

Lawnside Board of Education Meeting Minutes  
October 23, 2014

A Special Meeting of the Lawnside Board of Education was called to order at 6:52 p.m. in the Board Conference Room of the Lawnside Public School, 426 Charleston Avenue. Board President Sabrina Forrest presided. After repeating the Pledge of Allegiance after observing a moment of silence, the following members answered present to the roll call:

Sabrina Forrest            Amy Pierce  
Canute Gardiner        Donica Venable  
Amy Kearney  
5 present, 3 absent, 1 vacancy

Absent: Mark Bryant, Ronald DeAbreu, Dalaine Wilson

Also present were Dr. Ronn Johnson, Superintendent, and Theresa Tutt, Board Secretary.

Ms. Forrest announced that notice of the meeting was sent to the Courier Post, Record Breeze, Philadelphia Inquirer and the Lawnside Borough Clerk as required by statute.

There were no Public Comments.

#### Superintendent's Report

#### District Goals

- **Goal #1 – Continue to focus on enhancing curriculum and instruction in English/Language Arts and Mathematics to improve student achievement**
- **Goal #2 – Continue to positively impact school culture by initiating student-centered programs.**
- **Goal #3 – Communicate the district's culture, strengths and successes to all stakeholders of the district.**

#### Recommendations

#### PERSONNEL

1. It is recommended that the following name be approved as a Substitute Teacher for the 2014-2015 school year at a rate of \$75.00 per diem, pending Criminal History Review.
  - Sherrie Grant

Personnel  
Item #1

Motion by Amy Pierce, seconded by Amy Kearney, that Personnel Recommendation #1 be approved. Motion carried; Roll Call Vote: 5 yes.

#### MANAGEMENT

1. It is recommended that NJQSAC Long Term Plan for the school year 2014-2015 be approved for submission to the New Jersey Department of Education.

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2. It is recommended that the Sterling High School be approved to advertise their choice program outside of the Lawnside Public School during the 2014-2015 school year.

Management -  
Item #1

Motion by Amy Pierce, seconded by Amy Kearney,  
that Management Recommendation #1 be approved.  
Motion carried; Roll Call Vote: 5 yes.

Management -  
Item #2

Motion by Amy Pierce, seconded by Amy Kearney,  
that Management Recommendation #2 be approved.  
Motion lost; Roll Call Vote: 5 no.

There was no Old Business.

There was no New Business.

There were no Public Comments.

Executive Session – not required.

Adjournment  
7:00 p.m.

Motion by Amy Pierce, seconded by Amy Kearney,  
that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried by Unanimous  
Voice Vote.