RED BANK BOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR VOTING MEETING

TUESDAY, July 14, 2026 5:00 PM

MINUTES

Red Bank Borough Board of Education

Suzanne Viscomi, President
Ann Roseman, Vice President
Christina Bruno
Jennifer Garcia
Dominic Kalorin
E. Pamela McArthur
Paul Savoia
Dr. Frederick Stone
Christy Sunquist

Jared J. Rumage, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools

Anthony Sciarrillo
Business Administrator/Board Secretary

MISSION
Driven by the needs of our children, we provide a safe, nurturing, and challenging learning environment for every student, every day.

VISION
We believe our children should Dream BIG. We will inspire. We will challenge. They will achieve.

1. **5:00 p.m. Call to Order by the Board President and Reading of the Sunshine Statement:**

"Pursuant to Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, notice of this meeting was advertised as directed by resolution adopted January 6, 2026. Notice of this meeting was published in the Asbury Park Press newspaper and sent to the Municipal Clerk, Red Bank Borough, within 7 days per code.

At the commencement of the meetings, the Board is expected to immediately convene an executive session and expects to resume the public portion of its meeting upon its return from executive session. Members of the public will be able to participate in the meeting as per the agenda.

Fire exits are located in the direction indicated. In case of fire, you will be signaled by a bell and/or public address system. If so alerted, please move in a calm and orderly fashion to the nearest exit.

The Board imposes a five minute time limit on individual comments with the same limits placed on the reading of written comments. Bylaw 0164.6 found on the District website has more details on Remote Public Board Meetings."

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING SCHEDULE

7:00 PM – Red Bank Primary School Cafeteria

Bold Indicates Change

January 6, 2026
January 20, 2026
February 10, 2026
March 17, 2026
April 28, 2026 Public Budget Hearing
May 12, 2026
June 9, 2026
June 18, 2026 (Board Office @ 6:00 PM)
July 14, 2026 (Board Retreat @ 5:00 PM)
August 11, 2026
August 25, 2026
September 15, 2026
October 13, 2026
November 10, 2026
December 8, 2026
January 5, 2027 Reorganization

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Ms. Christina Bruno, Ms. Jennifer Garcia, Mr. Dominic Kalorin, Ms. Pamela McArthur, Ms. Ann Roseman, Mr. Paul Savoia, Dr. Frederick Stone, Ms. Christy Sunquist, Ms. Suzanne Viscomi
ABSENT: NONE
ALSO PRESENT: Dr. Jared Rumage, Superintendent; Anthony Sciarrillo, Business Administrator/Board Secretary; Hope Blackwell, Esq.

3. FLAG SALUTE

At 5:01pm, Ms. Viscomi led the Salute to the Flag.

4. BOARD RETREAT

The retreat began with a welcome by President, Ms. Viscomi. Dr. Rumage and the members of the Leadership Team continued with an update of our 5 year Strategic Planning. After the update, our School Board Field Representative, Tim Teehan, presented on the self-evaluation of the Board, roles of the Board, and review of the Board goals. The Board will be discussing the Board's goals at future meetings.

5. EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 7:05pm, Ms. Roseman motioned, seconded by Ms. McArthur and carried on voice vote to convene in Executive Session.

a. Personnel
b. Attorney-Client Privilege
c. HIB

CALLED TO ORDER - RETURN TO PUBLIC SESSION: 7:24pm
PRESENT: Ms. Christina Bruno, Ms. Jennifer Garcia, Mr. Dominic Kalorin, Ms. Pamela McArthur, Ms. Ann Roseman, Mr. Paul Savoia, Dr. Frederick Stone, Ms. Christy Sunquist, Ms. Suzanne Viscomi
ABSENT: NONE

6. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Rumage presented the items below. Additionally, Dr. Rumage shared the District will be present at Summer series movie night on July 21st and National Night Out on August 4th..

