

Regular Board Meeting - Wednesday, August 27, 2025

The Regular Meeting of the Long Branch Board of Education was held in the Long Branch Middle School auditorium, 350 Indiana Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey.

Mrs. Peter, Board President, called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

A. ROLL CALL

Mrs. Peters - President

Mrs. Youngblood Brown

Mr. Torres

Mrs. Dangler - Vice President

Mr. Ferraina

Mr. Zimmerman

Mr. Zambrano

Mr. Garlipp

Mr. Sama

Attorney Present - Janice Arellano, Esq. - arrived at 6:13 P.M.

B. STATEMENT OF THE MANNER OF NOTIFICATION OF THE MEETING

Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary stated that adequate notice of the meeting of the Long Branch Board of Education has been provided by a Schedule of Public Meetings published in the Asbury Park Press. Mr. Genovese further stated that a Schedule of Public Meetings has been posted in the Board of Education Office and the Office of the City Clerk, Long Branch, New Jersey.

Mr. Genovese made the following announcement: 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 to fire, please move in a calm and orderly fashion to the nearest smoke-free exit.

C. OBJECTIONS, IF ANY, TO THE VALIDITY OF THE MEETING

Mr. Genovese stated that the objecting member must give supporting reasons.

D. FLAG SALUTE AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mrs. Peters, Board President, saluted the flag and led the Pledge of Allegiance

E. STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC

Mrs. Peters made the following announcement: Oftentimes 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.

Time may be allocated for public comment at this meeting. Each speaker may be allotted up to five (5) 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.

F. OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD RELATING TO AGENDA ITEMS

No one addressed the Board.

2. SECRETARY'S REPORT - The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following:**A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

That the Board approve the following minutes:

- Regular Meeting minutes July 22, 2025
- Executive Session Meeting minutes of July 22, 2025
- Board Retreat minutes July 23, 2025

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama

Abstain: Joseph M Ferraina, Jon Zimmerman

Motion Carries

B. COMMENTS FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIR - Mrs. Dangler**C. MONTHLY CERTIFICATION OF SCHOOL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR/BOARD SECRETARY**

I, Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary certifies that no line item has been over expended 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.

Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA

School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

D. BUDGET TRANSFER REPORTS – FY2025 JUNE

That the Board approve the following Budget Transfer Resolution contained herein:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 "Budgetary Controls and Over Expenditures of Funds" states a "district Board of Education or Charter School Board of Trustees shall implement controls over budgeted revenues and appropriations and shall not approve any obligation or payment in excess of the amount appropriated by the district Board of Education in the line item pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.1"

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the attached line item transfers FY2025 June as listed be approved for the month ending June 30, 2025.

Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA

School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

E. BOARD SECRETARY'S REPORT - FY2025 JUNE

That the Board approve the Board Secretary's Report for the month ending June 30, 2025 contained herein.

F. REPORT OF THE TREASURER - FY2025 JUNE

That the Board approve the Report of the Treasurer for the month ending June 30, 2025 contained herein.

G. MONTHLY CERTIFICATION OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

That the Board approve the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED, that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)(4), we, the Members of the Board of Education, after a review of the Board Secretary's and Treasurer's Monthly Financial Reports and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, certify that to the best of our knowledge that as of June 30, 2025 no major account or fund have been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

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

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Theresa Dangler to approve items 2D - 2G.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Motion Carries

H. BILLS AND CLAIMS - JULY 15 - 31, 2025 and AUGUST 1-27, 2025 FOR THE CITY OF LONG BRANCH

That the Board approve the bills and claims for July 15 - 31, 2025 and August 1-27, 2025 for the City of Long Branch contained herein.

Motion by Jon Zimmerman, second by Rick Garlipp.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Abstain: Theresa Dangler

Motion Carriers

I. BILLS AND CLAIMS - JULY 15 - 31, 2025 and AUGUST 1-27, 2025 EXCLUDING THE CITY OF LONG BRANCH

That the Board approve the bills and claims for July 15 - 31, 2025 and August 1-27, 2025 excluding the City of Long Branch.

J. RECONCILIATION MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT - SODEXO - JULY 31, 2025

That the Board approve the monthly operating report for the Sodexo Corporation, Food Service Management Company for the Long Branch School district for July 31, 2025 contained herein.

K. ATHLETIC FUND & ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT FUNDS - JULY 31, 2025

That the Board approve the monthly reports for the Athletic Fund, Elementary Schools, Middle School and High School Student Funds as of July 31, 2025 contained herein.

