Computer Management Services-Budgeting/Accounting – It is hereby moved that Asbury Park Computer System be approved to provide comprehensive financial management services for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting at a cost of \$14,125.00. Furthermore, the Business Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with the aforementioned company.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
20	0. Professional Consultant/Environmental Services – It is hereby moved that ER&M, be approved to provide the following environmental and consulting services during for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting at a cost of \$760 for the following services: AHERA 6-month surveillance Inspection, AHERA 3-Year Re-inspection,	
	General and technical asbestos compliance as needed.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
21.	Contract for Nursing Services - It is hereby recommended by the Superintendent that Bayada Home Health Care. Inc. and Priority Nursing Services both be approved to provide substitute nursing services to the Haworth School District at their individual contracted rates per hour for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
22.	Medical and Prescription Plan - It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education approves participation of the district in the State Health Benefits Plan for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	

	Board of Education approve participation in the Delta Dental Plan and the Vision Service Plan for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
24.	Affirmative Action Officer - It is hereby moved upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board appoints Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education, as the Affirmative Action Officer and Title IX Compliance Coordinator for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
25.	504 Compliance Officer – It is hereby moved upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board appoints Suzanne Schmaler, School Counselor, as the 504 Compliance Officer for the for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
	School Safety Officer – It is hereby moved upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board appoints Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education, as the School Safety Officer for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
	Integrated Pest Management Coordinator – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board approve the appointment of Donald Turner, Supervisor of Building & Grounds, as the Integrated Pest Management Coordinator for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

	Superintendent, the Business Administ	at the Board approve rator/Director of Ele nainder of the 2018-	the appointment of Paul Wolford, ementary Education as the Custodian of 2019 school year and through the next
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33	3. Public Agency Compliance Officer (P.A.C.O.) – It is hereby moved, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board approve the appointment of Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education, Public Agency Compliance Officer for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	ent as
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
34	4. Job Descriptions – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board re-adopts the existing job descriptions covering all employees of the Haworth Board of Education, for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and ending on June 30, 2019.	ıg
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
35.	Policies and Bylaws - It is hereby moved that the Board re-adopts existing policies and bylaws of the Board of Education for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
36	6. Curriculum Guides and Materials - It is hereby moved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education affirm/approve the existing curriculum guides and materials for the remainde of the 2018-2019 school year through the next reorganization meeting.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	
r c S ti w F	Membership in Bergen County Region III – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education continues its membership in the Bergen County Region III Consortium for Special Education for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting; does hereby accept, adopt and agree to comply with the Region III Bylaws; designate the Superintendent as its representative to Region III; empower him/her to cast all votes and take all other action necessary to represent its interest in Region III.	
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:	

38	Risk Management Services—It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education approves the Burton Agency as broker of record to provide Risk Management Services to the district and approves a contract for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
39.	Membership in Northeast Bergen County School Board Insurance Group (NESBIG) – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education approves, pursuant to the provision of Title 18A:18A-42, participation of the District through the administration of Burton Agency as a member of the Northeast Bergen County School Board Insurance Group (NESBIG) in the Workers Compensation Pool and as a member for other joint insurance services for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
	Membership in New Jersey School Boards Association (NJSBA) – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education approves membership in the New Jersey School Boards Association for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
41.	Prescribed Mileage Reimbursement – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Haworth Board of Education approves the reimbursement rate for auto travel at \$.31 per mile for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting, to conform with the per mile rate established by the OMB Circular for the calendar year 2011.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

42. **Student Accident Insurance** – It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education approve the appointment of Bollinger Insurance Solutions as the student insurance carrier for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting per individual subscription (premiums are paid by the parents) and until the next reorganization meeting.

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43.	Cash Management – It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education authorizes the Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education, to perform the following for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting: a. Transfer funds among the various bank accounts of the District. b. Transfer line item accounts among the various budgetary accounts. c. Invest school funds as The Investment Officer of the Board, as permitted by statute. d. Make payment on the Bills and Claims, prior to their approval by the Board when it is deemed necessary, and then present them for approval at
	the next Board Meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
44.	Procurement of Goods/Services – It is hereby moved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, in concert with the Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education, that the Board authorizes the procurement of goods and services from vendors through the state agency/state contracts for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting as provided for in Title 18A:18A-10 without advertising for bids, or after having rejected all bids obtained pursuant to advertising.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
45.	School Funds Investor -Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education designates the Paul Wolford, Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education as the School Funds Investor for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
46.	Debt Service - Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the allocation of interest on bonds to the debt service fund for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.

Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

47. Memorandum of Agreement -Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the Haworth Public School and the Haworth Police Department for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
48. Organization Chart Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the organizational chart for the 2018-2019 school year and ending on June 30, 2018 (Attachment).
Moved,Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
49. Request for state and federal funds Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the Superintendent and the Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education or their designees, be designated as the Board's agents to request state and federal funds under the existing State and Federal Laws for the period from the date of this Organization Meeting to the Board Organization Meeting in the next calendar year.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
50. 2018-2019 School Budget - Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the implementation of the 2018-2019 school budget through June 30, 2019.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
51. Technical Services -Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves Northern Valley Technical Services for software/technology equipment maintenance for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

52. **Budget Transfers-**-Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves, as provided by N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.1, the Business Administrator/Director of Elementary Education to approve such line item budget transfers as are necessary between Board of Education

meetings, and that such transfers shall be reported to the Board of Education ratified and duly-recorded in the minutes of such meetings not less than monthly until the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
53. School Safety Plan - Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the emergency procedures described in the official Haworth School Safety Plan for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
54. District Plans -Plan Approval- Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education reaffirms the approval of the following plans: Long Range Facility Plan Three-Year Comprehensive Maintenance Plan Technology Plan Comprehensive Equity Plan Mentoring Plan
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
55. Insurance Broker -Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves G.R. Murray as broker/administrator for the flexible spending plan, cafeteria 125 plan and summary plan description for the reminder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:
56. Emergency Contact System – It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education reaffirm the Realtime Notification Alert System at a rate of \$1.85 per student for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.
Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:

57.	17. Student Information Management System- It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education affirm Realtime Information Technology, Inc. to provide student information data management for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.				
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:				
58.	Staff Attendance Management System- It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education affirm Frontline Technologies, Inc. (Aesop - Automated Substitute Placement & Absence Management System) to provide staff and substitute attendance data management for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.				
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59.	Staff Attendance Plan —Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Haworth Board of Education approves the Staff Attendance Plan for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.				
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:				
60.	District Website It is hereby moved that the Haworth Board of Education affirm Schoolwires, a Blackboard, Inc. company to provide website management for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and through the next reorganization meeting.				
	Moved, Seconded ROLL CALL VOTE:				

61. **Code of Ethics** – It is hereby moved, that the Haworth Board of Education adopts the following Code of Ethics developed by the New Jersey School Boards Association as the code to which each Haworth Board Member subscribes:

I will uphold and enforce all laws, state board rules and regulations, and court orders pertaining to schools. Desired changes should be brought about only through legal and ethical procedures.

I will make decisions in terms of the educational welfare of children and will seek to develop and maintain public schools which meet the individual needs of all children regardless of their ability, race, creed, sex or social standing.

I will confine my board action to policymaking, planning, and appraisal and I will help to frame policies and plans only after the board has consulted those who will be affected by them.

I will carry out my responsibility, not to administer the schools, but, together with my fellow board members, to see that they are well run.

I will recognize that authority rests with the board of education and will make no personal promises nor take any private action that may compromise the board.

I will refuse to surrender my independent judgment to special interest or partisan political groups or to use the schools for personal gain or for the gain of friends.

I will hold confidential all matters pertaining to the schools which, if disclosed, would needlessly injure individuals or the schools. But in all other matters, I will provide accurate information and, in concert with my fellow board members, interpret to the staff the aspirations of the community for its schools.

I will vote to appoint the best qualified personnel available after consideration of the recommendation of the Superintendent.

I will support and protect school personnel in proper performance of their duties.

I will refer all complaints to the chief administrative officer and will act on such complaints at public meetings only after failure of an administrative solution.

Moved,	Seconded	
ROLL CALL VOTE:	_	

IX. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC p.m.

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Χ.	CLOSED	SESSION	p.m.

WHEREAS the following subject is not appropriate to be discussed in a public meeting and is within the exemptions which may be discussed and acted upon and,

WHEREAS only the following subject shall be discussed in private recess by the Board and the minutes made available to the public as soon as the reason for exemption no longer exists, it is therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED at the Public Meeting of the Borough of Haworth Board of Education on this day Wednesday, January 2, 2019, pursuant to Sections 7 & 8 of the Open Public Meetings Act, the following subject shall be discussed in a session of the Board closed to the public:

Please be advised that the Board will be going into executive session for approximately _____hour to discuss personnel. Action may be taken in public after the executive session.

XI. MOTION TO RECONVENE INTO PUBLIC SESSION at p.m.

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	Moved,ROLL CALL VOTE:	Seconded	
XII.	ADJOURNMENT	p.m.	
	Moved,ROLL CALL VOTE:	Seconded	

President

Haworth Board of Education

Board Secretary Haworth Public School District