

**Glen Cove Board of Education**  
Wednesday, March 18, 2026 at 7:00 PM  
Glen Cove High School

**I. Opening Ceremony - 6:00PM**

On a motion by Trustee Meghan Lavine, second by Trustee Brett Miller, the Board of Education unanimously (4/0) entered into executive session at 6:03 pm for the purpose of personnel and legal matters.

A) Anticipated Executive Session

On a motion by Trustee Anne Markoulis, second by Trustee Meghan Lavine, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) adjourned executive session at 6:57 pm.

B) Return to Public Session - 7:00PM

Public session was called to order at 7:01 pm.

C) Salute to the Flag

D) Roll Call

The following Board of Education members were present:

Angela Raimo  
Anne Markoulis  
Maureen Jimenez  
Meghan Lavine  
Lia Leone  
Brett Miller

Absent:

Maria Venuto

**II. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education Meeting**

A) Minutes of March 4, 2026 - Presented by District Clerk

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the minutes of March 4, 2026.

Moved by: Maureen Jimenez; seconded by: Meghan Lavine

Carried

**III. Committee Reports**

A) Audit Committee

1. Maureen Jimenez
2. Meghan Lavine
3. Brett Miller

Ms. Theresa Kahan reported.

B) Policy Committee

1. Lia Leone
2. Anne Markoulis
3. Maria Venuto

Mr. Andrew DiNapoli reported.

C) Education Committee

1. Meghan Lavine
2. Lia Leone
3. Maria Venuto

Mr. Bryce Klatsky reported.

D) Facilities Report

Ms. Theresa Kahan reported.

**IV. Student Board Member Report - Nothing Reported - Student Board Member Absent.**

## V. Superintendent Report

Dr. Alexa Doeschner began her report by introducing Mr. Ross, Theatre Director. Mr. Ross briefly explained the performance that members of the Masquers Society would be presenting, featuring a selection from Legally Blonde: The Musical. The Masquers Society then performed a preview from the production for the audience. The production will run from March 26 - March 28.

Dr. Doeschner continued her report with a thorough presentation on next years budget where she covered in depth the financial context, fiscal health indicators, regional context, strategic budget reductions, and what is being protected.

### A) Updates

#### 1. Budget Presentation 2026-2027 #4

Ms. Theresa Kahan presented Budget Workshop #4 where she covered the status of the 26-27 budget, state aid updates, tax levy calculation, and capital outlay projects.

Questions from the Board of Education were addressed.

Dr. Doeschner continued her report by sharing the PTA links as well as giving the proficiency scores for ELA and math in grades 3-5. She finalized her report by answering questions from the March 4, 2026 Board of Education meeting.

## VI. Public Participation on Agenda Items

This section gives opportunity to residents who wish to raise a question or make a brief statement on agenda items.

Members of the audience addressed the Board of Education with their questions and concerns that will be addressed at the next Board of Education meeting.

## VII. Instructional Report

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum/Instruction/Technology, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following matters:

Moved by: Lia Leone; seconded by: Brett Miller

Carried

### A) Committee on Special Education

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education for Initial Placement Programs/Services for cases listed as per the attached from meetings and approves the authorization of funds to implement the special education programs and services.

### B) Committee on Preschool Special Education

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the recommendations of the Committee on Preschool Special Education for Initial Placement Programs/Services for cases from meetings filed in the Special Education Office.

## VIII. Business Affairs

### A) Finance

1. Treasurer's Report - Month of
2. Financial Reports
  - a. Bank Reconciliations - Month of
  - b. Revenue Budget Status Report - Month of
  - c. Appropriation Budget Status Report - Month of
  - d. Register of Bills - Month of
  - e. Check Registers - Month of

### B) Business Affairs - Operations

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent for Business, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following matters:

1.Contract - BOCES Summer School

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the Regional Summer School Program Agreement between Glen Cove City School District and Nassau BOCES for July/August 2026 as outlined on the contract and authorizes the President to sign such contact upon approval.

2. Approval of Field Trip

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the LI Bern sponsored trip to the Puerto Rican Hispanic Youth Leadership Institute in Albany, New York on April 18, 2026 through April 20, 2026.

3. Budget Transfer

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board approves the attached **2025-2026** budget transfer.

BUDGET TRANSFER(S)			
Account Code	Account Name	Transfer In	Transfer Out
A 2250 471	Special Ed Contractual Srvs RS	\$325,000.00	
A 2250 470	Tuition Special Ed Schools		325,0000.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$325,000.00</b>	<b>\$325,000.00</b>
<b>Transfer funds to cover related services costs through end of year</b>			

4. Donation - Digital Picture Frame

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts, with gratitude, a donation from Robert Wilson of a 32 inch digital picture frame worth approximately \$411.00 to the Glen Cove School District's Gribbin School.