Motion by Tasha Youngblood Brown, second by Rick Garlipp to approve items 2I - 2K.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

3. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Rodriguez requested a moment of silence in memory of Jim Simonelli. He thanked the Board of Education for creating the opportunity to hold a service for Mr. Simonelli at the Historic High School to remember him as not only a teacher, but as a coach, mentor and principal.

A. START AND END TIME OF SCHOOLS

B. IMPORTANT DATES - 2025-2026

Open House/Back to School Nights

Marking Period Schedule for All District Schools

Parent/ Teacher Conferences

4. GENERAL ITEMS - The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following:**A. COMMENTS FROM THE COMMUNICATIONS/SECURITY COMMITTEE CHAIR - Mrs. Youngblood Brown****B. COMMENTS FROM THE INSTRUCTION & PROGRAMS COMMITTEE CHAIR - Mrs. Dangler****C. COMMENTS FROM THE OPERATION & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE CHAIR - Mr. Zambrano****D. APPROVAL OF FALL, WINTER AND SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULES - 2025- 2026 SCHOOL YEAR**

That the Board approve/ratify the Middle School and High School athletic schedules

for the fall, winter and spring of the 2025- 2026 school year as listed in the attached.

E. APPROVAL OF 2025 -2026 AND 2026 - 2027 SHORE CONFERENCE OFFICIAL FEES

That the Board approve/ratify the 2025 - 2026 and 2026 - 2027 Shore Conference Official fees as listed.

F. APPROVAL OF HALF DAY SCHEDULE - MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL TESTING

That the Board approve a half day schedule for Middle School and High School students who will be state testing on October 28, 2025*, October 29, 2025*, October 30, 2025*, October 31, 2025*, April 28, April 29, April 30 and May 1, 2026.

*Pending further guidance from the NJDOE.

G. APPROVAL TO ESTABLISH THE JAMES SIMONELLI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

That the Board approve the establishment of the James Simonelli Memorial Scholarship.

H. APPROVAL TO ESTABLISH THE KAYLIB J. PAUL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

That the Board approve the establishment of the Kaylib J. Paul Memorial Scholarship which will be presented to a graduating senior of the leadership academy who has shown significant improvement and personal development throughout their High School career. The Scholarship will not have a GPA requirement. The applicant must submit a resume, teacher letter of recommendation and evidence of acceptance into a 2 year college, 4 year college, trade school or professional certificate program. The award of the scholarship will be dependent upon the receipt of at least 20 student applications. The award amount will range from \$500 to \$2,000, no more than \$2,000 per year, and may be awarded to 1 - 3 students each year which will be at the sole discretion of the selection committee.

Motion by Theresa Dangler, second by Rick Garlipp to approve items 4D - 4H.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Motion Carries

I. APPROVAL TO AWARD BID FOR SURPLUS EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES

That the Board approve the award of the bids received from the surplus bid of August 12, 2025.

Description	Jersey One Auto Sales, Inc.	Miguel Maldonado	Liberty Motors Inc.	NJ X-Ray S & S Corp.
X-Ray Machine	-	-	-	\$15, 050.00
2009 Ford F250 Cargo Van	\$2,022.00	\$100.00	\$103.99	-
2011 Chevrolet Express Bus #122	\$2,552.00	-	\$1,518.99	-
2010 Chevrolet Express Bus #100	\$2,222.00	-	\$1,516.99	-
2010 Chevrolet Express Bus #106	\$2,022.00	-	\$1,518.99	-
2010 Chevrolet Express Bus #107	\$2,052.00	-	\$1,231.99	-
2009 Chevrolet Express Bus #108	\$1,017.00	-	\$1,469.99	-

2010 Chevrolet Express Bus #101	\$1,852.00	-	\$1,468.99	-
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J. AUTHORIZATION TO GO OUT TO BID FOR REFUSE AND RECYCLABLES REMOVAL SERVICES

That the Board authorize going out to bid for Refuse and Recyclables Removal Services for the 2026 - 2026 school year.

K. APPROVAL TO GO OUT FOR A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR WRAP AROUND SERVICES FOR EXTENDED PROGRAMS

That the Board approve the School Business Administrator to go out for a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Wrap Around Services for Extended Programs.

