

# Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education

Pascack Hills High School – Pascack Hills Media Center

Regular Meeting – 7:30 p.m.

## AGENDA

~~February 23, 2026~~ Canceled due to weather

### Meeting Regulations

The Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education members, district administration, and staff will treat parents/guardians and other members of the public with respect and expect the same consideration in return. The district is committed to maintaining orderly processes for keeping school and district events free from disruption. The Board reserves the right to establish rules for the conduct of its meetings, including such matters as the time at which the public will be heard, if at all, who may speak, and for how long. All such rules shall be monitored by the President unless the majority of the Board present and voting, rule otherwise.

During this regular meeting, two opportunities are provided for citizens to make comments. In order for a citizen to make a comment, they must be physically present at the meeting. During the first opportunity, early on the agenda, comments regarding agenda items are invited. The second opportunity will occur just prior to adjournment, when residents may address general comments to the Board.

Persons wishing to speak must, upon being recognized, rise and state their name and town of residence. Comments shall be limited to issues. If personal remarks or discourteous statements are made, the presiding officer shall require the speaker to sit down.

**All regular meetings will be live streamed for viewing purposes only to the Pascack Valley Regional High School District [YouTube](#) channel.**

To inspect or obtain a copy of any public record required to be made available under N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1, Examination and Copies of Public Records, please contact Ms. Cynthia Kirk.  
28 West Grand Avenue, Suite 2, Montvale, NJ 07645.

Notice: With advance notice, we can provide personal assistance for those with disabilities. Please contact 201-358-7005 x21005.

*Copies of all public meeting agendas are online on the district website:*

<http://www.pascack.org>

### I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Ms. Debra Stephans, President  
Ms. Elizabeth Calderone, Vice President  
Ms. Gia Guzman  
Mrs. Stephanie Huang  
Ms. Katie Keller  
Mrs. Kristin Martin  
Mr. James Stankus  
Mrs. Gini Varghese  
Mr. Michael Weaver

Mr. Dirk Phillips, Interim Superintendent  
Ms. Cynthia Kirk, Business Administrator/  
Board Secretary  
Student Representatives:  
Stephanie Yeung - PHHS  
Madeline Wu - PVHS

The Vision of the Pascack Valley Regional High School District:

To create a culture of innovation, inquiry, and individuality that promotes achievement and choice by cultivating the skills needed to compete and collaborate as ethical and responsible global citizens.

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

**II. FLAG SALUTE AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**III. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT BY PRESIDING OFFICER**

Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided by mailing copies of said notice to The Record, filing copies of said notice with the municipal clerks of Hillsdale, Montvale, River Vale, and Woodcliff Lake, and publishing said notice in The Record on July 2, 2025.

**IV. ROUTINE MATTERS**

Board President Report	Debra Stephans
Interim Superintendent’s Report	Dirk Phillips
Committee Reports:	
Governance/Personnel 2/5/2026 and 2/23/2026	Kristin Martin
Finance 2/9/2026	Gini Varghese
C.I.T. 2/10/2026	Katie Keller
Negotiations 2/11/2026	Gini Varghese

**V. MINUTES**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education minutes:

February 2, 2026	Regular Meeting	7:30 p.m.
------------------	-----------------	-----------

Moved by: Choose an item ▾      Seconded by: Choose an item ▾

VOTE									
Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

**VI. PRESENTATIONS**

School Ranking      Dirk Phillips, Interim Superintendent, and Mark Russo, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

Absenteeism      Dirk Phillips, Interim Superintendent, and Mark Russo, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

February 23, 2026 - Cancelled due to weather

**VII. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Citizens are invited to make comments regarding agenda items and are limited to three minutes, according to the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education policy number 0167. Persons wishing to speak must, upon being recognized, rise, sign in and state their name, town of residence, and which agenda item(s) they are referencing.

**VIII. POLICY**

Consent Agenda for Items 1-2

**1. BOE Bylaws, Policies, and Regulations - First Reading**

First reading of the following Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education bylaws, policies, and regulations:

Name of Policy or Regulation	Policy/Regulation Number
Petty Cash (M) Revised	<a href="#">P 6620</a>

**2. BOE Bylaws, Policies, and Regulations – Second Reading and Adoption**

RESOLVED that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, adopt the following policies and regulation:

Name of Policy or Regulation	Policy/Regulation Number
Nepotism (M) Revised	<a href="#">P 0142.1</a>
Employment of Chief School Administrator (M) Revised	<a href="#">P 1220</a>
Sexual Harassment - Staff (M) New	<a href="#">P 1552</a>
Sexual Harassment - Staff (M) New	<a href="#">R 1552</a>

Moved by: Choose an item ▾      Seconded by: Choose an item ▾

VOTE

Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

**IX. EDUCATION**

Consent Agenda for 1 item:

**1. Overnight Trips**

- a. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the overnight trip for the PVRHSD Robotics Team with chaperones: James Whitfield, Jack Theadore, and Lisa Ruggiere to attend the FIRST Mid-Atlantic Regional Championships (attached) at Lehigh University, PA, April 16 - 18, 2026.
- b. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the overnight trip for the PVRHSD Robotics Team with chaperones: James Whitfield, Jack Theadore, and Lisa Ruggiere to attend the FIRST World Championships (attached) in Houston, TX, April 28 - May 2, 2026.