a. June 2026 Student Attendance Report

GRADES	% ATTENDANCE
Preschool-Grade 3	96.21
Grades 4-8	95.19

b. June 2026 Enrollment Report

SITE	3F	4F	KF	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	TOTAL
RBMS							135	112	112	112	129	600
RBPS	33	30	79	94	97	116						449
UMC	30	33										63
FBC	18	7										25
TOTAL	81	70	79	94	97	116	135	112	112	112	129	1137
OOD					1		1		1	1	2	6

c. June 2026 Suspension Report

GRADE 1	GRADE 2	GRADE 3	GRADE 4	GRADE 5	GRADE 6	GRADE 7	GRADE 8	TOTAL
0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	8

d. June 2026 Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying Report

CASE	# OF STUDENTS	# OF VICTIMS	STATUS

e. June 2026 Staff Attendance Report

CATEGORY	# OF STAFF	TOTAL POSSIBLE DAYS	TOTAL ABSENCES	% ATTENDANCE
Leadership Team & Support Staff	43	932	51.5	94.5
Certificated Staff	144	2,160	248.5	88.5
Instructional Assistants	44	660	72.5	89
TOTAL	**231**	**3,752**	**372.5**	**90.1**

7. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Community Relations - No meeting
- Curriculum & Instruction - No meeting
- Facilities & Safety - No meeting
- Finance - No meeting
- Policy - No meeting

8. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- Ms. Viscomi thanked the Board for attending Graduation. It was a great night for our families to celebrate the accomplishments of their children. All our students were recognized for their accomplishments.

9. HEARING OF PUBLIC - None

Bylaw #0167 reads . . . "Any individual deciding to speak shall state their name and address. All comments will be directed to the Chair. Speakers shall be limited to one (1) turn of five (5) minutes with a total public participation not exceeding 60 minutes."

10. STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC

Oftentimes it may appear to members of our audience that the Board of Education takes action with very little comment and in many cases a unanimous vote. Almost without exception, before a matter is placed on the agenda at a public meeting, the matter is thoroughly reviewed by the Superintendent of Schools and, when necessary, other school district administrators. If the Superintendent of Schools is satisfied that the matter is ready to be presented to the Board of Education, and if the circumstances permit, it is then referred to the appropriate committee of the Board of Education. The members of the Board committee work with the Administration and the Superintendent to assure its understanding of the matter. When the Board committee and the Superintendent are satisfied that it may be presented to the Board of Education, the matter is placed on the agenda at a public meeting.

11. ACTION AGENDA

Upon the motion of Ms. McArthur, seconded by Mr. Kalorin, it was moved to approve the following action agenda items. Items may be removed from the consent agenda at the request of any board member.

COMMUNITY RELATIONS - 1000

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent the following COMMUNITY RELATIONS resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

1001. PLEDGING TO PRACTICE AND PROMOTE CIVILITY IN THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE RED BANK BOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WHEREAS, recent national polls indicate that Americans are dissatisfied with and frustrated by the lack of civility in public discourse today, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools recognizes that freedom of speech and freedom of expression are sacrosanct, protected by both state and federal law, and allow individuals to express their opinions and to communicate ideas without fear of repercussion; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools further recognizes that the public exchange of diverse ideas and varied viewpoints allows for robust discussion and is indispensable to the decision-making process; and

WHEREAS, as elected representatives of the community and stewards of the public trust, the members of the Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools recognize that their position allows them to model open, free and vigorous debate, while also maintaining the highest standards of civility, mutual respect and decorum; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools recognize that they are models not only for the community, but also for the students they serve; and

WHEREAS, in order to publicly declare its commitment to civil discourse and to express its concern for the common good and well-being of all its students, staff, parents and community, the Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools has determined to adopt this resolution,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools pledges to practice and promote civility, to engage in civil discussions, to respect and tolerate the viewpoints of others and to work collaboratively;

The Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools pledges to communicate openly, honestly and transparently as permitted by law; and

The Board of Education of the Red Bank Borough Public Schools enacts this civility pledge to build a stronger and more prosperous school community, to achieve the district's goals and to advance the education of all students.