5. **RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education award the Nassau County School Buildings Association 2026-2027 Cooperative Bid for Playground Installation, Repair and Inspection, opened on Monday March 2, 2026 to the following contractors:

1. Playground Purchase and Installation
  - a. Big Toy: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational
  - b. Burke: American Recreational Products
  - c. Gametime: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational
  - d. Landscape: Young Equipment Solution-Bidding Miracle Req Equipment
  - e. Playcraft Systems: No Bid
  - f. Play & Park Structures: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational
  - g. Ultra-Site: Young Equipment Solution
2. Playground Site Preparation  
Young Equipment Solution
3. Playground Removal & Disposal
  - a. Pea Gravel (Carting on site and Removal )Young Equipment (Off Site ) NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational Stockpile w/ and without Installation-Young Equipment
  - b. Wood Fiber: (On site)- Young Equipment, Inc. (Off site)- NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational
  - c. Woodfiber Mixed Material  
American Recreation
  - d) Structures: Playground Medic
4. Playground Repair  
Playground Medic
5. Playground Inspections  
NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational
6. Playground Safety Surfaces –Material and Install
  - A) Engineered Wood Fiber: Playground Medic

B) Blown-in EWF: Young Equipment Solution

7. Rubber Tiles

A) Burke- Material catalog price-Installation and labor  
American Recreation

B) Play & Park Structures- Material catalog price-Installation and labor  
NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational

C) Playcraft Systems- Material catalog price-Installation and labor  
Young Equipment Solution

8. Synthetic Turf – Material and Install

A) Burke: American Recreational Products

B) Play & Park Structures: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational

C) Playground Craft- NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational bidding Turf Tek

9. Poured In Place Rubber Material & Install

A) 2” Thick-2 ½ Thick -3” thick Black-Color-Standard  
Young Equipment Inc.

10. Poured In Place Rubber-Service call-Material & Labor Playground Medic

11. Synthetic Turf Repairs: Service call-Material & Labor Playground Medic

12. Playground Safety Surfaces-Materials Only

A) Rubber Tile: Young Equipment Solution bidding Play & Park

B) Engineered Wood Fiber: Playground Medic

C) Wear Mats:

1” thick: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational

1 ½” thick: NZL Equipment, Inc. DBA NextStep Recreational

2 “thick: Playground Medic

6. Donation - Landing PTA

**RESOLVED**, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts, with gratitude, a donation from the Landing School PTA a monetary donation of \$759.00 to the Glen Cove City School District to be used towards the busing for the Landing School 5th grade moving up trip to the YMCA

Moved by: Meghan Lavine; seconded by: Lia Leone

Carried

#### **IX. Personnel**

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following certified matter as amended:

Moved by: Brett Miller; seconded by: Lia Leone

Carried

A) Certified

1. Appointment of AP Review Class Teachers

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it **RESOLVED**, that the following named persons be appointed as AP Review Class Teachers, for the 2025-2026 school year, as specified below (salary as per contract; not to exceed 5 weekday hours per course).

Name: DiBenedetto, Pamela

Course: AP Biology

Name: Nardiello, Mario

Course: AP Calculus AB

Name: Lihong Cheng

Course: AP Calculus BC

Name: Clements, Brendan  
Course: AP Chemistry

Name: Butterworth, Megan  
Course: AP Computer Science A  
Course: AP Computer Science Principles

Name: Stazzone, Valerie  
Course: AP English Literature/Composition

Name: Smith, Brian  
Course: AP Environmental Science

Name: Murolo, Meredith  
Course: AP Human Geography  
Course: AP U.S. Government and Politics

Name: Mattia, Michelle  
Course: AP Italian (SUPA)

Name: Norris, Edward III  
Course: Music Theory

Name: Stover, Jillian  
Course: AP Psychology

Name: Goldaper, Rebecca  
Course: AP Seminar

Name: Francisco Rodriguez, Domifer  
Course: AP Spanish Literature & Culture

Name: Rotolo, Carmine  
Course: AP Statistics

Name: Contorno, Christopher  
Course: AP US History

Name: Vazquez, Esteban  
Course: AP World History

Name: Lindner, Michele  
Course: AP English Language/Composition

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following certified matters:

Moved by: Maureen Jimenez, Seconded by: Meghan Lavine

2. Additional Hours for Credit Recovery Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that an additional 42 hours of credit recovery be approved for the following named person, effective March 23, 2026 (salary as per contract; not to exceed 42 total hours).