Moved by: Choose an item ▾      Seconded by: Choose an item ▾

VOTE									
Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

**X. HUMAN RESOURCES**

**WHEREAS**, the interim superintendent, after considering the recommendation of /his administrative staff which included consideration of experience, credentials, and references for the following candidates for employment in the school district, has determined that the appointment of these individuals is appropriate and in the best interest of the school district,

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, appoint the following individuals to the positions indicated, as provided by the budget, in accordance with terms of the employment specified:

Note: Appointment of new personnel to the district is provisional subject to:

- 1. Authorization from the State Department regarding a criminal background check and/or authorization from the Bergen County Superintendent’s Office for emergent hiring; and
- 2. A medical examination, including satisfactory results of the Mantoux tuberculin skin test; and
- 3. Valid certification appropriate for his/her employment or assignment in New Jersey; and

4. Disclosure and review of applicants’ employment history within the statutory time period.

Consent Agenda for Items 1-14

1. **Resignation**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept, with regret, the resignation (attached) of Washington Pico, District Network Manager, for the purpose of retirement, effective June 30, 2026.

2. **Job Descriptions**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve a revision to job descriptions, Transportation Supervisor/Health Benefits Coordinator, and Payroll Manager.

3. **Annual Appointment - Revised**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the revised annual appointment (attached) for the 2024-2025 school year.

4. **Additional Periods - Temporary Coverage**

- a. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following additional period assignments while employee ID# 1626 is on leave, February 23 - March 13, 2026 (3 weeks):

Name	Subject	School	Total payment
Annette Molino	Culinary Arts 1 (p.1)	PVHS	\$825
Nicole Alpern	Culinary Arts 1 (p.7)	PVHS	\$825
Courtney Rems	Culinary Arts (p.4)	PVHS	\$825
Jimena Ladino	Culinary Arts (p.3)	PVHS	\$825
Caitlin Murphy	Culinary Arts (p.6)	PVHS	\$825

- b. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following additional period assignments while employee ID# 1899 is on leave, 3/9/2026 - 6/17/2026 (7 days, 12 weeks):

Name	Subject	School	Total payment
Doherty, Mary	Algebra 2 with Trig Enhanced	PVHS	\$3,755

February 23, 2026 - Cancelled due to weather

Rossi, Christina	Algebra 2 with Trig Enhanced	PVHS	\$3,755
Bacsik, Lauren	Algebra 1	PVHS	\$3,755
Johnson, Lauren	Algebra 1	PVHS	\$3,755

5. **Annual Technology Stipends**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve Lauren Patasnik, PHHS Information Technology Specialist, for the following annual stipends, prorated for the 2025-2026 school year with an effective date of February 1, 2026:

Certification	Stipend Amount
Apple Teacher	\$500
Apple Software	\$1,500
Apple Hardware	\$1,500
Google Educator	\$1,000

6. **Co-Curricular Resignation**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept the resignation of Elisha Furlong, PHHS Spring Musical Assistant Director for the 2025-2026 school year.

7. **Co-Curricular Appointment**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following co-curricular appointment revision for the 2025-2026 school year:

Name	School	Activity	Position	Stipend
Dawn Cardona	PHHS	Spring Musical	Lighting and Sound Assistant Director	From: \$1,453.20 To: \$3,633 (no longer splitting stipend)

8. **Athletic Appointment and Chaperone Rescission**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, rescind the 2025-2026 appointment of Charleen Schwartzman as PHHS head coach of the girls golf team and as a chaperone for the team's overnight training trip in March 2026. Ms. Schwartzman was appointed to the position in error.

February 23, 2026 - Cancelled due to weather

**9. Athletic Resignations**

- a. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept the resignation of Alexandra Pflieger, PHHS Coach for Winter Cheerleading for the 2025-2026 school year.
- b. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept the resignation of James Uhl, PVHS Assistant Coach for Girls Lacrosse for the 2025-2026 school year.
- c. **RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept the resignation of Craig Buckley, spring season PVHS Site Manager for the 2025-2026 school year.

