Regular Board of Education Meeting
Wallkill Senior High School Auditorium
Wednesday, June 17, 2026
7:00 p.m.

Walk-Through Tours
John G. Borden Middle School @ 4:45 p.m.
Senior High School @ 5:15 p.m.

Public Hearing on District-Wide Safety Plan, Codes of Conduct, and Transfer of Funds from the ERS Reserve Fund
Senior High School Auditorium
6:30 p.m.

Presentation to the Board by Girl Scout Troop 60021

Senior High School Award Presentation by
The New York State Higher Education Services Corporation

1. Commendations – Agenda #1
   - *The Building Administrators read their nomination letters and then the Board recognized the recipients of the 2025-2026 Board of Education Award for Accomplishment for setting new and higher standards in achieving the school district's mission goals and objectives.*
   - *The Board presented Mrs. Crowley a Board Achievement Award for participation in the New York State School Boards Association's (NYSSBA's) Board of Excellence Recognition Program and conferring more than 75 points for her ongoing association professional development and/or accepting additional leadership roles.*

2. Public Comment – Agenda #2
   At 7:35 p.m. the floor was opened for public comment.
   - *A parent addressed the Board by commenting that there has been a recent spike in temperatures and asked if there was a plan to retrofit all the buildings with AC so there was equity among the District. He also asked if there was an opportunity for the public to participate in the Board subcommittees for the 2026-2027 school year.*
     - *Mr. White indicated that the past Capital Project allowed the District to install air conditioning units in our auditoriums, gymnasiums, cafeterias, and libraries and we are actively looking to see what it would cost to do every classroom for a future Capital Project. The District has already done studies for each classroom to see which ones are the hottest to address those first. Regarding subcommittees, the District advertises the dates of the committees on the website, and they are open to the public to attend.*

3. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance – Agenda #3
   At 7:39 p.m. the meeting was called to order by President Thomas Frisbie in the Senior High School Auditorium.

Members Present	Members Absent
Mrs. Anderson	Mr. Bartolone
Mrs. Crowley	Mr. Olson
Mr. Frisbie	
Mr. Hecht	
Mrs. McCartney	
Mr. Nafey	
Mr. Palen	
Ms. Lea Martini [Student Board Member]	

Also present were Superintendent White and Assistant Superintendents Devincenzi, Masopust and Rounds, and administrators Albanese, Brown, Greany, Hershfield, Hoyt, LaRocco, Napoli, Parete, Redmond, and Salisbury.

4. Approve Minutes – [5/20/26 Regular Board Meeting] – Agenda #4

Mr. Nafey moved the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the minutes of the May 20, 2026, Regular Board of Education Meeting.

Motion seconded by Mr. Palen and carried 7 – 0.

5. Board Committee Reports – Agenda #5

Audit:

Mrs. Crowley reported that the Audit Committee met on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, with the internal auditors to review the agreed upon testing procedures draft report. The Board has received a copy of the report this evening. Additionally, the committee met with the external auditors to discuss the upcoming yearly required audit that will be performed this summer. The external auditors began their preliminary work on June 11th. They will be in District again the week of July 20th.

Budget:

Mr. Devincenzi commented that the State finally passed their budget.

Buildings & Grounds:

Mr. Frisbie shared, like at the last meeting, construction will continue this summer as part of the current Capital Project. Work will be completed at all five (5) buildings. Additionally, building walk throughs were completed this evening at the middle school and high school. Mr. Frisbie thanked Mr. Redmond, Mrs. Greany, Mr. Rossi and his staff for the buildings looking great.

CDEP:

Mrs. Anderson reported that the CDEP committee has not met since the last Board meeting. The CDEP committee is scheduled to meet in November for the 2026-2027 school year.

Curriculum/TAG:

Mrs. Anderson reported that the Curriculum/TAG Committee has not met since the last Board meeting and is scheduled to meet in October for the 2026-2027 school year.

Health & Safety:

Mr. Nafey reported that the Health & Safety Committee has completed its meetings for the school year and will resume meeting again in the fall.

Legislative:

Mr. Hecht reported that we do have a state budget that includes a 2% foundation aid increase, extends the electronic bus mandate for another five years and adjusts the tier 6 teacher retirement system, allowing teachers to retire after 30 years, at age 58, without any penalties.

Policy:

Mr. Palen reported that the Policy committee has completed its meetings for the year unless one is required and that there are five (5) policies on the agenda tonight for first reading and eight (8) policies for second reading.

Technology:

Mr. Masopust reported that the Technology Committee has not met since the last Board meeting and is scheduled to meet in October for the 2026-2027 school year.

Wellness:

Mr. Devincenzi reported that the Wellness Committee met on June 2, 2026. This was the last meeting of the year. The buildings discussed a year in review. Marilyn, the Whitsons Food Service Director, spoke about all the events for the year that were completed and how she will be looking to expand upon that next year. We had Magnanini Day, which was the first time

we took on the challenge of serving in all five buildings. Mr. Devincenzi stated that he really appreciated the family and the partnership with Magnanini restaurant for making fresh pasta, which helped make this event a success. It highlighted what Marilyn and her staff did at Whitson's this year; creating great events for our kids and our students, not only at the secondary level, but at the elementary level, too. Mr. Devincenzi indicated that we started to use the food trailer, which we'll use more next year. He commended Marilyn and her staff for a great and successful year.

