

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education, Seaford Union Free School District, was held on Wednesday, August 26, 2026, in the All-Purpose Room located in the Manor Elementary School, 1590 Washington Avenue in Seaford, New York.

- PRESENT:** Ms. Lisa Herbert – President
Ms. Trisha Matulewicz - Vice President
Mr. Jimmy Chwe – Trustee
Ms. Heather Umhafer – Trustee
Ms. Melissa Whidden – Trustee
- ABSENT:** Meridith Goldberger, Ex-Officio Student Member

ALSO PRESENT:
Dr. Adele V. Pecora
Dr. Sheena Jacob
Ms. Rhonda L. Meserole, CPA
Mr. John A. Strifolino
Ms. Mary Anne Sadowski – Attorney

At 6:25 p.m., the President of the Board of Education opened the Regular Meeting. Ms. Herbert then advised that she needed a motion to adjourn the public portion of the meeting and convene an executive session for the purpose of discussing the employment history of a particular employee, contract negotiations with the Clerical Unit, legal matters and non-aligned employee contracts.

OPEN MEETING

A motion was made by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to adopt the following resolution:

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE
SESSION

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Seaford Union Free School District enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the employment history of a particular employee, contract negotiations with the Clerical Unit, legal matters and non-aligned employee contracts and upon completion of discussion respecting the foregoing to return to open session.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Executive Session concluded at 7:30 p.m.

ADJOURN EXECUTIVE
SESSION

At 7:32 p.m., the President of the Board of Education re-opened the Public Session. As the first order of business, Board President Lisa Herbert led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

OPEN PUBLIC SESSION

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, that the Board of Education appoint the individual listed below to the District-Wide Audit Committee, as amended:

2026/2027 AUDIT
COMMITTEE AMENDED

Name	Title	Term
Mr. William Batterbee	Community Member	July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
		No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.

The District Clerk administered the Oath of Office to William Batterbee and Matthew Slade who was appointed to the Audit Committee at the August 5, 2026 Board of Education Regular Meeting.

OATH OF OFFICE
AUDIT COMMITTEE
MEMBERS

Topics covered in Meridith Goldberger Report dated August 26, 2026 included:

EX-OFFICIO STUDENT
BOARD MEMBER REPORT

Meridith Goldberger was unable to attend this evening’s meeting. Superintendent Pecora presented Meridith’s report:

Students already getting involved in exciting events before getting into the classroom
Official start of practice for sports in preparation for their upcoming season
High School and Middle School orientation for incoming Freshman and 6th Graders which gave them the opportunity to familiarize themselves in their new environments for the new school year
- Upperclassmen participated in the 9th Grade orientation which allowed the younger students to get to learn and hear from those who have faced this transition already
I am looking forward to sharing information about all events, activities and so much more after everyone gets back in the classrooms
I hope everyone has an amazing beginning of their 2026/2027 school year

Topics covered in Dr. Pecora's Administrative Report dated August 21, 2026 included:

ADMINISTRATIVE
REPORT

- Today was the first Superintendent's Conference Day
- Wonderful celebration of learning and of who we are as a Seaford Community
 - Board President Lisa Herbert gave an incredibly inspirational speech that as extremely heart-felt and the entire room felt the deep gratitude.
 - The message was clear that kindness is at the forefront of everything we do
- Commend Dr. Sheena Jacob – she does an amazing job to get all the components together which is extremely complex for the 2 days we are all together as a group
- She has an incredible flair when introducing our newest Vikings
- Welcome to all our students back on September 1st – we are very excited and very prepared for the 2026/2027 school year
- Two new roofs
- The Manor roof hopefully will be near completion by the start of the school year
 - Most of the work is complete on the Harbor roof
 - The only thing that has to be done on both building is the fascia which will not be done by the start so their may be some temporary lighting on the roof until the work is completed
- 9-11 Ceremony not to be missed this year
- It will be a combination of commemorating the 25 years since 9-11 but also celebrating the 250th birthday of our nation
 - Start time will be 5:00 p.m. in respect of Rosh Hashanah

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the budget transfers as indicated in the Board's documentation.