L. APPROVAL TO ACCEPT NONPUBLIC SCHOOL ENTITLEMENT AID FOR THE 2025 - 2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve the acceptance of the Nonpublic School Entitlement Aid for the 2025 - 2026 school year as indicated below:

SCHOOL	ALLOCATIONS
Ma'or Yeshiva High School for Boys	
Nursing	\$4,514.00
Textbook	\$1,724.00
Security	\$6,355.00
Technology	\$1,230.00
TOTAL	\$13.823.00

That the Board authorize **Alisa Aquino, Director of Grants & Innovative Programs**, or her designee, to serve as the district's contact person for the above actions.

And that **Francisco E. Rodriguez, Superintendent of Schools**, be designated the Board's representative to implement the above actions.

M. APPROVAL TO ACCEPT THE NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STATE AID ALLOCATIONS FOR SERVICES UNDER CHAPTER 192/193 FOR THE 2025 - 2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board accept the Nonpublic School State Aid Allocations for services under Chapter 192/193 for the 2025 - 2026 school year as listed below:

CHAPTER 193	
Program:	
Initial Exam & Class	\$1,326.00
Annual Exam & Class	\$760.00
Supplemental Inst	\$2,478.00
TOTAL	\$4,564.00
CHAPTER 193	
Program:	
Compensatory Education	\$866.00
TOTAL	\$866.00

That the Board authorize **Alisa Aquino, Director of Grants & Innovative Programs**, or her designee, to serve as the district's contact person for the above actions.

And that **Francisco E. Rodriguez, Superintendent of Schools**, be designated the Board's representative to implement the above actions.

N. APPROVAL TO ACCEPT FY2026 ESEA CONSOLIDATED GRANT AND SIA FUNDS

That the Board approve/ratify the acceptance of the FY2026 Consolidated Grant application and SIA Funds in the amount of \$3,087,610. The breakdown is as follows:

Title I Part A Basic, Concentration, Targeted & EFIG	\$2,253,521
Title I SIA	\$165,000
Title II Part A	\$230,543
Title III	\$234,850
Title III - Immigrant	\$43,836
Title IV	\$159,860
TOTAL	\$3,087,610

That the Board authorize **Alisa Aquino, Director of Grants & Innovative Programs**, or her designee, to serve as the district's contact person for the above actions.

And that **Francisco E. Rodriguez, Superintendent of Schools**, be designated the Board's representative to implement the above actions.

O. APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR THE READING INTERVENTIONS FOR SECONDARY ENGAGEMENT GRANT, INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS FOR PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT AND COHERENT TRAINING GRANT AND LITERACY INITIATIVE FOR FAMILY AND THRIVING COMMUNITIES GRANT

That the Board approve the applications for the following grants:

RISE	Up to \$50,000 to district	9/30/2025 - 8/31/2026
IMPACT	Up to \$200,000 to district	9/30/2025 - 8/31/2026
LIFT	Up to \$60,000 to district	9/30/2025 - 8/31/2026

That the Board authorize **Alisa Aquino, Director of Grants & Innovative Programs**, or her designee, to serve as the district's contact person for the above actions.

And that **Francisco E. Rodriguez, Superintendent of Schools**, be designated the Board's representative to implement the above actions.

P. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES THROUGH STATE AGENCY FOR THE 2025 - 2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Title 18A:18A-10 provides that, "A Board of Education, without advertising for bids, or after having rejected all bids obtained pursuant to advertising therefore, by resolution may purchase any goods or services pursuant to a contract or contracts for such goods or services entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property, and

WHEREAS, the Long Branch Board of Education has the need, on a timely basis, to procure goods and services utilizing state contracts, and

WHEREAS, the Long Branch Board of Education desires to authorize its purchasing agent for the 2025 - 2026 school year to make any and all purchases necessary to meet the needs of the school district throughout the school

year,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Long Branch Board of Education does hereby authorize the district's purchasing agent to make purchases of goods and services entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property utilizing various vendors as listed:

<u>Commodity/Service</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>State Contract #</u>
T3121 - Software Reseller Services	Dell Marketing L.P.	20-TELE-01510

Peter E. Genovese III, RSBO, QPA

School Business Administrator / Board Secretary

Q. GIFTS TO SCHOOL

That the Board approve the Gifts to School as listed:

Shady Oaks, Joseph Mezzano
Long Branch Middle School, Pantry
Shop Rite Gift cards
Value: (\$1,500.00)

R. ATTENDANCE AT CONFERENCES/MEETINGS

That the Board Approve the attendance of staff members at the conferences listed.

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown to approve items 4I - 4R.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Nay: Joseph M. Ferraina to item 4I only.