Student Rep:
Ms. Martini reported the following:

- *The High School Annual Senior Scholarship and Awards night was a huge success, with almost $120,000 awarded. Thank you to the donors for supporting our senior class.*
- *Senior Ball took place on June 5th, at Villa Venezia in Middletown. It was very well attended and decorated beautifully. The masquerade theme was a huge success, and both students and staff reported that a fun time was had by all.*
- *The Senior Class took a trip to Six Flags on June 11th. Students enjoyed going on the rollercoasters.*
- *The high school hosted the District-Wide Art Show on June 11th, displaying artwork from every school.*
- *The Senior Barbeque took place on June 12th. The Luau themed celebration was a great success. Seniors were able to participate in many activities such as different outdoor games and a bounce house.*
- *Graduation rehearsal is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. on June 24th; the official Graduation ceremony will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, June 26, 2026.*

Clubs:
- *Spanish Honor Society hosted a celebration earlier this month for its senior members, which included a variety of games and food.*
- *Be-You-tiful Day was an incredible success, thanks to the many student-athletes and staff who volunteered their time and effort to make the experience truly meaningful and rewarding for all involved.*

Athletics:
- *Unified Basketball recently concluded their season with an outstanding culminating event at Goshen High School.*
- *Varsity Softball advanced to the Section IX Quarterfinals and lost to a great Goshen team in a highly competitive game.*
- *Boys Varsity Lacrosse hosted their Alumni Game against Lourdes. All alumni at the game were honored prior to the start of the game and selected the Legacy Award recipient following an amazing 12-11 win over our Lady of Lourdes.*
- *Varsity Track and Field sent 13 student-athletes to Webster-Schroder High School in Rochester to compete at States this past weekend.*
- *A student-athlete took home a New York State Championship and New York Federation Championship in the 800 meter. The Boys 4 x 400 relay placed 3rd, and a student-athlete placed 3rd in the 400 hurdles.*
- *All 8 spring Varsity programs received Scholar-Athlete team status, meaning the top 75% of each team had over a 90 GPA. 119 individual athletes received scholar-athlete status, which represents 60 percent of all varsity athletes.*
- *All Wallkill Varsity teams have achieved scholar-athlete team status from all three seasons.*
- *The Athletic Office recently held their third and final NCAA Signing Day of the year. Eight (8) student-athletes were celebrated for continuing their athletic careers at the collegiate level.*
- *Preparations are continuing to take place for the brand-new weight room at the high school and the inaugural Wallkill Central School District Hall of Fame class in the Fall.*

Music:
- *The Spring Choral Concert took place on May 21st and honored their senior members.*
- *Music ensembles are preparing to play and sing at our Graduation Ceremony on June 26th.*

Discussion:
- *Ms. Rounds recognized and commended all of those who are involved in making Be-You-tiful Day a success this year. She mentioned that Mrs. LaRocco brought T shirts for all the board members tonight, which everybody wore on that day. Ms. Rounds mentioned that this was the vision of Mrs. LaRocco years ago, and now Mr. Pillitteri has stepped into the advisement role, together with student and staff volunteers, and teachers. It's been an event that has grown over the years and this year, we had our highest level of participation. It was a great time and a heartwarming event. The food truck was even there.*

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- *Mr. White commented that it is an amazing experience for the students with disabilities, as well as the gen-ed students and the student-athletes. The way that they interact is about ensuring that all kids feel a sense of belonging to the community. It's a feel-good moment, and he is looking forward to it growing again next year.*

- *Mr. Frisbie thanked Lea for her hard work and dedication in serving on the Board of Education. He appreciated her reports for the insight they gave on what was going on in the school. He stated that Lea would do great things, wished her the best at Cornel and presented her with a gift.*

- *Mr. White told Lea that she represented herself and Wallkill well as our student board member and valedictorian. He also told her to do great things, continue with the hard work, and continue to reach her goals.*

6. Consent Agenda

Mrs. Anderson moved items 6A through 6BB and 7A through 7R be taken as consent agenda.

Motion seconded by Mr. Nafey and carried 7 – 0.

Accept Resignations – Non-Instructional – Agenda #6.A.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Kelly Acampora** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide effective close of business on September 2, 2026, pending her appointment to the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Supervisory Teacher Aide.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Marianne Marcantonio** from the position of Part-Time [0.97 FTE] Supervisory Teacher Aide, effective close of business on June 26, 2026.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **William Reilly** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Night Custodial Worker, effective close of business on June 12, 2026.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Kristina VanHouten** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Remedial Lab Teacher Aide, effective close of business on September 2, 2026, pending her appointment to the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teaching Assistant.