A copy of this resolution is shared with the New Jersey School Boards Association (NJSBA).

COMPLIANCE – 2000

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent the following COMPLIANCE resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

2023. That the Board approves the June 2026 Suspension Report as submitted by the Superintendent.

2024. That the Board affirms the Harassment, Intimidation or Bullying Report as previously submitted by the Superintendent on June 9, 2026.

2025. That the Board accepts the Harassment, Intimidation or Bullying Report submitted by the Superintendent on July 14, 2026.

2026. That the Board approves the submission of the Student Safety Data System Report (SSDS) for January 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026.

2027. That the Board approves the submission of the LEA Checklist and Plan for Virtual or Remote Instruction Programs for 2026-2027 as per Chapter 27 in the event of a public-health related district closure.

2028. That the Board approves the acceptance of the New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continuum scores within the five areas of NJQSAC (Instruction and Program - 81%, Fiscal Management - 94%, Governance - 100%, Operations - 100% and Personnel - 100%). The District satisfied at least 80% of the weighted indicators in each of the five areas of the NJQSAC review process and has been designated as High Performing.

BUSINESS – 3000

BOARD SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATION

I, Anthony Sciarrillo, the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, certifies that no line item has been over-expended in the month of May 2026 in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c) 3 and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Anthony Sciarrillo

School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

PAYROLL CERTIFICATION

Payroll Certification for the period of June 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026.

June 15, 2026	$816,571.45
June 30, 2026	$736,015.47

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent the following FINANCE resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

3119. APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

That the Board approves the minutes from the June 9, 2026 Regular Session and Executive Session and the June 18, 2026 Regular Meeting and Executive Session of the Board of Education.

3120. BILLS PAYMENT

To authorize the payment of final bills for June 2026 in the amount of $3,582,687.32 and for bills as of July 2026 in the amount of $262,839.26.

3121. APPROVAL OF SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT

That pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)4, the Board certifies that after review of the monthly financial reports as of May 2026, and upon consultation with appropriate district officials, certifies to the best of their knowledge, no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 and that there are sufficient funds available to meet its financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

3122. BUDGET TRANSFERS

To ratify any budget transfers effective May 2026 per the transfer report.

3123. NJSIG INSURANCE RENEWAL AND AGREEMENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1, et seq., enables boards of education to join with other boards of education in school board insurance trusts for the purpose of forming self-insurance pools;

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group ("NJSIG") is a joint insurance fund authorized by N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1, et seq. to provide insurance coverage and risk management services for its members;

WHEREAS, the Red Bank Borough Board of Education, herein after referred to as the "Educational Institution," has resolved to apply for and/or renew its membership with NJSIG;

WHEREAS, the Educational Institution certifies that it has not defaulted on a claim, and has not been cancelled for non-payment of insurance premium for a period of at least two (2) years prior to the date of its application to NJSIG;

WHEREAS, the Educational Institution desires to secure protection, services, and savings relating to insurance and self-insurance for itself and its departments and employees; and,

WHEREAS, the Educational Institution finds that the best and most efficient way of securing this protection and services is by cooperating with other boards of education in the State of New Jersey.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

1. This agreement is made by and between NJSIG and the Educational Institution;

2. The Educational Institution joins with other boards of education in organizing and becoming members of NJSIG pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-3(a), for a period of three years, beginning on July 1, 2026, and ending July 1, 2029 at 12:01 a.m.;

3. In consideration of membership in NJSIG, the Educational Institution agrees that for those types of coverage in which it participates, the Educational Institution shall jointly and severally assume and discharge the liabilities of each and every member of NJSIG to such agreement arising from their participation in NJSIG. By execution hereof the full faith and credit of the Educational Institution is pledged to the punctual payment of any sums which shall become due to NJSIG in accordance with the bylaws thereof, the plan of risk management, this Agreement and any applicable statute or regulation;

