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**LONG BRANCH BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Long Branch, New Jersey**

**Special Meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 12, 2024**  
**6:00 P.M.**

**Long Branch Administration Office**  
**540 Broadway**  
**Long Branch, New Jersey 07740**



# ORDER OF BUSINESS

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## **SPECIAL MEETING** **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

- A. Roll Call
  - A-1. Statement of the Manner of Notification of the Special Meeting
  - A-2. Objections, if any, to the Validity of the Meeting
- B. Flag Salute
- C-1. Statement to the Public
- C-2. Opportunity for those present to address the Board relating to Agenda items
- C-3. Resolution for closed Executive Session
- D. Opportunity for those present to address the Board on any Non-Agenda items
- E. Adjournment



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**SPECIAL MEETING  
LONG BRANCH ADMINISTRATION OFFICE  
540 BROADWAY  
TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2024  
6:00 P.M.**

**A. ROLL CALL**

Mrs. Peters - President  
Mr. Ferraina - Vice President  
Mr. Zambrano

Mrs. Youngblood Brown  
Ms. Benosky  
Mrs. Dangler

Mr. Garlipp  
Mr. Torres  
Mrs. Perez

**A-1. STATEMENT OF THE MANNER OF NOTIFICATION OF THE SPECIAL MEETING**

Adequate notice of the special meeting of the Long Branch Board of Education has been published in the Asbury Park Press. A Special Public Meeting notice has been posted in the Board of Education Office and the Office of the City Clerk, Long Branch, New Jersey.

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

**A-2. OBJECTIONS, IF ANY, TO THE VALIDITY OF THE MEETING**

The objecting member must give supporting reasons.

**B. FLAG SALUTE AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**Violeta Peters, Board President**, will salute the flag and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

**C-1. STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC**

Often times it may appear to members of our audience that the Board of Education takes action with very little comment and in many cases by unanimous vote. Before a matter is placed on the agenda at a public meeting, the administration has thoroughly reviewed the matter with the Superintendent of Schools. If the Superintendent of Schools is satisfied that the matter is ready to be presented to the Board of Education, it is then referred to the appropriate Board committee. The members of the Board committee work with the administration and Superintendent to assure that the members fully understand the matter. When the committee is satisfied with the matter, it is presented to the Board of Education for discussion before any final action is taken. Only then is it placed on the agenda for action at a public meeting. All agenda attachments are available for public review. In rare instances, matters are presented to the Board of Education for discussion at the same meeting that final action may be taken.

C-1. **STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC (continued)**

Time may be allocated for public comment at this meeting. Each speaker may be allotted up to three (3) minutes and one (1) opportunity to address the Board when recognized by the presiding officer. Individuals wishing to address the Board shall be recognized by the presiding officer and shall give their names, addresses and the group, if any, that they represent. Although the Board encourages public participation, it reserves the right, through its presiding officer, to terminate remarks to and/or by any individual not in keeping with the conduct of a proper and efficient meeting. With the exception of those individuals whose names are on the agenda this evening, the Board will not respond to questions during the public participation portion of this meeting involving the employment, appointment, termination of employment, negotiations, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance of, promotion or disciplining of any specific, prospective or current employee.

C-2. **OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD RELATING TO AGENDA ITEMS**

C-3. **RESOLUTION FOR CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION**

I recommend the Board approve the following Resolution -

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, the Open Public Meetings Act (Chapter 231, P.L. 1975) allows for the exclusion from discussion at the public portion of a meeting of certain matters which might endanger the public interest or risk the deprivation of individual rights, and

**WHEREAS**, the Long Branch Board of Education wishes to discuss **FY2025 Budget** with the resulting action being made public when a proper conclusion has been reached and there is no longer a need for confidentiality;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Long Branch Board of Education will hold a closed Executive Session immediately in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, 540 Broadway, Long Branch, New Jersey. It is anticipated that the closed session will not last longer than 2 hours. Action will not be taken in the public portion of the meeting upon recessing of this Executive Session back into the open public meeting.

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Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA  
School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Ayes:

Nays:

Absent:

Date: March 12, 2024

D. **OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

E. **ADJOURNMENT**