Approve Appointments – Non-Instructional – Agenda #6.B.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 90-Day Probationary appointment of **Kelly Acampora** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Supervisory Teacher Aide position, effective September 3, 2026, at a salary of $31,700.80 (includes $1,000 longevity payment) [Step 25 of the CSEA Contract, $24.60 per hour, (6.5 hours per day)].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 26-Week Probationary appointment of **Elizabeth Cotler** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Night Custodial Worker position, effective June 18, 2026, at a salary of $35,270 pro-rated [Grade 11, Step 3, night differential based on the CSEA Contract].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the provisional appointment of **Joan Post** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Account Clerk position, effective June 18, 2026, at a salary of $33,880 pro-rated [Grade 9, Step 6 of the CSEA Contract].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Kristina VanHouten** certified as a Teaching Assistant**,** to a 4-Year Probationary Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teaching Assistant position, in the Teaching Assistant tenure area, commencing September 3, 2026, and ending September 2, 2030, at a salary of $25,625 [Grade 3, Step 3 of the CSEA Contract].

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Approve Appointments – 2026 Non-Instructional Translators – Agenda #6.C.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to the position of translator for the 2026-2027 school year, effective September 1, 2026:

Senior High School:	**Roberta Tejeda**	$1,500
John G. Borden Middle School	**Lorence Vangelatos**	$1,500
Leptondale Elementary School**:**	**Samanta Rivera**	$1,500

Approve Appointments – Instructional – Agenda #6.D.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Sara Cerabino** certified in Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), to a two-year probationary period* in the tenure area of Elementary Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2028. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Cerabino's salary will be $65,991 (2 NMA + 7 credits). * *Due to receiving two years of Jarema credit.*

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Miah Frisbie** certified in Physical Education, to a four-year probationary period in the tenure area of Physical Education and Recreation, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2030. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Frisbie's salary will be $59,548 (1 NMA + 0 credits).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Megan Jerkowski** certified in Early Childhood Education (Birth – Grade 2) and Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), to a four-year probationary period in the tenure area of Elementary Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2030. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Jerkowski's salary will be $62,012 (1 NMA + 16 credits).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment **Deborah Lehmann** certified in Students with Disabilities (Grades 1-6), to a three-year probationary period* in the tenure area of Special Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2029. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Lehmann's salary will be $75,051 (1 MA + 4 credits). * *Due to previously receiving tenure in NYS and/or BOCES.*

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Felix McDermott**, certified in English to Speakers of Other Languages and English Language Arts 7-12, to a four-year probationary period in the tenure area of English as a Second Language, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2030. Effective September 1, 2026, Mr. McDermott's salary will be $59,638 (1 NBA + 33 credits). This position was newly created at the May 20, 2026 Board of Education Meeting.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Alyson McDevitt** certified in and Literacy (Birth – Grade 6), Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), and Students with Disabilities (Grades 1-6) to a three-year probationary period* in the tenure area of Reading, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2029. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. McDevitt will be placed on Step 12 MA (+ 35 credits).
* *Due to previously receiving tenure in NYS and/or BOCES.*

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment **Nina Monteleone** certified in Students with Disabilities (All Grades), to a four-year probationary period in the tenure area of Special Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2030. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Monteleone's salary will be $55,942 (1 NBA + 9 credits).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Liam Nafey** certified in Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), to a three-year probationary period* in the tenure area of Elementary Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2029. Effective September 1, 2026, Mr. Nafey's salary will be $54,556 (1 NBA + 0 credits). * *Due to receiving one year of Jarema credit.*

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The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Jessica Vallaro** certified in Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2), Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), Students with Disabilities (Birth-Grade 2) and Students with Disabilities (Grades 1-6) to a three-year probationary period* in the tenure area of Elementary Education, commencing September 1, 2026, and ending August 31, 2029. Effective September 1, 2026, Ms. Vallaro will be placed on Step 12 MA (+ 29 credits). * *Due to previously receiving tenure in NYS and/or BOCES.*

Approve Appointments – 2026 Elementary Summer School – Non-Instructional – Agenda #6.E.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to non-instructional positions for the 2026 Elementary Summer School Program. Remuneration in accordance with the current CSEA Contract, contingent upon student enrollment to support these positions.

Teacher Aide:	**Brea Bartolone**	$16.19 per hour
Teacher Aide:	**Rosemary Medina**	$16.19 per hour
Teacher Aide:	**Tina Smith**	$16.19 per hour

Approve Appointments – 2026 Elementary Summer School – Instructional – Agenda #6.F.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to instructional positions for the 2026 Elementary Summer School Program at a salary of $2,310 per course, contingent upon student enrollment to support these positions.

Teresa Barbato	**Lochlyn Jablesnik**	**Cristen Sasaki**	**Suzanne Hudson (Technology)**
Sara Bender	**Ellen Landivar**	**Annie Saunders**	**Jennifer Ippolito (ENL)**
Vicely DeVos	**Rebekah Leonardi**	**Jessica Vallaro**	**Erin Ruiz (Reading)**
Michelle Dunham	**Madison LoCicero**	**Juliana Zapata**	
Sara Ellison	**Michele Missale**		

Approve Appointment – 2026 Secondary Summer School – Non-Instructional – Agenda #6.G.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of the following individual to a non-instructional position for the 2026 Secondary Summer School Program. Remuneration in accordance with the current CSEA Contract, contingent upon student enrollment to support this position.