Motion Carries

5. PERSONNEL ACTION - The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following:

A. SUSPENSION OF EMPLOYEE WITH PAY - RESOLUTION

That the Board approve the suspension with pay of employee (ID# 8749), effective July 23, 2025.

B. SUSPENSION OF EMPLOYEE WITH PAY - RESOLUTION

That the Board approve the suspension with pay of employee (ID# 8706), effective August 18, 2025.

C. RETIREMENT - CONTRACTUAL POSITIONS

That the Board accept the retirement of the following individual:

WILLIAM POTTER, School Social Worker, effective September 1, 2025. Mr. Potter has a total of 24 years of service.

GARY VECCHIONE, MS/HS Assistant Facilities Manager, effective November 1, 2025. Mr. Vecchione has a total of 20 years of service.

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown to approve items 5A - 5C.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Abstain - Jon Zimmerman - A and B only

Motion Carries

D. RESIGNATION - CONTRACTUAL POSITIONS

That the Board accept the resignation of the following individuals:

AALIYAH BROWN, Substitute Teacher, effective August 16, 2025.

SUZANNE FITZSIMMONS, School Nurse, effective October 13, 2025.

TAMYCA GOFF, Substitute Athletic Trainer, effective August 11, 2025.

ROMINA LUJAN, Instructional Assistant, effective August 7, 2025.

TANYA MARTIN, 12-Month Secretary, effective August 29, 2025.

PAIGE MORTON, Teacher, effective October 24, 2025.

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Theresa Dangler.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Abstain: Tasha Youngblood Brown

Motion Carries

E. RESCIND - CONTRACTUAL POSITIONS

That the Board rescind the contractual position for the following:

CHRISTIAN COVINGTON, Teacher, effective August 21, 2025.

NUHA OTHMAN, Teacher, effective July 29, 2025.

NOAH WESTPY, Teacher, effective August 11, 2025.

F. RESIGNATION - STIPEND POSITIONS

That the Board accept the stipend resignation of the following individuals:

SAMANTHA GALLO, Girls Soccer - Assistant Coach, effective August 19, 2025.

WILLIAM POTTER, Girls Varsity Tennis and Boys Varsity Tennis, effective August 15, 2025.

G. EMPLOYEE TRANSFERS - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve the transfer of the following individuals:

MELISSA CHRISTOPHER, from Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School to High School Teacher.

TRACEY CIAMBRONE, from Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School to Middle School Teacher.

AARON COLLINS, from Gregory Elementary School to Amerigo A. Anastasia School Teacher.

ADRIANA DEFILLIPO, from Morris Avenue, ECLC to Gregory Elementary School Instructional Assistant.

VICTORIA ELIAS, from Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School to Lenna W. Conrow, ECLC Teacher.

GINA GRADONE, from Morris Avenue, ECLC to Little Waves Instructional Assistant.

KATHERINE MALDONADO, from George L. Catrambone Elementary School to High School Secretary.

JESSICA MOLINA, from Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School to George L. Catrambone Elementary School Instructional Assistant.

HYIESHA REEVEY, from Little Waves to Morris Avenue, ECLC Instructional Assistant.

KATHLEEN REINKE, from Middle School to Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School Teacher.

DANE STEWART, from Morris Avenue, ECLC to Lenna W. Conrow, ECLC Instructional Assistant.

H. APPOINTMENT OF CERTIFIED STAFF

That the Board approve/ratify the appointment of the following named individuals who constitute a careful selection and screening of applicants and is hereby recommended for an employment contract contingent upon the successful completion of their degree program, New Jersey Department of Education certification requirements, and all other state and federal guidelines including but not limited to a criminal history clearance and successful clearance of S-141/A-3381 (P.L.2018, c.5). This initial appointment may change as district needs develop:

JESSICA BORRERO-VEGA	School Social Worker Audrey W. Clark School MA, Step 1 \$64,111 Certification • School Social Worker Education: Rutgers University Replaces: William Potter (Retirement) (Acct. #: 15-209-100-101-000-06-00)(UPC: 0848-11-SEBDC-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
SONIA COHEN	Science Teacher High School BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: • Teacher of Chemistry Education: Rutgers University Replaces: Alexander Quinn (Resignation) (Acct. #: 15-140-100-101-000-01-00)(UPC: 0105-01-SCNCE-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements

LIAM CONNOLLY	Science Teacher Middle School BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: Teacher of Biological Science Education: Montclair State University Replaces: Conover White (Reassignment) (Acct. #: 15-130-100-101-000-02-00)(UPC: 0262-02-SCNCE-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
NATALIE DELLARAGIONE	1 Year Leave Replacement Teacher High School BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: Teacher of English Education: Monmouth University (Acct. #: 15-140-100-101-00-01-00, 15-140-100-101-00-15-00)(UPC: 1673-01-TEMP-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
ANTHONY DESANTIS	Supervisor of Health/Physical Education District \$103,000 Certification: - Supervisor - Principal - Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 - Teacher of Social Studies - Teacher Leader Education: Western Governors University Replaces: Jessica Sargent (Reassignment) (Acct. #: 1-000-221-102-000-12-00)(UPC: 1581-12-PEK12-SUPER) Effective: September 1, 2025

JAMIE DIPERSIO	Preschool Teacher Joseph M. Ferraina, ECLC BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: • Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 • Elementary School Teacher in Grades K - 6 Education: Rutgers University Replaces: Hannah Kurzman (Resignation) (Acct. #: 20-218-100-101-000-04-00)(UPC: 0491-04-PRESC-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025
JESSICA FALCONI	Kindergarten ESL Teacher Lenna W. Conrow, ECLC BA, Step 3 \$61,311 Certification: • Teacher of English as a Second Language • Elementary School Teacher in Grades K - 6 • Teacher of Social Studies Education: Kean University Replaces: Karlee Chimento (Resignation) (Acct. #: 15-110-100-101-000-08-00)(UPC: 1245-08-KINDG-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
GEORGIANNA FLAGG	ELA Teacher Middle School BA, Step 3 \$61,311 Certification • Teacher of English Education: Rider University Replaces: Philip Mammano (Reassignment) (Acct. #: 15-130-100-101-000-02-00)(UPC: 0237-02-ENGLS-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements

JESSICA GALGANO	Kindergarten Special Education Teacher Lenna W. Conrow, ECLC MA, Step 8 \$70,461 Certification: • Teacher of Students with Disabilities • Elementary School Teacher in Grades K - 6 Education: Touro College Graduate School of Education Replaces: Jasmin Samol (Resignation) (Acct. #: 11-216-100-101-000-08-00)(UPC: 0679-08-SELDI-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
BELLA MESSICK	Preschool Teacher Joseph M. Ferraina, ECLC BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: • Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 Education: Southern New Hampshire University Replaces: Emileigh Kapp (Resignation) (Acct. #: 20-218-100-101-000-04-00)(UPC: 0477-04-PRESC-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
CHERYL MOSKWA	Preschool Special Education Teacher Lenna W. Conrow, ECLC BA, Step 1 \$60,111 Certification: • Teacher of Students with Disabilities • Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 Education: Grand Canyon University Replaces: Amy Branagan (Resignation) (Acct. #: 20-218-100-101-000-08-00)(UPC: 0718-08-PRESC-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements

ROBERT NELLI	Physical Education Teacher District BA, Step 8 \$66,461 Certification: • Teacher of Health and Physical Education • Teacher of Driver Education Education: State University of New York Replaces: (Reassignment) (Acct. #: 15-130-100-101-000-02-00)(UPC: 0258-02-PEHLT-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements
MARITZA VIDES	ESL Teacher Gregory Elementary School BA, Step 4 \$62,061 Certification: • Teacher of English as a Second Language • Elementary School Teacher in Grades K - 6 • Teacher of Bilingual/Bicultural Education Education: Kean University Replaces: Nicole Howell (Reassignment) (Acct. #: 15-213-100-101-000-07-00)(UPC: 1408-07-SERSR-TEACHR) Effective: September 1, 2025

I. APPOINTMENT OF INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANTS

That the Board approve the following named individuals as Instructional Assistants:

ARIANNA FRAZAO, George L. Catrambone Elementary School, Step 1 at \$26,754. Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements.

Replaces: Romina Lujan (Resignation)

(Acct. #: 15-204-100-106-000-09-00)(UPC: 1674-09-SEAUT-PARAPF)

JANAI FREER, George L. Catrambone Elementary School, Step 1 at \$26,754. Effective September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements.

Replaces: Bella Messick (Reassignment)

(Acct. #: 15-204-100-106-000-09-00)(UPC: 1675-09-SEPSD-PARAPF)

KYLIE KING, Audrey W. Clark School, Step 1 at \$26,754 + \$250 Stipend for BA. Effective September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements.

Replaces: Essence Davis (Reassignment)
(Acct. #: 15-209-100-106-000-06-00)(UPC: 1402-06-SEBDI-PARAPF).