3. Appointment of Spring Coach

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Spring Coach for the Glen Cove City School District, effective the 2025-2026 school year, as specified below (stipend as per contract).

Name: Kaffl, Jack  
Sport: AV Boys Lacrosse

#### 4. Requests for Leave of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the requests for leave of absence for the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Wollins, Rosemary  
Position: School Social Worker  
Building Assignment: Connolly School  
Effective: o/a 5/8/26- o/a 6/26/26

Comments: Ms. Wollins is requesting a leave of absence for maternity/childcare purposes.

Name: Bene, Stephanie  
Position: Special Education Teacher  
Building Assignment: Landing School  
Effective: o/a 5/11/26- o/a 6/26/26

Comments: Ms. Bene is requesting a leave of absence for maternity/childcare purposes.

#### 5. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignations of the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Butterworth, Megan  
Position: Robotics Club Advisor  
Building Assignment: Middle School  
Effective: 3/3/26 (end of day)

Name: Rossman, Sofia  
Position: Special Class Teaching Assistant  
Building Assignment: Gribbin School  
Effective: 3/27/26 (end of day)

#### B) Classified

On the recommendation by the Superintendent of Schools, made by the Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following classified matters:

##### 1. Appointment of School Monitors

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Monitors for the Glen Cove City School District, effective the 2025-2026 school year, or sooner at the discretion of the Board of Education, *pending fingerprint clearance*, as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Klimaszewski, Geraldine  
Assignment: Lunch Monitor  
Building Assignment: Deasy School  
Hours: 10 hours per week  
Effective: 4/13/26

Name: Bartlett, Meredith  
Assignment: Lunch Monitor  
Building Assignment: Gribbin School  
Hours: 12 hours per week  
Effective: o/a 3/19/26

Name: D'Agate, Patricia  
Assignment: Bilingual/Compliance/Lunch Monitor  
Building Assignment: Landing School  
Hours: 29.5 hours per week  
Effective: o/a 3/19/26

##### 2. Appointment of Emergency Medical Technicians- Spring 2026

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Emergency Medical Technicians for the Athletic Department of the

Glen Cove City School District effective o/a March 19, 2026 *pending fingerprint clearance* (salary - \$200 per assignment).

McCarthy, Angela  
Golia, Natalya

### 3. Request for Leave of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the request for leave of absence for the following named person be approved as specified below.

Name: Salcedo, Maximo  
Position: Day Cleaner  
Building Assignment: Landing School  
Effective: 3/12/26-5/13/26

Comments: Mr. Salcedo is requesting a leave of absence for medical purposes.

### 4. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignation of the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Alexis, Eddyanna  
Position: 1:1 Monitor  
Building Assignment: Middle School  
Effective: 3/3/26 (end of day)

Name: Nofal, Nour  
Position: 1:1 Monitor  
Building Assignment: Middle School  
Effective: 3/6/26 (end of day)

Moved by: Brett Miller; seconded by: Lia Leone

Carried

### X. Unfinished Business

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) moved to approve the following:

1. Policy # 5500 (Update) Student Records - Second Reading and Adoption
2. Policy # 5500 E.1 (Update) Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA) Notice Regarding Access to Student Records & Student Information - Second Reading and Adoption
3. Policy # 5500 E.2 (Update) Student Records Exhibit - Directory Information - Second Reading and Adoption
4. Policy # 4710 (Update) - Grading System - Second Reading and Adoption

Moved by: Maureen Jimenez; seconded by: Meghan Lavine

Carried

**XI. New Business** - Nothing at this time

**XII. Board Comments** - Nothing at this time

### XIII. Public Participation

This section gives opportunity to residents who wish to raise a question or make a brief statement on matters including, but limited to, agenda items.

Nothing was addressed during this section of the meeting.

### XIV. Adjournment

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) adjourned public session at 8:20 pm and proceeded directly into executive session to discuss personnel and legal matters.

The next Board of Education meeting is April 15, 2026 with an anticipated executive session at 6:00 p.m. and public session at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

Moved by: Anne Markoulis; seconded by: Lia Leone

Carried

**XV. Executive Session (if necessary)**

On a motion by Trustee Lia Leone, second by Trustee Maureen Jimenez, the Board of Education unanimously (6/0) adjourned executive session at 10:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Ida Johnson

District Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

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