Secretary:	**Stacey Wesner**	$16.19 per hour

Approve Appointments – 2026 Grades 7-8 Summer Tutoring Program – Instructional – Agenda #6.H.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals as instructors for the 2026 Grades 7-8 Summer Tutoring Program at a salary of $1,155 per session [maximum three (3) sessions], contingent upon student enrollment to support this position.

English:	**Jaime LaPolla**	
Mathematics:	**Frank Alfonso**	**Jordan Dirago**

Approve Appointments – 2026 Grades 9-12 Summer School – Instructional – Agenda #6.I.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals as instructors for the 2026 Grades 9-12 Summer School Program at a salary of $2,772 per course, contingent upon student enrollment to support these positions.

English:	**Annmarie Lugo**		
ENL:	**Rachel Rivera**		
Mathematics:	**Kenneth Hall**	**Colleen Keesler**	**Gary Tuttle**
Science:	**Nicholas Malgieri**	**Valeria Ramos Avila**	**Mildred Winrow**
Social Studies:	**Gabriella Lewis**	**Brian Vegliando**	
Special Education:	**Richard Shands**		

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Approve Appointment – Mentor Coordinator – Agenda #6.J.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Alexander Musico** to the position of Mentor Program Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year at a yearly stipend of $14,000.

Approve Appointments – Mentors/Peer Coaches – Agenda #6.K.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of the following individuals as mentors/peer coaches for the 2026-2027 school year:

Mentor	**LeeAnn Pazoga**	$1,500
Mentor	**Shawna Newkirk-Reynolds**	$1,500
Mentor	**Diane Tanner**	$1,500
Peer Coach	**Jennifer Aviles**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Megan Behrens**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Melissa Charlesworth**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Kimberly Jennings**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Amanda Murphy**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Jordan Taylor**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Jessica Vallaro**	$ 650
Peer Coach	**Brian Vegliando**	$ 650

Approve District-Wide Music Coordinator – Agenda #6.L.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Kirsten Rolon** to the position of District-Wide Music Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year at a stipend of $4,801.

Approve Appointment – Elementary Science Coordinator – Agenda #6.M.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Suzanne Hudson** to the position of Elementary Science Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year at a stipend of $2,402.

Approve Appointments – District Elementary School Counselor Coordinator – Agenda #6.N.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of **Kyle Nace** and **Julie Hanus** to the position of District Elementary School Counselor Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year, at a stipend of $4,801 [$2,401 each].

Approve Appointments – Elementary Reading Lab Coordinators – Agenda #6.O.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to the position of Elementary Reading Lab Coordinators for the 2026-2027 school year.

Kelly Lynch	Leptondale Elementary School	$2,402
Rebecca Monaco	Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School	$2,402
Jennifer Aviles	Plattekill Elementary School	$2,402

Approve Appointment – Seal of Biliteracy Coordinator – Agenda #6.P.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Ashley Sanchez** to the position of 2026-2027 Seal of Biliteracy Coordinator at a stipend of $2,535.

Approve Appointment – Talented and Gifted (TAG) Coordinator – Agenda #6.Q.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Joanna Miller** to the position of 2026-2027 Talented and Gifted (TAG) Coordinator at a stipend of $4,801.

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Approve Appointments – TAG Liaisons – Agenda #6.R.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to TAG Enrichment Liaison positions for the 2026-2027 school year.

LeeAnn Pazoga	John G. Borden Middle School	$1,806
Rebekah Leonardi	Leptondale Elementary School	$1,526
Sara Ellison	Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School	$1,926
Suzanne Hudson	Plattekill Elementary School	$1,766

Approve Appointments – Co-Curricular – Agenda #6.S.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointments of the following individuals to the Co-Curricular positions for the 2026-2027 school year.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Ashley Contzius	Band Advisor	$5,554
Kiersten Bardenett	Secondary Orchestra Advisor	$5,014
Elizabeth Bailey	Drama Club Advisor	$3,135
Dawn Amthor	Choral Advisor	$4,588
Hunter Andrews	Fall Weightlifting Intramurals Advisor	$1,165
Joseph Pillitteri	Winter Weightlifting Intramurals Advisor	$1,566
Joseph Pillitteri	Spring Weightlifting Intramurals Advisor	$1,205
Joseph Pillitteri	Athletes Helping Athletes Advisor	$1,205
Lisa Perry	Sophomore Class Advisor	$1,486
Xenia Incremonia	Junior Class Advisor	$1,418 [shared]
Lorence Vangelatos	Junior Class Advisor	$1,418 [shared]
Roberta Tejeda	Senior Class Advisor	$3,746
Marisol Williams	Student Government Advisor	$3,646
Kristina Heeren	SADD Advisor	$ 900
Hunter Andrews	National Honor Society Advisor	$1,646
Ashley Sanchez	Spanish Honor Society Advisor	$1,566
Annmarie Lugo	Literary Magazine Advisor	$1,766
Melissa Tierney	Youth for Unity Advisor/GSA Advisor	$1,926
Nicholas Malgieri	Scholastic Bowl Advisor	$ 593[shared]
Valeria Ramos Avila	Scholastic Bowl Advisor	$ 593[shared]
Amanda Murphy	Leo Club Advisor	$1,405
Tom Carroll	Technology Club Advisor	$2,835
Nicholas Thompson	Strategic Game Club Advisor	$1,446
Xenia Incremonia	Yearbook Advisor	$3,928
Xenia Incremonia	Yearbook Financial Advisor	$1,994