4. The Educational Institution and NJSIG agree that NJSIG shall hold all monies paid by the Educational Institution to NJSIG as fiduciaries for the benefit of NJSIG claimants all in accordance with applicable statutes and/or regulations;

5. NJSIG shall establish and maintain Trust Accounts in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1, et seq. and such other statutes and regulations as may be applicable;

6. By adoption and signing of this resolution, the Educational Institution is hereby joining NJSIG in accordance with the terms of this Indemnity and Trust Agreement and Resolution to Join / Renew Membership, effective the date indicated below, for the types of insurance as indicated in the Insurance Binder issued by NJSIG;

7. The Educational Institution hereby ratifies and affirms the bylaws and other organizational and operational documents of NJSIG, and as from time to time amended by NJSIG and/or the State of New Jersey, Department of Banking and Insurance, in accordance with the applicable statutes and regulations as if each and every one of said documents were re-executed contemporaneously herewith;

8. The Educational Institution agrees to be a participating member of NJSIG for the period herein provided for and to comply with all of the rules and regulations and obligations associated with said membership, including, but not limited to the NJSIG's Plan of Risk Management;

9. The Educational Institution under its obligations as a member of NJSIG agrees to allow for safety inspections of its properties, to pay contributions in a timely fashion and to comply with the bylaws and standards of participation of NJSIG including the plan of risk management;

10. If NJSIG, in the enforcement of any part of this Agreement, shall incur necessary expense or become obligated to pay attorney's fees and/or court costs, the Educational Institution agrees to reimburse NJSIG for all such reasonable expenses, fees and costs on demand;

11. The Business Administrator is hereby authorized in accordance with the Public School Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1, et seq., to execute such contracts and documentation with NJSIG as is necessary to effectuate this resolution; and,

12. The Business Administrator is directed to send a certified copy of this Indemnity and Trust Agreement and Resolution to Join/Renew Membership to NJSIG.

3124. TRANSPORTATION AWARD

To award route FJD26 for the 2026 Extended School Year to Luz Transport for transportation from Red Bank, NJ to Frank J Dugan Elementary School. Quotations were requested from Durham School Service, Jay's Bus Service, and Luz Transport. Luz Transport provided the lowest response with $276.00 per diem.

3125. STAFF VACCINE AGREEMENT

That the Board approves the Vaccine Agreement between CVS Pharmacy, Inc. and the Red Bank Borough Public Schools for the 2026-2027 school year.

3126. TENDER SMILES 4 KIDS

That the Board approves Tender Smiles 4 Kids to provide onsite dental care for the 2026-2027 school year.

3127. DONATION

That the Board accepts with gratitude the generous donation of 10 used laptops from Giordano, Halleran & Ciesla, P.C. Law Firm.

3128. DISPOSAL OF OBSOLETE ITEMS

That the Board approves the attached items as obsolete, beyond repair, and/or no longer useful for district purposes and that the Board of Education authorizes the School Business Administrator to dispose of items as per Attachment A.

3129. TRANSPORTATION AWARD

To award route HJE26 for the 2026 Extended School Year to Luz Transport for transportation from Long Branch, NJ to Red Bank Middle School. Quotations were requested from Durham School Service, Jay's Bus Service, Luz Transport and Shamrock. Luz Transport provided the lowest response with $172.00 per diem.

3130. IDEA APPLICATION 2026-2027

That the Board authorizes the Superintendent to apply and accept funds for the IDEA (Individuals With Disabilities Education Act) for the 2026-2027 school year as follows:

IDEA Basic Public	$354,452
IDEA Basic Non-Public	$49,719
IDEA Preschool	$14,634

3131. NONPUBLIC SCHOOL 2026-2027 TECHNOLOGY AID ENTITLEMENT

That the Board approves that the Red Bank Borough Board of Education accepts the 2026-2027 New Jersey Nonpublic School Technology Aid Initiative Program allocation as follows:

Tower Hill School	$235
Saint James Grammar School	$13,994
DISTRICT TOTAL	$14,229

3132. NONPUBLIC SCHOOL 2026-2027 SECURITY AID ENTITLEMENT

That the Board approves that the Red Bank Borough Board of Education accepts the 2026-2027 New Jersey Nonpublic Security Aid Initiative Program allocation as follows:

Tower Hill School	$1,302
Saint James Grammar School	$77,469
DISTRICT TOTAL	$78,771

3133. NONPUBLIC SCHOOL 2026-2027 NURSING SERVICE AID ENTITLEMENT

That the Board approves that the Red Bank Borough Board of Education accepts the 2026-2027 New Jersey Nonpublic Nursing Services Aid Initiative Program allocation as follows:

Tower Hill School	$874
Saint James Grammar School	$51,979
DISTRICT TOTAL	$52,853

3134. NONPUBLIC SCHOOL 2026-2027 TEXTBOOK AID ENTITLEMENT

That the Board approves that the Red Bank Borough Board of Education accepts the 2026-2027 New Jersey Nonpublic Textbook Aid Initiative Program allocation as follows:

Tower Hill School	$333
Saint James Grammar School	$19,835
DISTRICT TOTAL	$20,168

3135. ESEA APPLICATION 2026-2027

That the Board authorizes the Superintendent to apply for and accept the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) funds (Title IA, Title IIA, Title III, Title III Immigrant and Title IV Part A) for the 2026-2027 school year as follows:

Red Bank Borough Public Schools	$597,777
Saint James Grammar School	$13,831
Tower Hill School	$253

3136. TRAVEL

NAME	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	COST	THEME	ACCOUNT #
Brandy Hall	3 consecutive days on own schedule	Virtual	$690.00	Wilson Reading System Intro Course	ESEA Grant
Alyssa May	3 consecutive days on own schedule	Virtual	$690.00	Wilson Reading System Intro Course	ESEA Grant
Kelly Saccone	3 consecutive days on own schedule	Virtual	$690.00	Wilson Reading System Intro Course	ESEA Grant
Dana Slipek	3 consecutive days on own schedule	Virtual	$690.00	Wilson Reading System Intro Course	ESEA Grant

PERSONNEL – 4000

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following PERSONNEL resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

4128. That the Board approves the request of Employee ID #4736 for up to four additional non-cumulative sick days for the 2025-2026 school year.

4129. That the Board approves the following staff members' payout for unused personal days during the 2025-2026 school year. Account # 11-000-291-290-005

STAFF MEMBERS	AMOUNT PAID EACH
Erin Carty, Laura Flynn, Grace Guippone, Cynthia Mason, Isabella Pliskin, Jacqueline Rivera, Carlos Villacres	$50.00
Carol Boehm, Jeanette Croken, Andrea Dadap, Caroline Dwyer, Colleen Flaherty, Kristine Giglio, Laura Gioia, Noelle Halpin, Breanna Hartman, Marianne Ivanicki, Queenie Li, Megan McGann, Noemi Pedroza, Maria Procopio, Brittany Schlosser, Sophia Van Sickle	$100.00
Chelsey Cooney, Jessica Jones, Amy Leonard, Shane McManus, Kathleen Mills	$150.00
Samantha Arauz, Meredith Faistl, Chelsea Foster, Maia Franco, Iris Gonzalez, Catherine Guilfoyle, Virginia Maloney, Jennifer Rigby, Rhonda Silverman, Diane Von Arx	$200.00
Sarah Layton	$250.00
John Adranovitz, Lauren Bevacqua, Laura Butler, Gabrielle Coco, Bridget Crudo, Theresa Davidson, Christina Grimaldi, Zuleyma Lopez Herrera, Kelly Lukoff, Alicia Oliveira, Belinda Ruiz, Eddy Velastegui	$300.00

4130. That the Board approves the following guest teachers' incentive for total days worked during the 2025-2026 school year.

