

Lawnside Board of Education Meeting Minutes
Public Hearing
April 29, 2020

The Regular Meeting of the Lawnside Board of Education was called to order at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. Directions for this meeting was placed on the district's website at www.lawnside.k12.nj.us. After observing a moment of silence, the following members answered present to the roll call:

Sabrina Forrest
Dajshia Gibson
Nana Cauthorne

Marsharee Wright
Alexis Wilson
William Jordan
Mawusimensah Mears arrived at 7:08 p.m

Absent: Yareem Ali and Deborah DeAbreu

Also present was Ronn Johnson, Superintendent, Dawn Leary, Business Administrator and Darryl Rhone, Board Solicitor

Revised Budget
Resolution #27

Motion by Marsharee Wright
seconded by Dajshia Gibson to
to approve Revised Budget
Resolution #27. Motion carried;
Roll Call Vote: 6 – yes, 1- no, 2 -
absent.

Mrs. Forrest – yes
Mr. Mears – no
Mr. Jordan – yes

Ms. Wright - yes
Mr. Ali - absent
Ms. Wilson – yes

Mrs. DeAbreu - absent
Ms. Gibson - yes
Ms. Cauthorne - yes

Revised Travel
Resolution #22

Motion by Marsharee Wright
seconded by Dajshia Gibson to
to approve Revised Travel
Resolution #22. Motion carried;
Roll Call Vote: 6 – yes, 1 – no,
2 – absent.

Mrs. Forrest – yes
Mr. Mears – no
Mr. Jordan – yes

Ms. Wright - yes
Mr. Ali - absent
Ms. Wilson – yes

Mrs. DeAbreu - absent
Ms. Gibson - yes
Ms. Cauthorne - yes

Budget 2020-2021
Approval

Motion by William Jordan
seconded by Marsharee Wright to
to approve school district budget
2020-2021. Motion carried;
Roll Call Vote: 5 – yes, 1- no,
2 – absent, 1 – absention.

Mrs. Forrest – yes
Mr. Mears – no
Mr. Jordan – yes

Ms. Wright - abstained
Mr. Ali - absent
Ms. Wilson – yes

Mrs. DeAbreu - absent
Ms. Gibson - yes
Ms. Cauthorne - yes

Public Comments

Dawn Wright-McCloud Lawnside Borough Coucilwoman commended Dr. Johnson and School District Staff for bringing students back into the district.

Dr. Johnson thanked Ms. Wright-McCloud. He stated the district always had a desire to return students to the district.

Mr. Mears asked about the "State Financial Hardship" and what would happen if the State was not able to pay districts State Aid. Ms. Leary stated there was no clarification on State Aid.

Board Member Comments

Mrs. Forrest thanked the teachers for their dedication as well as board members. She also thanked Dr. Johnson and Ms. Leary for the budget presentation.

All in favor: 7 – Ayes. Motion carried by Unanimous Voice Vote.

Adjournment – 8:12 p.m.

CERTIFICATION

I, Dawn Leary, Business Administrator/Board Secretary of the Board of Education of the Borough of Lawnside in the County of Camden, New Jersey, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing extract from the minutes of a meeting of the Board of Education duly called and held on *April 29, 2020* has been compared by me with the original minutes as officially recorded in the Minute Book of the Board of Education and is true, complete and correct copy thereof and of the whole of the original minutes so far as they relate to the subject matters referred to in the extract.

Respectfully Submitted



Dawn Leary
Business Administrator/Board Secretary