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

Michael Pritts	Fall Intramurals Advisor	$1,565
Michael Pritts	Winter Intramurals Advisor	$1,926
Ryan Haver	Winter Intramurals Advisor	$1,646
Kenneth Hall	Spring Intramurals Advisor	$1,485
Mark Soboloski	Technology Club Advisor	$1,646
Debra Becker	Student Government Advisor	$ 823 [shared]
Colleen Keesler	Student Government Advisor	$ 823 [shared]
Debra Rosenfeld	Yearbook Advisor	$2,654
Debra Rosenfeld	Yearbook Financial Advisor	$1,687
Adam Kuliszewski	Band Advisor	$1,926
Colleen Keesler	National Junior Honor Society Advisor	$1,525
Kenneth Hall	Math Team Advisor	$1,846

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Debra Rosenfeld	Drama Club Advisor	$ 884 [shared]
Jesse Wallen DaSilva	Drama Club Advisor	$ 884 [shared]

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS:

Meredith Rubinstein	Band Advisor	$1,926
Bridgette Sroka	Orchestra Advisor	$1,606
Stephen Cabarcas	Leptondale Television Studio Advisor	$1,846
Karen Bayer	Ostrander Television Studio Advisor	$ 753 [shared]
Danielle McGrath	Ostrander Television Studio Advisor	$ 753 [shared]
Diane Tanner	Plattekill Television Studio Advisor	$ 823 [shared]
Lori Williams	Plattekill Television Studio Advisor	$ 823 [shared]

Approve Appointments – 2026-2027 High School Credit Recovery Program – Agenda #6.T.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of the following individuals to positions in the 2026-2027 High School Credit Recovery Program:

Joseph Napoli	Coordinator	$12,500
Jaime LaPolla	English Language Arts	$ 8,019 per course
Melissa Tierney	Mathematics	$ 8,019 per course
Gary Tuttle	Mathematics	$ 8,019 per course
Lucas Mann	Science	$ 8,019 per course
Michael Farruggio	Social Studies	$ 8,019 per course
Stephanie Barnes	SAT Mathematics	$ 8,019 per course
Elizabeth Werlau	SAT English Language Arts	$ 8,019 per course
Crocifissa Picca	Secretary	$ 20.10 per hour *(not to exceed 4 hours per week)*

Approve Appointments – Coaching – Agenda #6.U.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following appointments for the Fall 2026-2027 school year season:

HIGH SCHOOL:

Joseph Pillitteri	Varsity Football Coach	$6,629
Jonathan Avila	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	$4,419
Zachary DeCarlo	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	$4,529
Jon Miller	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	$4,479
Dale Rubino	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	$4,479
Daniel Croce	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	Unpaid
Brian Vegliando	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	Unpaid
Christopher Valencia	Varsity Boys Soccer Coach	$5,980
Kelly Wood	Varsity Girls Soccer Coach	$5,840
Bradyn Wood	Assistant Varsity Girls Soccer Coach	Unpaid
Riley Wood*	Assistant Varsity Girls Soccer Coach	Unpaid
Jason Diehl	Varsity Boys Golf Coach	$3,648
Michael Dennis	Assistant Varsity Boys Golf Coach	Unpaid
Julie Michella	Varsity Girls Volleyball Coach	$4,929
Rachael Colombo	Assistant Varsity Girls Volleyball Coach	$3,598
Francis N. Mancuso	Varsity Cross Country Coach	$3,848
Brandon Miller	Assistant Varsity Cross Country Coach	Unpaid
Jennifer Gravelle	Varsity Girls Tennis Coach	$4,048
Rachel Rivera	Varsity Cheerleading Coach	$2,472
Alexis Farias	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	$1,814
Kara DeCarlo	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	Unpaid

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Kelly Dutka	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	Unpaid
Xenia Incremona	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	Unpaid
Danielle McGrath	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	Unpaid
Taylor Palen	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	Unpaid
Kristina Heeren	Varsity Girls Swim Coach	$3,498
Hunter Andrews	Unified Bocce Coach	$1,176
Jennifer Scarano	Assistant Unified Bocce Coach	Unpaid

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Frank Alfonso	Modified Football Coach	$3,698
Wala Canario	Assistant Modified Football Coach	$2,352
Richard Daubel	Modified Boys Soccer Coach	$2,432
Miah Frisbie	Modified Girls Soccer Coach	$2,352
Joseph Kutcha	Modified Girls Volleyball Coach	$2,392

**Pending Issuance of License*

Approve First Readings – Policy – Agenda #6.V.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the first reading of the following policies:

1. Policy #7400 – Code of Conduct For the Maintenance of Order
2. Policy #7400.1 – High School Code of Conduct
3. Policy #7400.2 – John G. Borden Middle School Code of Conduct
4. Policy #7400.3 – Elementary School Code of Conduct
5. Policy #7400.4 – Athletic Code of Conduct

Approve Second Readings – Policy – Agenda #6.W.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the second reading of the following policies:

1. Policy #5630 – Nicotine/Tobacco Free, Smoke Free Environment Policy
2. Policy #6130 – Drugs/Controlled Substances (Staff and the Public)
3. Policy #7221 – Admission of Non-Resident Students
4. Policy #7224 – Admission of Non-Resident Children of the Teaching and Administrative Staff
5. Policy #7420 – Drugs/Controlled Substances and Alcohol (Students)
6. Policy #7421 – Drug Detecting Canines
7. Policy #7602 – Prescriptive Medication
8. Policy #8201 – Prevention Instruction

Approve Substitutes Lists – Agenda #6.X.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the lists for individuals for teaching and non-teaching substitute positions.

Approve Pre-School Special Education Placements – Agenda #6.Y.
The Board approve the placement of Pre-School Special Education students as recommended by the Committee on Special Education.

Approve Special Education Placements – Agenda #6.Z.
The Board approve the placement of Special Education students as recommended by the Committee on Special Education.

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Award C.E. Penney Scholarships – Agenda #6.AA.
The Board accept the recommendation of the C.E. Penney Scholarship Committee and award the C.E. Penney Memorial Scholarships to the following individuals:

1.	Jonathan Albanese	$ 1,400
2.	Paige Badner	$ 1,400
3.	Christopher Bartolone	$ 1,400
4.	Amy Crowley	$ 1,400
5.	Marcus DeCoeur	$ 1,400
6.	Jennifer Devens	$ 1,400
7.	Jenna Ellison	$ 1,400
8.	Mia Ferrante	$ 1,400
9.	Carson Frisbie	$ 1,400
10.	Abigail Giambrone	$ 1,400
11.	Callie Jones	$ 1,400
12.	Janelle Jusino	$ 1,400
13.	Cleo Levesque	$ 1,400
14.	Marlene McCullough	$ 1,400
15.	Andie Psilopoulos	$ 3,000
16.	Samantha Scannell	$ 1,400
17.	Sydney Scannell	$ 1,400
18.	Nicolette Scott	$ 1,400
19.	Kaitlin Strobach	$ 1,400
20.	Owen Turner	$ 1,400
	Total Awards	**$29,600**

Approve Resolution – Board of Education Award for Accomplishment – Agenda #6.BB.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education recognizes the following individuals as the 2025-2026 recipients of the Board of Education Award for Accomplishment:

1.	Senior High School	Ursula Petricek, District-Wide Nurse Practitioner/Medical Director
2.	John G. Borden Middle School	Amy Sutton, Computer Teacher Aide
3.	Leptondale Elementary School	Jeffrey Collins, Head Custodian
4.	Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School	Catherine Padilla, Senior Typist/Office Manager
5.	Plattekill Elementary School	Leo Sladewski, Physical Education Teacher

The recipients were recommended by their Building Principals for their commitment to setting new and higher standards for achieving the school district's mission, goals, and objectives.

Approve Use of Facilities – Agenda #7.A.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Senior High School JV Baseball Field [as a backup to the Little League Field due to weather related field conditions or scheduling conflicts] by **Wallkill Panthers Travel Baseball,** [for travel baseball games] as listed below:

Mondays-Fridays	June 18, 2026 – August 7, 2026	4:30 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.
Saturdays & Sundays	June 20, 2026 – August 2, 2026	9:00 a.m. to Dusk*

**Dates and times will be arranged through the Athletic Office*

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The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the District Athletic Fields [when available] by **Wallkill Area Little League** [for Baseball and Softball] as indicated below:

Weekdays:	July 1, 2026 – November 30, 2026	4:00 p.m. to Dusk
Weekends:	July 5, 2026 – November 29, 2026	6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Senior High School Athletic fields by **Wallkill Youth Football and Cheerleading** [for Football and Cheerleading Practice] as indicated below:

Saturdays	August 1, 2026 – November 14, 2026	8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Mondays – Fridays	August 3, 2026 – November 20, 2026*	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Excluding September 3, 7 & 21, 2026, October 12, 2026, and November 3 & 11, 2026*

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the John G. Borden Middle School fields by **Wallkill Area Youth Soccer** [for Practice and Games] as indicated below:

Saturdays	August 15, 2026 – November 14, 2026	8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Mondays – Fridays	August 17, 2026 – November 13, 2026	5:30 p.m. to Dusk

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School Gymnasium and the John G. Borden Middle School Gymnasiums by **Wallkill Boys and Girls Basketball** [for Basketball Clinics] as indicated below:

Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School:

Tuesdays	September 15, 2026 – November 10, 2026*	6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

John G. Borden Middle School:

Wednesdays	September 16, 2026 – November 4, 2026	6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

**Excluding November 3, 2026*

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School, Leptondale Elementary School, and Plattekill Elementary School fields and gymnasiums [rain days] by **Wallkill Youth Football and Cheerleading** [for Football and Cheerleading Practice] as indicated below:

Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School:

Mondays & Thursdays	October 1, 2026 – November 12, 2026*	5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Leptondale Elementary School:

Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays	October 1, 2026 – November 12, 2026*	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Plattekill Elementary School:

Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays	October 5, 2026 – November 10, 2026*	5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Excluding October 12, 2026, and November 3, 2026*

Accept Treasurer's Report – Agenda #7.B.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education has reviewed and accepts the Treasurer's Report as of May 31, 2026 and Revenues as of May 31, 2026.