BUDGET TRANSFERS

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to accept the recommendation to approve the Personnel Action Report - Instructional:

PERSONNEL ACTION REPORT
- INSTRUCTIONAL

A. Instructional (dated August 26, 2026):

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| P-1: | POSITION ABOLITION: | No Recommended Actions |
| P-2: | POSITION CREATION: | No Recommended Actions |
| P-3: | RESIGNATIONS: | No Recommended Actions |
| P-4: | LEAVES: | No Recommended Actions |
| 1. | <u>JEAN MARIE BONDI</u>
Position:
Assignment:
Effective Date:
Sick Leave:
Leave without Pay:
Expiration Date:
FMLA:
Reason: | Speech Pathologist/Speech Teacher
Seaford Manor School
August 26, 2026
August 26, 2026 - October 7, 2026
N/A
October 7, 2026
August 26, 2026 - November 19, 2026
Medical Leave |
| P-5: | TERMINATIONS: | No Recommended Actions |
| P-6: | TENURE APPOINTMENTS: | No Recommended Actions |
| P-7: | APPOINTMENTS: * Subject to the successful completion of pre-employment screening | |
| (*) | 1. <u>KAITLYNN D'ANGELO</u>
Position:
Type of Appointment:
Assignment:
Certification:

Effective Date:
Tenure Eligibility:
Tenure Area:
Salary:
Reason: | Per Diem Sub
Substitute
Seaford Harbor School
English to Speakers of other Languages Initial,
Early Childhood Education Birth - Grade 2 and
Grades 1-6 Initial, Students with Disabilities Birth
- Grade 2 and Grades 1-6 Initial
August 26, 2026
N/A
N/A
\$125 per day
To Meet District Needs |

PERSONNEL- INSTRUCTIONAL (cont'd)

- (*) 2. KAITLYNN D'ANGELO
Position: Elementary Teacher
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: Seaford Harbor School
Certification: English to Speakers of other Languages Initial,
Early Childhood Education Birth - Grade 2 and
Grades 1-6 Initial, Students with Disabilities Birth
- Grade 2 and Grades 1-6 Initial
Effective Date: September 24, 2026
Expiration Date: December 21, 2026
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day September 24, 2026 - November
5, 2026, MA Step 1 = \$74,282 (prorated)
November 6, 2026 - December 21, 2026
Reason: Leave Replacement for Marina Massa
3. JESSICA WILSON
Position: Elementary Teacher
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: Harbor School
Certification: Childhood Education Grades 1-6 Professional
Effective Date: August 26, 2026
Expiration Date: June 25, 2027
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day August 26, 2026 - September 11,
2026, MA Step 1 = \$74,282 (prorated)
September 12, 2026 - June 25, 2027
Reason: Leave Replacement for Antonella Denk
- (*) 4. KYLE STARK
Position: Per Diem Sub
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: District
Certification: Physical Education, Initial
Effective Date: August 26, 2026
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day
Reason: To Meet District Needs
- (*) 5. DANIELLE SAUTNER
Position: Elementary Teacher
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: Manor School
Certification: Childhood Education 1-6 Initial
Effective Date: August 26, 2026
Expiration Date: November 30, 2026
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day August 26, 2026 - September 17,
2026, BA Step 1 = \$61,548 (prorated)
September 18, 2026 - November 30, 2026.
Reason: Leave Replacement for Jillian Copius
6. LISA GAGLIANO
Position: Speech Pathologist/Speech Teacher
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: Seaford Manor School
Certification: Speech and Hearing Handicapped Permanent
Effective Date: August 26, 2026
Expiration Date: October 7, 2026
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day
Reason: Leave Replacement for Jean Marie Bondi
7. LISA GAGLIANO
Position: Per Diem Sub
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Assignment: District
Certification: Speech and Hearing Handicapped Permanent
Effective Date: October 8, 2026
Tenure Eligibility: N/A
Tenure Area: N/A
Salary: \$125 per day
Reason: To Meet District Needs