**10. Athletic Appointments**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following athletic appointments for the 2025-2026 school year:

Name	School	Team	Position	Stipend/Step
Megan Garrett	PVHS	Fall Cheerleading*	Head Coach	\$5,908/Step 3
William Allen	PHHS	Girls Golf	Head Coach	\$7,766/Step 3
Cassandra Leibfried	PHHS	Winter Cheerleading	From: Co-Head Coach To: Head Coach	From: \$4,431/Step 3 To: \$5,908/Step 3
Jamie Bianco	PVHS	Spring Track and Field	Assistant Coach	\$7,338/Step 3
Dylan Walsh	PHHS	Boys Lacrosse	Assistant Coach	\$7,338/Step 3
Anthony Cieszko	PHHS	Baseball	Assistant Coach	\$2,202/Step 3 (10% of 3 stipends)
Tyler Johnson	PHHS	Baseball	Assistant Coach	\$4,953/Step 3 (22.5% of 3 stipends)
Steve Casamento	PHHS	Baseball	Assistant Coach	From: \$7,338/Step 3 To: \$4,953/Step 3 (22.5% of 3 stipends)
Ryan Lapinski	PHHS	Baseball	Assistant Coach	From: \$7,338/Step 3 To: \$4,953/Step 3 (22.5% of 3 stipends)
Brandon Stein	PHHS	Baseball	Assistant Coach	From: \$3,669/Step 3 To: \$4,953/Step 3 (22.5% of 3 stipends)

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

Christopher Guinta	PVHS	NA	Site Manager	From \$3,669/Step 3 (50% split ) To \$7,338/Step3
Ron Villone	PVHS	NA	Weight Room Supervisor	\$29.75 per hour

\* 2026-2027 school year

11. **Volunteer**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following volunteer for the 2025-2026 school year:

Name	School	Activity
William Siegenthaler	PHHS	Baseball
Jason Stephans	PHHS	Girls Golf

12. **Testing Support**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following staff members to provide testing support for the SAT exams:

Name	Assignment	Date	Payment
Stephanie DiStasi	Test Center Supervisor	March 14, 2026	\$1,000
Scott Jones	Technology Coordinator	March 14, 2026, and June 6, 2026	\$500* each test date
Lauren Patasnik	Technology Coordinator	May 2, 2026	\$500*

\*\$150 will be paid directly from the College Board. The remaining \$350 will be paid by the district.

13. **Chaperones**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the following staff members to chaperone the PHHS Mr. Pascack Hills event that took place on February 11, 2026, at the rate of \$83 per event:

Johnna Duffy	Lisa Leili
--------------	------------

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

**14. CPR/AED Instructors - Revision**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the revision of the September 29, 2025, board approval for the following CPR/AED instructors to be paid \$129 per class with a minimum of 6 students and/or staff in each class for recertification during the 2025-2026 school year.

**PVHS:**

Name	# of Classes (revisions)
Amy Lombardo	From 1 to 3 classes
Melissa Velez	From 1 to 6 classes
Al Coleman	From 1 to 2 classes
Ron Villone	From 1 to 2 classes
William Weigel	From 1 to 2 classes

Moved by: Choose an item ▾      Seconded by: Choose an item ▾

**VOTE**

Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

**XI. FINANCE**

Consent Agenda for Items 1 – 12

**1. Approval of Bills (attached)**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve bills as follows:

Budget Expenditures as of February 23, 2026	\$2,098,892.58
Payroll of February 15, 2026	\$2,178,140.83
Total	\$4,277,033.41

**2. Travel Pre-Authorizations**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the pre-authorization travel expenses for professional development or school trips (attached):

February 23, 2026 - Cancelled due to weather

Name	Professional Development or School Trip
David Bucco	NJSIAA Wrestling State Tournament
Jonathan Hesney	League of Innovative Schools Spring Convening
Valerie Mattessich	Arts Integration Workshop
Kevin Moran	NJSIAA Wrestling State Tournament
Christine Rossi-Oosting	PROMYS for Teachers Workshop
Wade Unger	NJSIAA Wrestling State Tournament

### 3. Donations

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, accept the following donations:

Date	Donor	Amount	Club or Group
1/27/26	Anonymous	\$4,000	PH Pride
2/9/26	American Online Giving Foundation (Benevity Giving Platform)	\$2,302.50	PV Hockey Team
2/11/26	Bergen County Assoc of School Security Professionals	\$100	PH Moss Club

### 4. Empowering Educators Grant Award - Amendment 3

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the budget modification to the Empowering Educators Grant SY25-26 Amendment 3 shifts funds from object code 200-100 / 200-200 (personnel salaries / benefits) to object code 200-600 (supplies and materials) and reallocates funds from object code 200-100 from substitute salaries to teacher for after school professional development compensation.

### 5. Transportation – Aid-in-Lieu Reimbursement for the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025-2026 School Year for Non-Profit Private School Parents

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, and pursuant to NJ State Administrative Code 6A:27-2.3, approve the first semester (September 2025 – December 2025) pupil transportation aid-in-lieu reimbursement to non-profit private school district parents in the amount for \$131,639.70 of which \$65,983.94 is for high school district parents.

