

RAMAPO INDIAN HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
Oakland, New Jersey 07436

SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

June 7, 2022

7:00 p.m..

Indian Hills High School Media Center

Action to authorize Executive Session

Roll Call

Upon roll call at 7:05 P.M., the Board members responded as follows: Mmes. Emmolo, Underfer, King, Koulikourdis, and Sullivan. Messrs. Carolan, Setteducato and Lorenz. Dr. Rui Dionisio, Superintendent of Schools; Mr. Thomas Lambe, Business Administrator/Board Secretary, and Mr. Stephen Fogarty, Board Counsel, were also present.

The meeting was called to order by the Board President at 7:05 P.M. Mr. Carolan announced that adequate notice of the meeting has been posted and published as required by law.

A motion was made by Ms. King and seconded by Ms. Emmolo unanimously carried into the Closed Executive Session for the purpose of discussing Personnel, Negotiations, and HIB investigations. Information from the Closed Executive Session will be made public at the discretion of the Board, as per Board Bylaw 0166, Executive Sessions, or as otherwise authorized by law. The closed Executive Session was adjourned at 8:07 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Board President at 7:05 P.M. Mr. Lambe announced that the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the rights of the public to have advance notice of and to attend meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. He also announced that in accordance with the provisions of this act, the business administrator/ board secretary has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time, and place thereof posted in accordance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-8(b), and guidance from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services. He read a public statement advising the public to be aware that employees of the Ramapo Indian Hills Regional High School District retain the right of privacy and shall retain all rights regarding defamation and slander according to the laws of New Jersey. Mr. Lambe further stated that the Board shall not be held liable for comments made by members of the public and, in order to protect the privacy

rights of employees in the District, the Board shall not respond to statements made by the public of or about District employees.

Roll Call- Regular Public Meeting

Upon roll call at 7:05 P.M., the Board members responded as follows: Mmes. Emmolo, Underfer, King, Koulikourdis, and Sullivan. Messrs. Carolan, Setteducato, and Dr. Lorenz. Dr. Rui Dionisio, Superintendent of Schools; Mr. Thomas Lambe, Business Administrator/Board Secretary; and Mr. Stephen Fogarty, Board Counsel, were also present.

Mr. Carolan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Moved by KING Seconded by SETTEDUCATO, unanimously carried to open the meeting to public discussion.

A member of the public, Oakland requested longer than 3 minutes in which Mr. Carolan granted six minutes. The member of the public read a statement and submitted the statement along with advisory opinions (attached).

Board discussion followed.

A motion by KING and seconded by SETTEDUCATO, to close the public discussion and re-enter the public meeting.

*=YES

RC): Emmolo Koulikourdis * Lorenz* Setteducato*
 Sullivan Underfer * King * Carolan *

BOARD COMMENTS

EXECUTIVE SESSION- To discuss personnel and potential legal matters.

Moved by KING Seconded by SETTEDUCATO, to close the public meeting and open to executive session.

*=YES

RC): Emmolo * Koulikourdis * Lorenz* Setteducato*
 Sullivan Underfer * King * Carolan *

ANTICIPATED FUTURE MEETING DATES

Monday, June 13, 2022, Regular Public Meeting 8 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by KING Seconded by SETTEDUCATO to adjourn at 8:49 P.M.

RC) *=Yes:

Emmolo *	Koulikourdis *	Lorenz*	Setteducato*
Sullivan *	Underfer*	King*	Carolan*

John Carolan
Board President

Thomas Lambe
Business Administrator/Board Secretary