PERSONNEL- INSTRUCTIONAL (cont'd)

P-8: OTHER:

- a) Recommend the Board of Education approve a sixth period teaching assignment for the 2026 -2027 school year for the following teachers at Seaford High School:

Diana Arichabala	.2	Spanish 2 World Language
Maria Arccardi-Nardone	.2	Spanish 2 World Language
Thomas Fioriglio	.2	US History
Scott Gilbert	.2	US History
Rosalie Franz	.2	Human Body Systems
James Scortos	.1	AP Biology Lab
Kristen Altieri	.1	Marine Biology (Fall)

- b) Recommend the Board of Education approve the following Manor School club and extracurricular appointments for the 2026-2027 school year:

Missy Zamroz	PE Intramurals K-3	\$1035
Trent Mayer	PE Intramurals 4-5	\$1035
Michael Corcoran	PE Intramurals 4-5	\$1035
Briana Crozier	Book Club	\$1035
Jean Marie Aplustille	Lego Club	\$1035
Dan Krueger	Computer Mentor	\$1594
Kristin Nelson	Student Council Co-Advisor	\$797
Lisa Perrone	Student Council Co-Advisor	\$797
Sara Heuser	Art Club K-2	\$1035
Sara Heuser	Art Club 3-5	\$1035
Dan Krueger	Jazz Band	\$1035
Katie Haug	Technology Club	\$1035
Christen Schade	Math Olympiad	\$1035

- c) Recommend the Board of Education approve the following Middle School club and extracurricular appointments for the 2026-2027 school year:

Joseph Nastasi	PACC Club Advisor	\$1594
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- d) Recommend the Board of Education approve the appointment of the following volunteer coach for the High School sports for the 2026-2027 school year:

(*) Jason Donovan Varsity Football

- e) Recommend the Board of Education approve the appointment of the following coaches for the High School and Middle School sports for the 2026-2027 school year:

(*)	<u>HS FALL</u>	<u>COACHING POSITION</u>	<u>STEP</u>	<u>SALARY</u>
	Riley Wallace	Varsity Field Hockey	1B	\$5,169

- f) Recommend the Board of Education rescind the appointment of Madison Buonpastore as Leave Replacement for Jillian Copius as approved at the July 8, 2026, Board of Education meeting.

- g) Recommend the Board of Education rescind the appointment of Jessica Wilson as Leave Replacement for Marina Massa as approved at the July 8, 2026, Board of Education meeting.

- h) Recommend the Board of Education rescind the appointment of Nicholas Siano as Leave Replacement for Samantha Wimmer as approved at the July 8, 2026, Board of Education meeting.

- i) Recommend the Board of Education rescind the appointment of Erin McDonagh as Per Diem Substitute Teacher as approved at the August 5, 2026 Board of Education meeting.

- j) Recommend the Board of Education approve the transfer for Richard Thau, Elementary teacher from Seaford Harbor School to the Seaford Manor School.

- k) Recommend the Board of Education approve the transfer for Taryn Ohlmiller Navarro, Elementary teacher from Seaford Manor School to the Seaford Harbor School.

- l) Recommend the Board of Education approve the following teachers for PM Detention for the 2026-2027 school year:

Eric Houston	Seaford High School
Marianne DeMille	Seaford High School
Kimberly Cooke	Seaford High School
Nicole Guglielmi	Seaford High School
Mike Burns	Seaford Middle School
Jennifer Spoagis	Seaford Middle School

PERSONNEL- INSTRUCTIONAL (cont'd)

- m) Recommend the Board of Education amend the dates of Chelsea Corchia's Medical Leave of absence as approved at the May 6, 2026, Board of Education Meeting:

<u>CHELSEA CORCHIA</u>	<u>ORIGINAL DATES</u>	<u>REVISED DATES</u>
Position:	Elementary Teacher	Elementary Teacher
Assignment:	Seaford Harbor School	Seaford Harbor School
Effective Date:	September 18, 2026	August 26, 2026
Sick Leave:	September 18, 2026 - November 3, 2026	August 26, 2026 - October 13, 2026
Leave without Pay:	November 4, 2026 - December 21, 2026	October 14, 2026 – December 21, 2026
Expiration Date:	December 21, 2026	December 21, 2026
FMLA:	September 18, 2026 - December 10, 2026	August 26, 2026 – November 19, 2026
Reason:	Child Care Leave	Child Care Leave

- n) Recommend the Board of Education amend the dates of Lindsay Nelson's Leave Replacement position (Chelsea Corchia) from the original dates as approved at the August 5 2026, Board of Education meeting.