GUEST TEACHER	AMOUNT PAID EACH
Bridget Connor, Robert Grause, Amina Khadly, Luis Ramirez, Christopher Smith	$500.00
Jayne Beck, Raymond Mancini, Nancy Martinez, Richard McGovern, Gianna Sabin, Roberta Sharp, Lucy Steele, Mary Ellin Sweeney	$750.00
Gail Child, Carrie Frenzia, Frederick Johnson, Tanita Waddy	$1,000.00

4131. That the Board approves the following custodial and maintenance staff members' payout for unused personal days during the 2025-2026 school year. Account #11-000-262-100-015

Elvia Herrera - $250.00
Elvis Ventura - $625.00
Mohammad Rahimi - $625.00
Lawrence Yarbrough - $625.00

4132. That the Board approves a $125.00 incentive for Jennifer Andres for recommending a candidate for guest staff member who worked a minimum of 20 full days by June 30, 2026. Account # 11-120-100-101-000

4133. That the Board approves the appointment of Josie Katz as Student Assistance Counselor (SAC), effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, at the stipulated negotiated contractual stipend of $8,000.00. Account #11-000-218-104-002

4134. That the Board approves the following transfers for the 2026-2027 school year.

STAFF MEMBER	FROM	TO
Kimberlee Sherman	District LDT-C	District LDT-C and Grade 7 AVID Teacher
Lawrence Yarbrough	Maintenance Staff at MS	Custodial Staff at MS
Brandy Hall	Literacy Interventionist at PS	District Reading Specialist
Sarah Layton	PS General Education Teacher	PS Special Education Teacher
Ashley Navalany	MS Social Studies Teacher	MS Special Education Teacher (pending issuance of proper certification)

4135. That the Board approves Alyssa Geary to teach one period per day for Grade 8 AVID during the 2026-2027 school year, not to exceed 180 hours at the rate of $42.00 per hour. Account # 20-275-200-100-XXX

4136. That the Board accepts the resignation of Emily Girardi, Special Education Teacher, effective June 30, 2026.

4137. That the Board approves the appointment of Hannah Sauer as Grade 1 Long Term Leave Replacement Teacher (Replacing Laura Kolodziej) at a MA Step 1-2 prorated annual salary of $61,620.00, effective September 1, 2026 through May 14, 2027. Account #11-120-100-101-001

4138. That the Board approves the following Guest Teachers for the 2026-2027 school year pending a positive criminal history clearance and completion of all personnel paperwork and requirements.

Yvonne Moody

4139. That the Board approves the appointment of Christopher Smith as an Instructional Assistant at a Step 5 annual salary of $33,973.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027. Account #11-204-100-106-LD1

4140. That the Board approves the appointment of Thomas Scollan as a Health and Physical Education Teacher (Replacing Tara Viscito) at a BA Step 1-2 annual salary of $58,620.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, pending a positive criminal history clearance and completion of all personnel paperwork and requirements. Account #11-120-100-101-002 and 11-130-100-101-002

4141. That the Board approves the payment to the following employees for facilitating the Middle School Talent Show at the stipulated contractual rate of $42.00 per hour for up to 15 hours each. The funding for the Middle School Talent Show was provided through the Rosemary Kopka Grant. Account #20-037-200-110-RBF-

Laura Gioia Nicole Mattarazzo

4142. That the Board rescinds the appointment of Laura Flynn as a Grade 5 Long Term Replacement Teacher.

4143. That the Board approves the appointment of Laura Flynn as a Grade 3 Teacher (Replacing Emily Girardi) at a BA Step 6 annual salary of $60,700.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027. Account #11-120-100-101-001

4144. That the Board approves the appointment of Jason Stone as a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (Replacing Jessica Jones) at a MA Step 5 annual salary of $62,420.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, pending a positive criminal history clearance, issuance of appropriate certification, and completion of all personnel paperwork and requirements. Account #11-000-216-100-003