ASHLEY NUNEZ, Amerigo A. Anastasia Elementary School, Step 1 at \$26,754 + \$250 stipend for BA.
Effective: September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements.
Replaces: Carlos Gomez (Resignation)
(Acct. #: 15-214-100-106-000-03-00)(UPC: 1421-03-SEAUT-PARAPF)

MICHAEL YURCISIN, Audrey W. Clark School, Step 1 at \$26,754. Effective September 1, 2025 *pending pre-employment requirements.
Replaces: McKenna Mlotkiewicz (Resignation)
(Acct. #: 15-209-100-106-000-06-00)(UPC: 1304-06-SEBDC-PARAPF)

Motion by Tasha Youngblood Brown, second by Dominic Sama to approve items 5E - 5I.
Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman
Motion Carries

J. SUBSTITUTE EMPLOYEES 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following substitutes for the 2025-2026 school year. *pending fingerprints

RETURNING SUBSTITUTE TEACHER 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Sonia Cohen, Thomas Darcy, Madison Smith

SUBSTITUTE CORRIDOR AIDE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Sheri Bouldin, Michael Gallagher

SUBSTITUTE CUSTODIAN 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Alba Pineda*

SUBSTITUTE TEACHER 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Sheri Bouldin, Christian Covington, Suzanne Kelleher, Sheila Nealon*, Asia Wildeman

K. SUMMER STIPEND POSITIONS - SUMMER 2025

That the Board approve/ratify the following summer stipend positions listed below:

LOCATION	STIPEND TITLE	STAFF MEMBER	RATE
District	Bus Aides	Kamilah Bergman, Keisla Rodriguez	\$18/session
High School	Safe School	Felicia Gadson	\$20/hr.
Middle School	Safe School	Felicia Gadson	\$20/hr.
Elementary/ECLC	STEAM Teachers	(Substitute): Mackenzie Carey, Desirea Medina	\$35/hr.
Elementary/ECLC	Nurse	Margaret Chapman	\$38/hr.
Elementary/ECLC	STEAM Safe School	Felicia Gadson	\$20/hr.
Audrey W. Clark	HS Teacher	Frances O'Hare	\$35/hr.

L. EXTENDED SCHOOL YEAR STIPEND POSITION - SUMMER 2025

That the Board approve/ratify the following extended school year stipend position listed below:

STIPEND TITLE	STAFF MEMBER	RATE
CST Case Conference - General Education Teacher	Alexandra Generelli	\$75/case

M. ANNUAL STIPEND POSITIONS - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following annual district stipend positions listed below:

LOCATION	STIPEND TITLE	STAFF NAME	RATE
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Safe School (STEAM)	Tereke Bowles, Joseph DeFillipo, Gregory Goodell, Fermin Luna Hernandez, Miguel Maldonado, Sara Ortiz	\$20/hr.
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Site Coordinators (STEAM)	Jennifer Farrell, Samantha Gallo, Kimberly King, Edna Newman, Stephanie Pragosa, Doreen Regan, Meghann Southwood, Lauren Sweet, Dorothy Williams-Reed	\$32/hr.
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Substitute Instructional Assistant (STEAM)	Jason Corley, Jr.	\$15.49/hr.
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Substitute Safe School (STEAM)	Brett Brabham, Jason Corley, Jr., Micah McKinney, Brian Newman, Brenda Williams	\$20/hr.
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Substitute Site Coordinator (STEAM)	Jasmine Gomez, Molly Guzman, Mary Mazzacco, Megan Renzo-Mazza, Elizabeth Muscillo	\$32/hr.
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Substitute Teachers (STEAM)	Burak Ates, Marina Basile, Anissa Berry, Barbra Costello, Jasmine Gomez, Madison Grayson, Monica Holley, Margaret Johnson, Gia LaRocca, Micah McKinney, Elizabeth Marrin, Yvette Mayo, Rosa Melo, Faith Morey, Thomas Odom, Megan Renzo-Mazza, Adrienne Scognamiglio, Lauren Sweet, Holly Terracciano, Altemise Toon, Carly Torsiello, Meredith Weinstein	\$28/hr.

