## Agenda August 7, 2025

#### **Swedesboro-Woolwich Board of Education**

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Gov. Charles Stratton School

15 Fredrick Boulevard

Woolwich Township, NJ 08085

5:30 PM Special Meeting

Executive Session to Follow

# 1. Opening

#### A. Call to Order

<u>Open Public Meeting Act</u>. Adequate notice of this meeting of the board of education of the Swedesboro-Woolwich School District has been provided in accordance with the certification of notice by the secretary of the board, which shall become part of the minutes of this meeting.

#### B. Roll Call

Gina Azzari, School Board President	All Committees
Natalie Baker, School Board Vice President	(Chair) Curriculum, (Chair) Negotiations
Julie Dickson	(Chair) Operations Committee
Erin Carroll	Operations Committee
Laurie Cecala-Read	Operations Committee
Alfred Beaver	Curriculum Committee, Personnel/Finance Committee
Kenneth Riley	(Chair) Personnel/Finance Committees, Negotiations

## C. Flag Salute

D. Adoption of Agenda

Recommendation: Adoption of the agenda, as presented.

Board action needed: Yes

## **Public Comments/Visitors**

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, this meeting will now be open to members of the public who wish to speak or make comment on agenda items. Any person who wishes to speak must wait to speak until they have been recognized by the presiding Board Officer. Any person who wishes to speak is requested to give their name, municipality of residence, and group affiliation, if any, at the beginning of their comments. Comments shall be limited to five minutes in total length. It is the intention of the board to listen to public comments, and to respond

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if possible. If questions cannot be immediately answered the Board asks that you pose the question to the Board Secretary via email.

If questions or comments pertain to litigation, student or personnel matters, the Board asks that you email the Superintendent after the meeting since the Board does not, pursuant to Open Public Meetings Act, discuss or respond to these items in public.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

## **RECESS INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION – If Needed**

WHEREAS, the Open Public Meetings Act authorizes boards of education to meet in closed executive session under certain circumstances, and

**WHEREAS**, the Open Public Meetings Act requires the Swedesboro-Woolwich School District Board of Education (the "Board") to adopt a resolution at a public meeting to go into closed executive session; now therefore:

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board that it is necessary to meet in closed executive session to discuss certain items, including the following:

	<ul> <li>Matters of personal confidentiality rights, including but not limited to, staff and/or stud</li> </ul>		
	discipline matters, and specifically:		
	Matters in which the release of information would impair the right to receive government		
	funds, and specifically:		
	Matters which, if publicly disclosed, would constitute an unwarranted invasion of individual		
	privacy, and specifically:		
	Matters concerning negotiations, and specifically:		
	Matters involving the purchase of real property and/or the investment of public funds, and		
	specifically:		
	Matters involving the real tactics and techniques utilized in protecting the safety and		
	property of the public, and specifically:		
	Matters involving anticipated or pending litigation, including matters of attorney-client		
	privilege, and specifically:		
V	Matters involving personnel issues, including but not limited to, the employment,		
	appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation		
	of performance, promotion or discipline of any public officer or employee, and specifically:		
	Interim Superintendent Interviews		
	Matters involving quasi-judicial deliberations, and specifically:		

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that any discussion held by the Board which need not remain confidential will be made public as soon as feasible. The minutes of the executive session will not be disclosed until the need for confidentiality no longer exists.

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Board anticipates the executive session to last approximately 120 minutes. The Board will return to open session to conduct business at the conclusion of the executive session.

1)	Recommendation: To enter into <b>Executive Session</b> for the purpose of	
	discussing/reviewing items as noted above.	
	Board action needed: Yes	Time
2)	Recommendation: Return to Regular Session.	
	Board action needed: Yes	Time

## **Public Comments**

Any person interested in making comments on any agenda item or other school district related topic is requested to give their name and address. Public comments are limited to 30 minutes total length with a limit of five minutes per person.. It is the intention of the board to listen to public comments, and to respond if possible. If questions cannot be immediately answered the Board asks that you pose the question to the Board Secretary via e-mail. If your questions or comments pertain to litigation, student or personnel matters, the Board asks that you see the Superintendent after the Meeting since the Board does not, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, discuss or respond to these items in public. This portion will end at the conclusion of the public comments.

# **Delegates:**

- a. NJSBA Mrs. Gina Azzari
- b. GCSBA Mrs. Natalie Baker

#### 6. Adjournment

Recommendation: Approve the adjour	rnment of meeting.
Board action needed: Yes	Time:

Respectfully submitted,

Thorey Jeffries

Mr. Korey Jeffries Board Secretary/SBA

Next Meeting(s). August 13, 2025

**Board/Committee Meetings as scheduled**