4145. That the Board approves the appointment of Carrie Frenzia as an Instructional Assistant at a Step 1 annual salary of $32,973.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027. Account #11-216-100-106-PD1

4146. That the Board approves the appointment of Deborah Barbera DeMeo as a Middle School Instructional Interventionist at a MA Step 15 annual salary of $81,670.00, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027. Account #20-235-100-101-MS2

4147. That the Board approves the appointment of Violeta Perez-Espinosa as a Part-Time Middle School Instrumental Music Teacher (Replacing Donald Swinchoski), at a BA Step 1-2 prorated (⅗) annual salary of $58,620.00, with no benefits, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, pending a positive criminal history clearance and completion of all personnel paperwork and requirements. Account #11-120-100-101-002 and 11-130-100-101-002

4148. That the Board approves the following monthly stipends and effective dates, for the use of email enabled smartphones.

STAFF MEMBER	STIPEND	DATES
Robert Bachonski	$100	8/1/2026 - 6/30/2027
Stafford Cutler	$50	7/1/2026 - 6/30/2027
Donald Wood	$50	7/1/2026 - 6/30/2027
Lawrence Yarbrough	$50	7/1/2026 - 7/14/2026

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

6014. That the Board approves all walking trips that remain within the town of Red Bank for the 2026-2027 school year. The destination of walking trips must be previously approved by the Superintendent.

6015. That the Board approves district students to take part in various community events outside of the school day as requested and with prior consent of the Superintendent.

6016. That the Board approves the purchase of curriculum materials and professional learning from Activate Learning (SASC LLC) for all Grades 6-8 Science classes for the 2026-2027 school year not to exceed $78,500.00.

6017. That the Board approves all staff as participants in the FOCUS 1 Grant and LIFT Grant before/after contractual hours as directed by the Assistant Superintendent at the stipulated negotiated contractual rate of $42.00 per hour for teachers and $28.00 per hour for instructional assistants and secretaries for the 2026-2027 school year. Account #20-450-200-100-040 (LIFT) and #20-431-200-100-000 (FOCUS 1)

6018. That the Board of Education deems student participation in curriculum related field trips to be educationally beneficial. Pursuant to regulation 6A:23A-59c)(1), the Board hereby approves the resolution.

FUNDING SOURCE	LOCATION
Grant Funding	Jenkinson's Aquarium, Pt. Pleasant Beach, NJ (Newcomer Program)

6019. That the Board approves the School Day schedules as follows:

LOCATION	SCHEDULE
Preschool & Primary School	8:45 a.m. - 3:40 p.m.
Middle School	8:20 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

BYLAWS, POLICIES, AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD – 9000

BE IT RESOLVED by the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent the following BYLAWS OF THE BOARD resolution(s) are approved as indicated:

9010. That the Board approves the following policies for second reading and adoption:

P 0162	Notice of Board Meetings
P 0162.01	Legal Notices
P 1643	Family Leave
P 2200	Curriculum
P 2260	Equity in School and Classroom Practices
P 2411	Career Education and Academic Counseling
P 5561	Use of Physical Restraint and Seclusion Techniques for Students with Disabilities
P 6112	Reimbursement of Federal and Other Grant Expenditures
P 6115.02	Federal Awards/Funds Internal Controls - Mandatory Disclosures
P 6311	Contracts for Goods or Services Funded by Federal Grants
P 8561	Procurement Procedures for School Nutrition Programs

9011. That the Board approves the following regulations for second reading and adoption:

R 6115.01	Federal Awards/Funds Internal Controls - Allowability of Costs

AGENDA CONSENT VOTE

BE IT RESOLVED, that the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION approve all Action Consent items as noted in all Sections of this agenda as appropriate and, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the RED BANK BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION authorize the administration to execute all necessary documents.