<u>LINDSAY NELSON</u>	<u>ORIGINAL DATES</u>	<u>REVISED DATES</u>
Position:	Elementary Teacher	Elementary Teacher
Type of Appointment:	Substitute	Substitute
Assignment:	Harbor School	Harbor School
Certification:	Students with Disabilities All Grades, Early Childhood Education Birth - Grade 2 Initial, Childhood Education Grades 1-6 Initial	Students with Disabilities All Grades, Early Childhood Education Birth - Grade 2 Initial, Childhood Education Grades 1-6 Initial
Effective Date:	September 18, 2026	August 26, 2026
Expiration Date:	December 21, 2026	December 21, 2026
Tenure Eligibility:	N/A	N/A
Tenure Area:	N/A	N/A
Salary:	\$125 per day September 18, 2026 - November 3, 2026, MA Step 1 = \$74,282 November 4, 2026 -December 21, 2026 (prorated)	\$125 per day August 26, 2026 -October 13, 2026, MA Step 1 = \$74,282 (prorated) October 14, 2026 - December 21, 2026
Reason:	Leave Replacement for Chelsea Corchia	Leave Replacement for Chelsea Corchia

- o) Recommend the Board of Education amend the start date of Danielle Sautner's Permanent Substitute position at the Seaford Manor Elementary School from October 1, 2026, to December 1, 2026, as approved at the August 5, 2026, Board of Education meeting.

- p) Recommend the Board of Education approve a sixth period teaching assignment for the 2026 -2027 school year for the following teachers at Seaford Middle School:

Tina Weir	.1	Wilson Reading
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- q) Recommend the Board of Education amend the appointment for Danielle Tear from a .2 Computer Science Teacher and .8 Permanent Substitute Teacher to .4 Computer Science Teacher and .6 Permanent Substitute Teacher as approved at the June 30, 2026, Board of Education.

- r) Recommend the Board of Education amend the appointment for Alyssa Strype as approved on the August 5, 2026, Board of Education meeting.

<u>ALYSSA STRYPE</u>	<u>ORIGINAL DATES</u>	<u>REVISED DATES</u>
Position:	Elementary Teacher	Elementary Teacher
Type of Appointment:	Probationary	Probationary
Assignment:	Manor School	Manor School
Certification:	Childhood Education Grades 1-6 Professional, Students with Disabilities 1-6 Professional	Childhood Education Grades 1-6 Professional, Students with Disabilities 1-6 Professional
Effective Date:	August 26, 2026	September 8, 2026
Expiration Date:	June 30, 2030	September 8, 2030
Tenure Eligibility:	June 30, 2030	September 8, 2030
Tenure Area:	Elementary Education	Elementary Education
Salary:	MA Step 3 = \$79,794	MA Step 3 = \$79,794 (prorated)
Reason:	To Meet District Needs	To Meet District Needs

- s) Recommend the Board of Education rescind the appointment of Giuliana Mazzaferro as Permanent Substitute Teacher/Per Diem Substitute Teacher as approved at the August 5, 2026 Board of Education meeting.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

PERSONNEL (cont'd)

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to accept the recommendation to approve the Personnel Action Report – Non-Instructional:

PERSONNEL ACTION REPORT
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL

B. Non-Instructional (dated August 26, 2026):

- P-1: POSITION ABOLITION: No Recommended Actions
- P-2: POSITION CREATION: No Recommended Actions
- P-3: RETIREMENTS: No Recommended Actions
- P-4: RESIGNATIONS: No Recommended Actions
1. KATHLEEN MECABE
Position: Teacher Aide Full Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Full Time
Location: Seaford Manor School
Effective Date: August 13, 2026
2. DANA BARBARA
Position: School Nurse Part Time
Civil Service Title: School Nurse Part Time
Location: District
Effective Date: August 31, 2026 (To Become a Full Time School Nurse)
3. TIMOTHY FOGARTY
Position: Cleaner
Civil Service Title: Cleaner
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Effective Date: August 26, 2026
4. SHANNON DOWNEY
Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Effective Date: June 26, 2026 (To become a Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute)
5. JOANNE AVENA
Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Effective Date: June 26, 2026 (To become a Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute)
6. CAROLE ANN BARKOLAS
Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time
Location: Seaford Middle School
Effective Date: August 25, 2026 (To become a Teacher Aide Full Time)
7. VALERIE VACCHIO
Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Effective Date: August 21, 2026
8. LUNA KULSUM
Position: Teacher Aide Full Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Full Time
Location: Seaford Manor School
Effective Date: August 25, 2026
9. KIMBERLY PROTOPSALTIS
Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time
Location: Seaford Manor School
Effective Date: August 25, 2026
- P-5: TERMINATIONS: No Recommended Actions
- P-6: APPOINTMENTS: (*) ALL employee appointments are subject to approval by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission.
- (*) 1. VIKAS TRIVEDI
Position: School Monitor Part Time
Civil Service Title: School Monitor Part Time
Type of Appointment: Part Time
Location: Middle School
Salary: \$17.00 per hour
Reason: To Meet District Needs
Effective Date: August 26, 2026

PERSONNEL- NON-INSTRUCTIONAL (cont'd)

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2.

DANA BARBARA

Position: School Nurse
Civil Service Title: School Nurse
Type of Appointment: Probationary
Location: District
Salary: \$65,306 (prorated)
Reason: To Meet District Needs
Effective Date: September 1, 2026

3.

SHANNON DOWNEY

Position: Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Salary: \$17.00 per hour
Reason: To Meet District Needs
Effective Date: June 27, 2026

4.

JOANNE AVENA

Position: Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Part Time Substitute
Type of Appointment: Substitute
Location: Seaford Harbor School
Salary: \$17.00 per hour
Reason: To Meet District Needs
Effective Date: June 27, 2026

5.

CAROLE ANN BARKOLOS

Position: Teacher Aide Full Time
Civil Service Title: Teacher Aide Full Time
Type of Appointment: Probationary
Location: Seaford Middle School
Salary: \$33,150
Reason: To Meet District Needs
Effective Date: August 26, 2026

P-7: LEAVES:

1.

LOURDES RODRIGUEZ

Position: Teacher Aide Part Time
Assignment: Teacher Aide Part Time
Effective Date: August 31, 2026
Expiration Date: December 1, 2026
Reason: Medical Leave (Unpaid)

P-8: OTHER:

- a)

Recommend the Board of Education approve the transfer of Deniece Talamo from the Seaford Middle School to the Seaford Harbor School as of August 26, 2026.
- b)

Recommend the Board of Education approve the transfer of Melissa Pritchard from the Seaford High School to the Seaford Manor School as of August 26, 2026.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve acceptance of the determinations of the Special Education Committee Meetings of:

CSE

School Year 2026-2027:

4/20/26, 4/21/26, 4/29/26, 5/1/26, 5/18/26, 5/20/26, 5/27/26, 5/28/26, 5/29/26, 6/1/26, 6/3/26, 6/4/26, 6/8/26, 6/10/26, 6/12/26, 6/22/26, 7/14/26, 7/21/26, 7/30/26, 8/3/26, 8/10/26, 8/12/26

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve acceptance of the determinations of the Pre-School Special Education Committee Meetings of:

CPSE

School Year 2026-2027:

7/22/26, 7/30/26, 8/4/26

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

None

RESIDENTS' COMMENTS

All correspondence received a response

CORRESPONDENCE

PERSONNEL – NON-INSTRUCTIONAL (cont'd)

