

Educational **S**ervices **C**ommission of **N**ew **J**ersey

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DATE: March 21, 2025

TIME: 9:30 A.M.

**PLACE: ESCNJ Professional Conference Center
1690 Stelton Road
Piscataway, NJ 08854**

A G E N D A

1. Opening Statement/Notice of Meeting

The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to ensure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act, the Board Secretary has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted on the bulletin board of the County Superintendent's office on August 1, 2024 and notice as provided to the Home News & Tribune on August 1, 2024.

2. Roll Call

3. Pledge of Allegiance

**4. Presentation: Turning Point Academy
"A New Vision for Education and Specialized Therapeutic
Programming in Carceral Settings"**

5. Superintendent's Report:

- 6. Committee Reports:**
- a. Executive**
 - b. Personnel**
 - c. Finance**
 - d. Curriculum**
 - e. Facilities**
 - f. Policy**
 - g. Negotiations**

7. Motion to approve the February 21, 2025 Minutes ([Enclosure A](#))

8. Commission Business:

A. Personnel ([Enclosure B](#))

B. Approval of the 2024-2025 Revised School Calendars ([Enclosure C1](#))

C. Finance

1. Board Secretary's Monthly Certification ([Enclosure C](#))

2. Bill List ([Enclosure D](#))

3. Secretary's Report ([Enclosure E](#))

4. Cooperative Transportation Adjustments for FY 25 ([Enclosure F](#))

5. Approval of Professional Day Expenses ([Enclosure G](#))

6. Approval of Grants, Gifts and Donations ([Enclosure H](#))

7. Approval of Field Trips for ESCNJ Programs ([Enclosure I](#))

8. Approve the Extension of Bids ([Enclosure J](#))

9. Approve the Rates for the FY26 Itinerant Services for Children with Hearing Loss ([Enclosure K](#))

10. **BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey, to approve the submission of the Roofing Replacement at the Center for Lifelong Learning to the New Jersey Department of Education, for review and Department approval of an "other capital project" with no state funding.

Further, the Board authorizes Spiezle Architectural Group Inc, to make the submission to the Department of Education on behalf of the district.

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Further, the Board authorizes Spiezle Architectural Group Inc, to make the submission to the Department of Education on behalf of the district.

11. Resolution authorizing the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey (ESCNJ) to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement with the Monmouth-Ocean Educational Services Commission (MOESC).

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 (5) authorizes contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements for its administration; and

WHEREAS, the MOESC, hereinafter referred to as the "Lead Agency); has offered voluntary participation in a Cooperative Pricing System for the purchase of goods and services;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED as follows; the Cooperative Pricing Resolution of the MOESC, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11(5) and N.J.A.C 5:34-7.6 (a), the ESCNJ is hereby authorized to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement with MOESC, the Lead Agency.

The Lead Agency shall comply with the Public School Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1 et seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey. ([Enclosure L](#))

12. Approve the award of the Classroom Assistive Listening and Wireless Hearing Loop Induction Systems Bid #ESCNJ 24/25-31 to Coskey Electronic Systems, LLC, 656 Georges Road, North Brunswick, NJ 08902 for the bid term 3/21/25 through 3/20/27, with extensions as permitted by NJ law. ([Enclosure M](#))

13. Approve the award of the Psychiatric and Mental Health Services RFP #ESCNJ 25/26-05 for ESCNJ to InSite Health Inc., 5 Greentree Center, Marlton, NJ 08053 for the RFP term 7/1/25 through 6/20/26. ([Enclosure N](#))
14. Approve a Professional Certification Grant Program ([Enclosure O](#))

D. Student Services

Accept the enrollment or termination of pupils for FY25 at:

- . Academy Learning Center ([Enclosure P](#))
- . Bright Beginnings Learning Center ([Enclosure Q](#))
- . Future Foundations Academy ([Enclosure R](#))
- . Center for Lifelong Learning ([Enclosure S](#))
- . NuView Academy ([Enclosure T](#))

Roll Call

E. Policies:

Harassment, Intimidation or Bullying

 Revised Policy 5512 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Use of Electronic Communication

 Revised Policy 5516 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Academic Integrity

 Revised Policy 5701 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Student Grievance

 Revised Policy 5710 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

General Fund Balance

 New Policy 6680 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Electronic Surveillance in School Buildings & on School Grounds

 Revised Policy 7441 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Food Services

 Revised Policy 8500 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Cooperation w/ Law Enforcement Agencies

 Revised Policy 9320 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Regulations:


Use of Electronic Communication

 Revised Regulation 5516 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Electronic Surveillance in School Buildings & on School Grounds

 Revised Regulation 7441 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Cooperation w/ Law Enforcement Agencies

 Revised Regulation 9320 Second Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Bylaws:

Board Committees

 Revised Policy 0155 Bylaw First Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Organization Meeting

 Revised Policy 0151 Bylaw First Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Board Officers

 Revised Policy 0152 Bylaw First Reading 3.21.25.pdf

Roll Call

9. Public Comments:

10. Next Meeting – Board of Directors Meeting – Thursday, May 1, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. at Eastern Atlantic States Technical Center. 75 Fieldcrest Ave. Edison, N.J. 08837

11. Motion to Adjourn

Roll Call

Information Items:

Abolished Policies/Regulations

- **Board Member Travel Expenses - 0147**
- **Remote Public Board Meetings - 0164.6**