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Approve Creation of Extra-Curricular Programs and Memorandum of Agreements – Wallkill Teachers' Association – Agenda #7.C.
The Board approve the creation of Unified Sports-Bowling and Varsity Boys/Girls Bowling (Winter) and approve the Memorandum of Agreements by and between the Wallkill Central School District and the Wallkill Teachers' Association, dated May 21, 2026, which establishes stipends for these programs.

Approve Creation of Co-Curricular Programs and Memorandum of Agreements – Wallkill Teachers' Association – Agenda #7.D.
The Board approve the creation of Girls Flag Football, Middle School Weightlifting, and Model UN, and approve the Memorandum of Agreements by and between the Wallkill Central School District and the Wallkill Teachers' Association, dated May 21, 2026, which establishes a stipend for these programs.

Approve Agreement Addendum – Building Blocks Childcare Center – Agenda #7.E.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Universal Pre-Kindergarten Agreement Addendum between the Wallkill Central School District and Building Blocks Childcare Center, which extends the contract, adjusts the rate per student and adds additional class capacity.

Approve Agreement – Professional Development – Agenda #7.F.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Agreement between the Wallkill Central School District and Denise Alterio to provide professional development services in the areas of Summer Mapping, ELA, ENL and Building and District Administration for the Wallkill Central School District, for the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve Resolution – District-Wide School Safety Plan – Agenda #7.G.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that, in accordance with Education Law §2801-a, the Board of Education hereby adopts the District-Wide School Safety Plan for the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve Resolutions – Inter-Municipal Agreements – Agenda #7.H.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolutions:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Inter-Municipal Agreement between the County of Ulster and the Wallkill Central School District to provide School Resource Officers in accordance with the terms and agreement of the Inter-Municipal Agreement on file with the District Clerk, is hereby approved.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Inter-Municipal Agreement between the Town of Plattekill and the Wallkill Central School District to provide a School Resource Officer in accordance with the terms and agreement of the Inter-Municipal Agreement on file with the District Clerk, is hereby approved.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Inter-Municipal Agreement between the Town of Shawangunk and the Wallkill Central School District to provide School Resource Officers and Special Patrol Officers in accordance with the terms and agreement of the Inter-Municipal Agreement on file with the District Clerk, is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to sign the approved agreements.

Approve Resolution – Debt Service Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.I.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education now desires to transfer $30,000 from its debt service reserve fund to the General Fund to pay down budgeted principal and interest;

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NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby: (a) transfers the sum of $30,000 from its debt service reserve fund to the 2026-2027 General Fund for the purpose of paying the budgeted principal and interest expenditures of the Wallkill Central School District.

Approve Resolution – Employee Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.J.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District ("Board of Education"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-r of the General Municipal Law, previously established and transferred monies into an employee retirement contribution reserve fund for the purpose of financing retirement contributions to the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education now desires to transfer of up to $1,120,000 from the Employee Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund to pay for employee retirement contributions to the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System in the 2026-2027 school year;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of up to $1,120,000 from the Employee Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund to the General Fund to pay for employee retirement contributions to the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System in the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve Resolution – TRS Retirement Contribution Reserve Sub-Fund – Agenda #7.K.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District ("Board of Education"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-r of the General Municipal Law, previously established and transferred monies into a TRS Sub-Fund for the purpose of financing retirement contributions to the Teachers Retirement System; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education now desires to transfer $750,000 from the TRS Sub-Fund to pay for employee retirement contributions to the Teachers Retirement System in the 2026-2027 school year; and to transfer from the 2025-2026 General Fund Balance into the TRS Sub-Fund an amount not to exceed $750,000 subject to confirmation that the 2025-2026 General Fund Balance exceeds the maximum amounts permitted by law;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of $750,000 from the TRS Sub-Fund to the General Fund to pay for employee retirement contributions to the Teachers Retirement System in the 2026-2027 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of an amount not to exceed $750,000 to be appropriated from the General Fund Balance for the 2025-2026 school year and deposited into the TRS Sub-Fund, subject to confirmation that the amount in the General Fund Balance for the 2025-2026 school year exceeds the maximum amount prescribed by law.