NEW BUSINESS

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and Dr. Dale Saglimbene for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT 2026/2027
DR. DALE SAGLIMBENE**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and The Piermont for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT 2026/2027
THE PIERMONT
HIGH SCHOOL PROM 2027**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and Energy Tax Savers, Inc. for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT 2026/2027
ENERGY TAX**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to authorize the Board President and Superintendent of Schools to sign the 2026 summer transportation contracts with three (3) private contractors and BOCES who provide transportation from Seaford to Special Education locations under nine (9) separate contracts.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT – SUMMER 2026
TRANSPORTATION**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and Emerald Investigation for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT 2026/2027
EMERALD INVESTIGATION**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an athletic trainer affiliation agreement between Seaford UFSD and Hofstra University for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**AFFILIATION AGREEMENT
2026/2027 HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY
ATHLETIC TRAINER**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, approve a related services agreement between Seaford UFSD and the Tiegerman School for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**CONTRACT 2026/2027
TIEGERMAN SCHOOL
RELATED SERVICES**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, approve an affiliation agreement between Seaford UFSD and SUNY Old Westbury for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**AFFILIATION AGREEMENT
2026/2027
SUNY OLD WESTBURY**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an affiliation agreement between Seaford UFSD and Brian Vorwald for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**AFFILIATION AGREEMENT
2026/2027
BRIAN VORWALD**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve a NYS School Counselors affiliation agreement between Seaford UFSD and Hofstra University for the 26-27 school year and authorize the Board President to sign said agreement.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**AFFILIATION AGREEMENT
2026/2027 HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY
(NYS SCHOOL COUNSELORS)**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the first reading of Policy No. 5281 – Athletic Placement Process

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

**FIRST READING – POLICY
NO. 5281**

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the obsolescence request on July 29, 2026, of a broken commercial stand mixer at Seaford High School.

OBSOLETE ITEMS

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the obsolescence request on July 22, 2026, of obsolete books at the Seaford Manor School.

OBSOLETE ITEMS

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the following banks be designated as depositories for the school funds for the school year 2026-2027: Ocean First Bank (*formerly Flushing Commercial Bank*), J. P. Morgan Chase, and NYCLASS, as amended.

DEPOSITORIES 2026/2027

Lisa Herbert -	Aye
Trisha Matulewicz -	Aye
Jimmy Chwe -	Aye
Heather Umhafer -	Aye
Melissa Whidden -	Aye
	Motion Carried.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION
CREATION OF “THE DONNA L. HARMON AWARD”

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Seaford Union Free School District administers the Seaford Union Free School District; and

WHEREAS, the School District has been advised of the need for the creation of a scholarship fund for the benefit of Seaford students known as “The Donna L. Harmon Award” from various donors to the Fund (hereinafter the “Donors”); and

WHEREAS, Education Law §§ 1709(12-a) authorize the Board of Education:

[t]o take and hold in trust for the purpose of awarding scholarships in [the] schools any real estate transferred to it by gift, grant, bequest or devise, or any gift, legacy or annuity, of whatever kind, given or bequeathed to [the] board and apply the same, or the interest and proceeds thereof, according to the instructions of the donor or testator.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Seaford Union Free School District creates the above-named Scholarship Fund as set forth below, based upon the understanding between the parties:

1. The Donors shall deliver to the School District, for deposit in the trust and agency account in the bank designated by the Board of Education the sum of \$3,000.00, which the Donor hereby gives to the Board forever and unconditionally, except as hereinafter set forth.
2. The scholarship shall be named The Donna L. Harmon Award.
3. The scholarship shall be awarded annually in the amount of \$1,500.00 per recipient to two senior members of the Seaford High School who are enrolled in a vocational program, demonstrate financial need, maintain at least a 75 average, and have been determined to exemplify good character, citizenship, a strong work ethic, and dedication.
4. The funds allocated to said scholarship shall come from such income or interest as is accumulated in a particular year plus such invasion of the principal as is necessary to issue said scholarships.
5. The details of the organization and administration of the Scholarship Fund will be left to the discretion of the Superintendent.