District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Teachers (STEAM)	Jacqueline Aquino, Jamie Lynn Bazydlo, Wendy-Nicole Bland, Shamika Blue, Ja'Londa Boyd, Courtney Braun, Caitlyn Cannito, Lee Carey, Marjorie Chulsky, Francesca Fantini, Jamie Gough, Molly Guzman, Erin Hennelly, Monica Holley, Benita Holt, Bogumila Hout, Dawasia Jones, Cheryl Martin, Margaret Marzullo, Mary Mazzacco, Janna Montague, Michele Morey, Brian Roberts, Angela Robertson, Jessica Rodriguez, Tynekqua Rolfe-Wiggs, Kevin Schaubert, Lori Scotto, Brandon Tracey, Patrick Tracey, Vincent Vallese, Alexandra Vialonga, Diane Wartmann, Dorothy Williams-Reed	\$28/hr.
District	Before/After School Bus Aides	(LWC): Jessica Gilman, Ciara Hart-Maldonado, Genea McFarlane, Mariana Moreno, Socorro (Patricia) Sanchez-Sartorio, Tarik Simpson, Ta'Tyana Snelling, Karen Stout (MA): Craig Cuje (AAA): Batuhan Ates, Ardenia Clayton, Rita Grandinetti, Yoselin Gomez, Susan Mc Nerney, Micah McKinney, Leovigilda Perez, Marie Popo, Solange Simpson, Lauren Sweet, Roszita Tatum (GLC): Burak Ates, Marissa Frigoletto, Ana Goydic, Sarah Kaplan, Ryan Krywinski, Richard Ricigliano, Lisa Roesch, Kassandra Ruboyianes, Darlene Santos, Gabriela Stanziale, Meghann Southwood, Kelly Stone, Holly Terracciano, Jake Turner, Katie Wachter, Meredith Weinstein, Kaitlyn White (GRE): Shannon Booth, Marissa Gomez, Hadija Haskovic, Maribel Hernandez, Terrance King, Elizabeth Marrin, Dawn Montigo, Kechla Rodriguez, Charlie Widdis (AWC): Dawasia Jones (HS): Veronica Billy, Janette Egan (MS): Dorothy Bowles, Thaissa Braga, Miguel Espinosa, Katherine Gooch Alcott, Brian Howell, Sonia Mendez, Angela Napoli, John O'Shea, Matthew Payne, Ivette Sanabria Mendoza, John Severs, Rocio Tenhunen (Substitute): Stephanie Kircher, Gricelda Martinez	\$18/ session
District	Bilingual After School Tutorial Teachers	Barbra Costello, Laura Iandoli, Jussara Lins	\$26/hr.

District	Black Seal Boiler License	(JMF): Rubin Borrero, Joaquin Nieves, Charles Taylor, Jr. (LWC): Donte Hart, Garry McCleave, Angel Vives (MA): Charles Dukes II, Julio Vasquez, Rocco Zaffiro (AAA): David Becerra Bravo, James Coles, Jr., Richard Morgan, Pedro Rosario, Samuel Sapp (GLC): Alfred Burrell, Abel Daza, Oswaldo DeAssis Neto, Guadalupe Garcia Bautista (GRE): Joseph Lebron, Jose Lora (HHS): Nery Noguera (HS): Manuel Colon, Gregory Fletcher, Kenvon Grant, Eunice Perea, Alexandra Pineda-Romero, Luis Rodriguez, Jolanta Sinkevicius, Javier Valderrama (MS): Miguel Batista, Angel Borrero, Rickey Boston, Demitri Montgomery, Maribel Rodriguez (AWC): Robert Medina (540): Jonathan Bassett, Kenneth Jelks, Freddy Moreno, Jarviyle Rivera	\$600
District	Brookdale Math/Science Technology Facilitator	Stacie Broderick	\$3,700
District	Building Security	Erin Dorrian, Molly Guzman, Lizbeth Flores Lucero, Karla Mendez, Jeremy Rosa, Kevin Schaubert	\$20/hr.
District	Building Site Supervisor	Nancy Jones, Kevin Schaubert	\$30/hr.
District	ESEA Parent Involvement Advisor	Amy Rock	\$3,700
District	Green Team Head	Kelly Stone	\$2,500
District	Green Team School Leaders	(JMF): Natalie Borrero (LWC): Jennifer Long (GRE): Melissa Joyce (AAA): Erin Barrett (GLC): Elizabeth Gannon (AWC): Caitlyn Walling (HS): Vito Terranova	\$500
District	Home Instruction	Matthew Appleyard, Daniel Brownridge, Marjorie Chulsky, Meghan Cook, Kirsty Corcoran, Sarah Hansen, Gabrielle Hernandez, Nicole Marino, Mary Ann Moriarty, Angela Napoli, Michelle Petillo, Doreen Regan, James Reilly, Amanda Roa-Rosales, Laura Tracey	\$31/hr.
District	Special Olympics Advisor	Melissa D'Ambrisi	\$1,800