Approve Resolution – 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.L.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2025, the qualified voters of the Wallkill Central School District previously approved the establishment of a capital reserve fund ("2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund") for the purpose of appropriating sufficient funds necessary to construct renovations to, reconstruction of, and/or additions to their facilities as identified from time-to-time, including but not limited to those recommended in its five-year capital facilities plan, and including original furnishings, equipment, machinery, apparatus, appurtenances and incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, the ultimate amount not to exceed $20,000,000 over a probable term of fifteen (15) years; and

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WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District desires to transfer undesignated 2025-2026 general fund balance to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund in an amount up to but not to exceed $9,585,774;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District authorizes the transfer of undesignated 2025-2026 general fund balance to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund in an amount up to, but not to exceed, $9,585,774.

Approve Resolution – Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.M.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District ("Board of Education"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-m of the General Municipal Law, previously established and transferred monies into an unemployment insurance reserve fund ("Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund") for the purpose of reimbursing the State Unemployment Insurance Fund for amounts equivalent to the benefits paid to claimants and charged to the account of the Wallkill Central School District in accordance with the provisions of Section 581(e) of the New York Labor Law; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education now desires to transfer up to $50,000 from the Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund to reimburse the State Unemployment Insurance Fund for amounts equivalent to the benefits paid to claimants and charged to the account of the Wallkill Central School District in the 2026-2027 school year;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of up to $50,000 from the Unemployment Insurance Reserve Fund to the General Fund for the purpose of reimbursing the State Unemployment Insurance Fund for amounts equivalent to the benefits paid to claimants and charged to the account of the Wallkill Central School District in the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve Resolution – Workers' Compensation Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.N.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District ("Board of Education"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-j of the General Municipal Law, previously established and transferred monies into a workers' compensation reserve fund ("Workers' Compensation Reserve Fund") for the purpose of funding workers' compensation expenses, related medical expenses and self-insurance administrative costs; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education now desires to transfer the sum of up to $281,000 from the Workers' Compensation Reserve Fund to fund workers' compensation expenses, related medical expenses and self-insurance administrative costs paid to claimants and charged to the account of the Wallkill Central School District in the 2026-2027 school year;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of up to $281,000 from the Workers' Compensation Reserve Fund to the General Fund to pay for workers' compensation expenses, related medical expenses and self-insurance administrative costs charged to the account of the Wallkill Central School District in the 2026-2027 school year.

Approve Resolution – Employee Benefit Accrued Liability Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.O.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District, pursuant to Section 6-p of the General Municipal Law, hereby established a liability reserve fund for the purpose of payment for any accrued "employee benefit" due to an employee on termination for the employee's service (hereinafter "Employee Benefit Accrued Liability Reserve Fund"); and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the transfer of an amount not to exceed $22,000, to be appropriated from General Fund Balance for the 2025-2026 school year and deposited into the Employee Benefit Accrued Liability Reserve Fund, subject to confirmation that the amount in the General Fund Balance for the 2025-2026 school year exceeds the maximum amount prescribed by law.

Approve Resolution – Transfer of Funds from ERS Reserve Fund to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund – Agenda #7.P.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2025, pursuant to Section 3651 of the New York Education Law, the qualified voters of the Wallkill Central School District approved the establishment of a capital reserve fund ("2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund") for the purpose of appropriating sufficient funds necessary to construct renovations to, reconstruction of, and/or additions to their facilities as identified from time-to-time, including but not limited to those recommended in its five-year capital facilities plan, and including original furnishings, equipment, machinery, apparatus, appurtenances and incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, the ultimate amount not to exceed $20,000,000.00 over a probable term of fifteen (15) years; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District desires to transfer a portion of the moneys in the District's employee retirement contribution reserve fund ("ERS Reserve Fund"), established pursuant to Section 6-r of the New York General Municipal Law, to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund in an amount up to but not to exceed $6,000,000; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District has duly noticed and convened a public hearing to discuss such transfer of monies from the ERS Reserve Fund to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund, as required by law;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District authorizes the transfer an amount not to exceed $6,000,000 from the ERS Reserve Fund to the 2025 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund.

Approve Disposal of Textbooks – Agenda #7.Q.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and declare the textbooks/teacher manuals as indicated in the backup documentation be excess and to authorize the disposal of these textbooks/teacher manuals in accordance with Policy #5250 and a copy of the textbooks/teacher manuals shall be attached to the minutes and on file with the District Clerk.

Approve Disposal of Surplus Equipment – Agenda #7.R.
The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve items [non-operational] to be excess and authorize their disposal in accordance with Policy #5250 and a copy of these items shall be attached to the minutes and on file with the District Clerk.

7. Accept Donation – Agenda #7.S.
Mr. Nafey moved the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the donation of $750 from the Wallkill Valley Federal Savings and Loan to purchase "Kinder Boxes" for the Plattekill Elementary School.

Motion seconded by Mr. Palen and carried 7 – 0. [With Thanks]

8. Executive Session – Agenda #8
At 7:55 p.m. Mrs. Anderson moved the Board enter Executive Session to discuss personnel.

Motion seconded by Mr. Palen and carried 7 – 0.

The Board reconvened at 8:23 p.m.

9. Close Meeting – Agenda #9
At 8:24 p.m. Mrs. Anderson moved to adjourn the meeting.

Motion seconded by Mr. Nafey and carried 7 – 0.

Respectfully submitted,

Kelli Corcoran
District Clerk

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