	No Discussion
Lisa Herbert -	Aye
Trisha Matulewicz -	Aye
Jimmy Chwe -	Aye
Heather Umhafer -	Aye
Melissa Whidden -	Aye
	Motion Carried.

RESOLUTION – NASSAU COUNTY IMA (cont'd)

Crane's Tree and Shrub Service	\$6,460	Manhasset UFSD Nassau Directors Cooperative Bid
Stasi Brothers Asphalt Corp.	\$44,200	As Per NCC Bid Contract #: PA250017-V00003084
		No Discussion
	Lisa Herbert -	Aye
	Trisha Matulewicz -	Aye
	Jimmy Chwe -	Aye
	Heather Umhafer -	Aye
	Melissa Whidden -	Aye
		Motion Carried.

None

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Closing remarks by the Administration and Board

CLOSING REMARKS

- ♦ Thank you to Dr. Jacob for a fabulous day one of Superintendent’s Conference Day
- ♦ Quite a thing to be in a room with hundreds of Seaford employees
- ♦ Thank you Dr. Pecora for your wonderful messaging
We unknowingly and unwittingly took on the task of talking about kindness today; how kindness matters, the power of educators and staff members in schools to change the trajectory of students’ lives
We see that in very small ways and we see it in very grand ways
We told stories today; some very personal, that I think resonated with many people
The messaging was clear and appropriate
We value our teachers, administrators, and staff – they hold great importance to those children that are in their care
They hold great power and with that power comes great responsibility
We are very fortunate to have the staff and faculty that we do; amazing individuals who care about their students
Looking forward to the start of the new school year and all that we will accomplish

At 7:42 p.m., a motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer to adjourn the Regular Meeting.

ADJOURN REGULAR MEETING

At 7:46 p.m., Board President Lisa Herbert asked for a motion to re-open the Regular Meeting.

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to re-open the Regular Meeting.
No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

MOTION TO RE-OPEN REGULAR MEETING -

The Regular Meeting Public Session re-opened at 7:47 p.m.

PUBLIC SESSION RE-OPENED

Ms. Herbert advised that the Board neglected approving a few contracts. She then asked for a motion to approve the following contracts:

True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists (physicians and physician assistant services)
True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists (athletic trainer)
Vocational Education and Extension Board of Nassau County
Electrical Training Center, Inc.

REQUEST MOTION TO APPROVE ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve the following contracts (detailed below)

APPROVE ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS (detailed individually below)

True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists (physicians and physician assistant services)
True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists (athletic trainer)
Vocational Education and Extension Board of Nassau County
Electrical Training Center, Inc.

No Discussion
All Ayes
Motion Carried.

ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS (cont'd)

Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists for physician and physician assistant services for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.	CONTRACT 2026/2027 TRUE NORTH MEDICAL GROUP (d/b/a ORLIN COHEN)
No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.	PHYSICIAN/PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT
Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and True North Medical Group, PC., d/b/a Orlin & Cohen Medical Specialists for athletic trainer services for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.	CONTRACT 2026/2027 TRUE NORTH MEDICAL GROUP (d/b/a ORLIN COHEN)
No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.	ATHLETIC TRAINER
Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and Vocational Education and Extension Board of Nassau County for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.	CONTRACT 2026/2027 VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND EXTENSION BOARD OF NASSAU COUNTY
No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.	EMT PROGRAM
Motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to approve an agreement between Seaford UFSD and Electrical Training Center, Inc. for the 2026-2027 school year and authorize the Board President to sign this agreement.	CONTRACT 2026/2027 ELECTRICAL TRAINING CENTER, INC.
No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.	
There being no further business, motion by Ms. Matulewicz, second by Ms. Umhafer, to adjourn the Regular Meeting at 7:47 p.m..	ADJOURN REGULAR MEETING
No Discussion All Ayes Motion Carried.	

Respectfully submitted,

Carmen T. Ouellette
District Clerk

Heather Umhafer
Vice District Clerk