Pursuant to 18A:39-11, the Pascack Valley Regional High School District, on behalf of the Hillsdale, Montvale, River Vale, & Woodcliff Lake Boards of Education, shall provide transportation bids through a (CSTA) Coordinated Transportation Service Agency, invoice the districts, and make payments on their behalf to parents of elementary students attending non-profit private schools in the amount for \$65,655.76.

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

6. **Educational Services Commission of New Jersey - Master Collaborative Educational Services Agreement**  
**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey agreement to provide Collaborative Educational Services to the Board from July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2030 as per the attached fee schedule.
  
7. **Shared Services Agreement - Nurses - Jefferson Township (attached)**  
**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the shared services agreement with Jefferson Township regarding shared nurses for field trips/overnights.
  
8. **Silvergate Prep (attached)**  
**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the agreement with Silvergate Prep of Bridgewater, New Jersey to provide Homebound Instruction at a rate of \$55 per hour.
  
9. **Bayada Home Health Care, Inc. (attached)**  
**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, approve the agreement with Bayada Home Health Care, Inc of Saddle Brook, New Jersey to provide basic nursing care for the students at a rate of \$75 per hour.
  
10. **Amendment to the 2025-2026 ESEA Application**  
**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education, at the recommendation of the interim superintendent, authorize the submission of the Amendment to the 2025-2026 ESEA to reflect the 2024-2025 carryover amounts to be allocated.

Title	Public	Non-public	Total Carryover
Title I	\$75,440	\$0.00	\$75,440
Title II-A	\$27,227	\$7,891	\$35,118
Title III - Immigrant	\$1,368	\$0.00	\$1,368
Title IV	\$9,376	\$2,718	\$12,094

11. **Special Education Transportation - Region II - Revised BID from July 16, 2025 Meeting**  
**RESOLVED**, that the Pascack Valley Regional Board of Education as LEA for Pascack Valley Region II, Special Education award special education transportation contract 2602 to Star Transportation for the 2025-2026 school year.

Route #	Route	Base	Aide	Per Diem	Annual Cost
2602	New Bridges 1:1	149	50	199.00*	9,154.00*

\*Includes Cost of Aide

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

**12. Special Education Transportation - Region II - Quotes**

**RESOLVED** that the Pascack Valley Regional Board of Education, as LEA for Pascack Valley Region II, Special Education, award special education transportation contract Q2614 to Sunny Transportation for the 2025-2026 school year.

Route #	Route	Base	Aide	Per Diem	Annual Cost
Q2614	Sage Alliance, Paramus	188	35	188.00	18,988.00

Moved by: Choose an item ▾      Seconded by: Choose an item ▾

VOTE

Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					

**XII. OLD BUSINESS**

A. Monthly Suspension Report (attached)

**XIII. NEW BUSINESS**

**XIV. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Citizens are invited to make comments and are limited to three minutes, according to the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education policy number 0167. Persons wishing to speak must, upon being recognized, rise, sign in and state their name and town of residence.

**XV. MOTION TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education will meet in the Media Center at Pascack Hills High School, 225 W Grand Ave., Montvale, NJ, for the purpose of recessing to a closed Executive Meeting.

**WHEREAS**, the Pascack Valley Regional High School District Board of Education has been formed pursuant to applicable New Jersey Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board is charged with the responsibility of performing all acts and doing all things, consistent with law and the rules of the State Board of Education, necessary for the lawful and proper conduct, equipment and maintenance of the public schools and public school property of the Pascack Valley Regional High School District; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7 of the Opening Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 10-4-12) permits the exclusion of the public (“Executive Session”) from a meeting of the Board in certain circumstances; and

~~February 23, 2026~~ Cancelled due to weather

**WHEREAS**, the Board has determined that circumstances exist for such an Executive Session;  
and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has found the action described below to be necessary and proper;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board on the date indicated above that:

1. The public shall be excluded from discussion of and action on the Executive Session herein set forth.
2. The subject matter to be discussed is as follows:
  - a. Possible HIB incident #302580 (attached)
  - b. Review contract

If needed, the subject of executive session will be stated in the verbal motion
3. The Board will not return to the Regular Board Meeting, will take no action, and will adjourn from executive session.  
OR
4. Official action may or may not be taken when the board reconvenes to Public Session

**XVI. ADJOURNMENT**

Notice: With advance notice, we can provide personal assistance for the disabled. Please contact 201-358-7005.

Moved by: Choose an item      Seconded by: Choose an item

**VOTE**

Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P	Bd. Mbr.	Aye	Nay	Abs.	N/P
Calderone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stankus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guzman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Varghese	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Huang	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keller	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stephans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					