

Glen Cove Board of Education
BUDGET HEARING
Wednesday, May 6, 2026 at 7:00 PM
Glen Cove High School

I. Opening Ceremony - 5:00PM

The Board of Education unanimously (5/0) entered into executive session at 5:00 pm to discuss personnel and legal matters.

Moved by: Meghan Lavine; seconded by: Maureen Jimenez

Carried

A) Anticipated Executive Session

The Board of Education adjourned executive session at 6:55 pm.

Moved by: Meghan Lavine; seconded by: Maureen Jimenez

Carried

B) Return to Public Session - 7:00PM

C) Salute to the Flag

D) Roll Call

Angela Raimo

Maureen Jimenez

Meghan Lavine

Lia Leone

Brett Miller

Maria Venuto

Absent:

Anne Markoulis

II. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education Meeting - No Report

III. Committee Reports - No Reports

IV. Student Board Member Report - Absent - nothing to report

Ms. Theresa Kahan, Assistant Superintendent for Business, conducted the Budget Hearing.

V. Superintendent Report

A) Updates

Dr. Alexa Doeschner, Superintendent of Schools, started her report by mentioning that this is Teacher Appreciation Week, and our teachers are being recognized through our PTA's where they are being spoiled across the district. She went on to thank all our teachers for all they do every day.

Dr. Doeschner recognized students for various achievements and leadership accomplishments. She continued her report with the spring concert schedules and encouraged everyone to participate in attending any of these concerts.

The Superintendent of Schools announced that we were recognized by the Educational Theatre Association as one of 15 premiere schools across the nation and one of two districts on the island to have this three year recognition. She congratulated the theatre program, the students as well as the teachers.

Dr. Doeschner acknowledged the high school celebrating National Decision Day last Friday. It was an amazing day to feel the excitement of our students on their next venture. She congratulated the class of 2026.

She reminded everyone of the Fourth Annual Research Symposium at the high school on May 19th starting at 5:30.

Dr. Doeschner also reported by sharing Meet the Candidates Night from PTA Council, scheduled for May 11, at 7:00 p.m. in high school cafeteria.

The Superintendent of Schools concluded her report by sharing the new process of answering questions at Board of Education meetings with the new format.

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.

A member of the audience addressed the Board of Education and administration.

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:

Moved by: Lia Leone; seconded by: Maria Venuto

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 from meetings filed in the Special Education Office 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 listed from meetings filed in the Office of Special Education.

Carried

VIII. Business Affairs

- A) Finance - No reports
 - 1. Treasurer's Report
 - 2. Financial Reports
 - a. Bank Reconciliations
 - b. Revenue Budget Status Report
 - c. Appropriation Budget Status Report
 - d. Register of Bills
 - e. Check Registers
- 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:

Tax Certiorari

Whereas certiorari proceedings have been brought on behalf of the following and:

Whereas it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City School District of Glen Cove to resolve such proceedings:

Now, therefore be it resolved that the City School District of Glen Cove agrees to pay to the attorney of the following in full settlement. This resolution is made under the express understanding that the City of Glen Cove has agreed to pay any and all interest associated with the following hearing officer decisions, Supreme Court stipulations of settlements and certiorari claims:

1. By Forchelli, Deegan, Terrana, LLP	
CYP Realty Corp. Sec 21 Blk A Lot 652 Tax Years 2020/21-2025/26 \$5,894.00	AGD Realty Inc. Sec 21 Blk 258 Lot 54 Tax Years 2020/21- 2024/25 \$1,015.00
Angelo & Silvana Pironi Sec 23 Blk 71 Lot 10 Tax Years 2020/21-2025/26 \$2,245.00	Angelo Dattolo Sec 23 Blk 42 Lot 67 Tax Years 2019/20- 2025/26 \$678.00
Olivia Wierzbicki Sec 22 Blk 3 Lots 13-14 Tax Years 2020/21-2025/26 \$3,655.00	
By Herman Katz LLP	By Maidenbaum & Sternberg
Nassau Country Club Sec 23 Blk G Lot 45A Tax Years 2014/15-2025/26 \$46,129.00	Rajeev Bagla Sec 23 Blk E Lot 378 Tax Years 2025/26 \$1,591.33
Breakdown of Total Due 10/31/26	
One Time Payments – Due 10/31/2026	
First Half Payments- Due 10/31/2026	
Payment 3 of 3 (Previously Approved) -Due 10/31/2026	
Total Certioraris Due 10/31/2026	

2. Appointment of Nursing Home Poll Workers
BE IT RESOLVED that the following named Nassau County Board of Election registered voters are hereby appointed to assist in an absentee ballot vote at The Regency Assisted Living Facility located at 94 School Street, Glen Cove, New York at least 13 days before the May 19, 2026 Annual School District Budget and Trustee Election.

Poll Worker:
Name 1: Lori Testa – 12 Briarwood Drive, Glen Cove, NY 11542
Name 2: Matilda Zozzaro, 59 Knott Drive, Glen Cove, NY 11542

Substitute Poll Worker:
Name 3: Donna Marino – 47 Valentine St., Glen Cove, NY 11542
Name 4: Barbara Nadel – 53 Pasadena Drive, Plainview, NY 11803
Name 5: Patricia Valenzano – 6 Summit Drive, Bayville, NY 11709

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each Nursing Home Poll Worker shall be entitled to a compensation rate of \$75.