AYES: Ms. Christina Bruno, Ms. Jennifer Garcia, Mr. Dominic Kalorin, Ms. McArthur, Ms. Ann Roseman, Mr. Paul Savoia, Dr. Frederick Stone, Ms. Christy Sunquist, Ms. Suzanne Viscomi
ABSENT: NONE ABSTENTIONS: NONE

12. HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

- Councilmember, Ben Forest, shared how great graduation was. After celebrating the students, the students and families exited to the pavilion. It has become a great outdoor space.

13. OLD BUSINESS - None

14. NEW BUSINESS

- The Board discussed a few community items, such as the opening of Marine Park. The board thanked Tim Teehan for presenting tonight and look forward to further discussions.

15. ADJOURNMENT

At 7:37pm, Ms. Roseman motioned, seconded by Ms. McArthur and carried on voice vote to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Anthony Sciarrillo
School Business Administrator / Board Secretary

Dream BIGGER: A Five Year Roadmap 2024-2029

Goal 1: Enhance Student Experience
Goal 2: Facilities and Finance
Goal 3: Community and Stakeholder Engagement
Goal 4: Culture and Climate
Goal 5: Health and Wellness

Dream BIG... We'll Help You Get There!

DISTRICT GOALS

1. We will support academic achievement for all learners by providing a safe, equitable, and student-centered learning environment.

2. We will engage in articulation and promote seamless transitions from Preschool - Grade 12.

3. We will implement community school elements to ensure equity and access that allows all students the opportunity to maximize their academic, athletic, artistic, and social potential.

BOARD OF EDUCATION GOALS

1. Support and monitor the pursuit of the goals and objectives delineated in Dream Bigger: A Five- Year Roadmap for the Red Bank Borough Public School District.

2. Continue to strengthen engagement in the school community by remaining responsive to student, staff, and community feedback.

3. Advocate for consistent, adequate State and local funding to support sustainable long-term planning and optimize educational and related services for all Red Bank families.

4. Advocate for a single Preschool - Grade 8 publicly funded school district in the Borough of Red Bank.

2026 BOE COMMITTEE SCHEDULE

	COMMUNITY RELATIONS	CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION	POLICY	FACILITIES & SAFETY	FINANCE
CHAIR	Christina Bruno	Ann Roseman	Fred Stone	Dominic Kalorin	Suzanne Viscomi
MEMBERS	Jennifer Garcia E. Pamela McArthur Suzanne Viscomi	Christina Bruno Paul Savoia Fred Stone	E. Pamela McArthur Paul Savoia Christy Sunquist	Fred Stone E. Pamela McArthur	Jennifer Garcia Ann Roseman Fred Stone
TIME	7:00 PM	6:00 PM	6:00 PM	9:00 AM	6:30 PM
LOCATION	BOE Office	BOE Office	BOE Mtg Location	BOE Office	BOE Mtg Location
MEETING DATES	No Jan Meeting	No Jan Meeting	No Jan Meeting	No Jan Meeting	No Jan Meeting
	02/17/26	02/17/26	02/10/26	Cancelled	02/10/26
	03/31/26	03/24/26 (5:00)	Cancelled	03/17/26	03/17/26
	Cancelled	04/21/26	04/28/26	04/28/26	04/28/26
	05/19/26	05/26/26	05/12/26	05/12/26	05/12/26
	Cancelled	Cancelled	06/09/26	06/09/26	06/09/26
	No July Meeting	No July Meeting	TBD	No July Meeting	No July Meeting
	08/18/26	08/18/26	08/25/26	08/25/26	08/25/26
	09/22/26	09/22/26	09/15/26	09/15/26	09/15/26
	10/20/26	10/20/26	10/13/26	10/13/26	10/13/26
	11/17/26	11/17/26	11/10/26	11/10/26	11/10/26
	12/15/26	12/15/26	12/08/26	12/08/26	12/08/26

Negotiations: Ann Roseman (Chair), Dominic Kalorin, Fred Stone, (Meets as Needed)

Residency: Ann Roseman, Fred Stone, Dominic Kalorin, Suzanne Viscomi (Meets as Needed)