2. Contracts - Health and Allied Services

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the services as summarized below for the 2025-2026 Health and Allied Services and authorizes the President of the Board of Education to sign such contracts upon approval.

District	Address	School/No. of Students	Services
Mineola School District	2400 Jericho Turnpike Garden City Park, NY 11040	4 students - St. Aidans	Health and Welfare Services
Syosset School District	99 Pell Lane Syosset, NY 11791	7 students – St. Edward the Confessor 3 students – Long Island School for the Gifted	Health and Welfare Services

IX. Personnel

- A) Certified
- 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 Regents Review Class Teacher
- Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Regents Review Class Teacher effective May 7, 2026 through June 26, 2026 (salary as per contract).
- Name: Geoghegan, Arlene
- Courses: Biology & Living Environment
- Hours: Up to 10 Hours per course
- Building: High School
2. Appointment of Regular Substitute Teacher
- Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Regular Substitute Teacher for the Glen Cove City School District as specified below.
- Name: Corbett, Claudia
- Building: Connolly School
- Salary: \$125/day (first 30 working days); BA, Step 1 (31st working day, prorated)
- Effective: o/a 5/7/26 - o/a 6/26/26 (or sooner at the discretion of the Board of Education)
- Certification: Working towards certification
- Comments: Ms. Corbett is replacing Ms. Wollins who will be on maternity/childcare leave.
3. Additional Hours of Credit Recovery Teacher
- Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that an additional 63 hours of credit recovery be approved for the following named person, effective May 11, 2026 (salary as per contract; not to exceed 63 total hours).
- Caesar-Quaye, Liana
4. 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: Simone, Lucretia
Position: Elementary Teacher
Building Assignment: Middle School
Effective: 8/7/26 (end of day)

Name: McAuliffe, Kristi
Position: School Counselor
Building Assignment: High School
Effective: 7/7/26 (end of day)

Moved by: Brett Miller; seconded by: Maria Venuto

Carried

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 Non-Public Textbook Room Staff

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as Non-Public Textbook Room Staff for the Glen Cove City School District, as specified below.

Name: Johnson, Ida
Position Assignment: Supervisor
Salary: \$4,000 stipend
Effective: o/a 6/15/26-9/30/26

2. Appointment of BOCES Secondary Summer School Program Security Guards

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Security Guards for the BOCES Secondary Summer School Program, effective July 7, 2026 through August 19, 2026. (salary as per contract, prorated)

Bednarski, Peter
Curran, Michael

3. 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: Mendez, Gladys
Position: School Monitor
Building Assignment: Middle School
Effective: 5/6/26 (end of day)

Name: Grella, Carmine
Position: Security Guard
Building Assignment: Middle School
Effective: 5/4/26 (end of day)

4. Appointment of Security Guard

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed provisionally as a Security Guard for the Glen Cove City School District, *the recommendation, as specified below, is contingent upon the successful completion of the onboarding process* (salary as per contract, prorated).

Name: Mendez, Gladys
Building Assignment: Middle School
Effective: o/a 5/7/26

5. Retirement

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignation, for the purpose of retirement, of the following named person be approved as specified below.

Name: Graziosi, Anna
Position: Cook Manager (Elementary)
Building Assignment: Connolly School
Effective: 6/26/26 (end of day)

X. Unfinished Business - Nothing to report

XI. New Business - Nothing to report

XII. Board Comments

The Board of Education had Ida Johnson, District Clerk, share voting information as well as the difference between absentee and early mail ballots.

Trustee Maria Venuto shared that the Booster Club is having their fundraiser this Friday and anyone can purchase a ticket to the event. It is their big fundraiser that goes towards scholarships and donations they give to the district .

Trustee Meghan Lavine shared her gratitude to the staff that puts all the concerts together. It's a team effort and she thanked everyone. Trustee Lavine also mentioned that they just found out about the new format for Meet the Candidates Night and realized that GCTV won't be able to cover this new format and that it takes away from people that can't make it to the event and won't have anything to view. She hopes that the event is a success.

Trustee Maureen Jimenez mentioned that some of the spring sports are coming to an end this week and that they will be having senior night. Trustee Jimenez acknowledged what great events they are. She also mentioned what positive experiences these are and although we can't name individual people we would love to hear about your experiences.

President Angela Raimo mentioned that the marching bands are participating in the Memorial Day parade and we would like to have people cheering them on. President Raimo thanked the teachers, and she closed with asking Dr. Doeschner to have the top ten ranking added to the next meetings discussion agenda.

XIII. Public Participation

This section gives opportunity to residents who wish to raise a question or make a brief statement on matters including, but not limited to, agenda items.

Members of the audience addressed the Board of Education and administration.

XIV. Adjournment

The Board of Education unanimously (6/0) adjourned public session at 7:43 pm.

The next Board of Education meeting is scheduled for May 20, 2026, with an anticipated executive session at 5:00 p.m. and public session at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Moved by: Lia Leone; seconded by: Brett Miller

Carried

XV. Executive Session (if necessary)