District	Team Leader - Achievement/Challenge Program	Meghan Mueller	\$7,000
District	Team Leader - Alternative Program	Christina Bharda, Lindsay Stefan	\$7,000 (split)
High School 2024-25 School Year	Science Team Advisor	Stacie Broderick	\$1,700
High School	6th Period	Zaida Castano, Marisya Etoll, Pierre Joseph, Ian Moore, Nemeil Navarro, Meghan Rathjen, Meagan Ruland, Jennifer Santana	\$5,500
High School	Academic Lab Instructors - Homework Club	Jonathan Barratt, Kamilah Bergman, Stephanie Brito, Jessica Caruso, Nora Cisek, Meghan Cook, Mark Costa, Lianne Kulik, Tyler Malone, Nicole Marino, Ryan McGlennon, Rosa Melo, Tiffani Monroe, Nemeil Navarro, Amanda Roa-Rosales, Jennifer Santana, Caterina Servidio	\$27/hr.
High School	Academic Lab Instructors - SAT, PSAT	Caterina Servidio	\$27/hr.
High School	African American Culture Club Advisor	Nykeirah Jones, Manuel Rosario	\$27/hr.
High School	Alternative High School Assessment (AHSA) Reviewer	Andrea Kelly, Caterina Servidio	\$7,000
High School	Band Assistant Director - Band Front (Fall)	Gabriella Estrada	\$3,000
High School	Band Assistant Director - Percussion (Fall)	Jasmine Gomez	\$3,000
High School	Band Assistant Director - Winds (Fall)	Ruby Whitesell	\$3,000
High School	Band Conductor (Fall)	Robert Clark	\$7,000
High School	Band Conductor (Spring)	Robert Clark	\$7,000
High School	Band Conductor (Winter)	Robert Clark	\$7,000
High School	Chess Club Advisor	Jonathan Barratt	\$1,800
High School	Choral Music Advisor	Gabriella Estrada	\$2,000
High School	Class Advisor - Grade 9	Kamilah Bergman, Nicole Marino	\$1,500 (split)
High School	Class Advisor - Grade 10	Gabrielle Hernandez	\$1,600
High School	Class Advisor - Grade 11	Meghan Cook	\$3,000
High School	Class Advisor - Grade 12	Ian Moore, Meagan Ruland	\$4,000 (split)
High School	Crew Chief (Day)	Manuel Colon	\$3,000
High School	Crew Chief (Night)	Kenvon Grant	\$3,000
High School	Dance Team Advisor	Meagan Ruland	\$3,000

High School	ESEA School Improvement Leader	Chelsea Byrne, Jessica Caruso	\$2,700
High School	Extended Detention	Philip Mammano	\$27/hr.
High School	Gay Straight Alliance (GSA) Club Advisor	Melissa Cooper, Alyson Stagich	\$27/hr.
High School	Head Teacher - Bilingual/ESL	Melissa Copper	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - English/Language Arts	Tara Okun	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - Mathematics	StaciAnn Sarno	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - Physical Education	Timothy Farrell	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - Science	Tiffani Monroe	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - Social Studies	Nora Cisek	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - Special Education	Jennifer Santana	\$6,000
High School	Head Teacher - Visual & Performing Arts (VPA)	Robert Clark	\$4,200
High School	Head Teacher - World Language	Pierre Joseph	\$4,200
High School	Interact Club Advisor	Vito Terranova	\$1,400
High School	Language Club Advisor - French	Pierre Joseph	\$800
High School	Language Club Advisor - Spanish	Zaida Castano	\$800
High School	National Honor Society (NHS) Advisor	Jamie Hayes	\$2,000
High School	Policy Debate Team Advisor	Melissa Cooper, Claudia Giron	\$27/hr.
High School	Robotics Club Advisor	Nemeil Navarro	\$3,400
High School	Science Team Advisor	Stacie Broderick	\$1,700
High School	Speech Arts Advisor	Ian Moore	\$2,500
High School	Student Council Advisor	Jessica Caruso, Meagan Ruland	\$2,500 (split)
High School	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA)/ Computer Club Advisor	Isabel Correa	\$5,000
High School	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA)/ Media Advisor	Nemeil Navarro	\$3,600
High School	Teen Pep Leadership Advisor	Zaida Castano	\$3,000
High School	Teen Pep Leadership Assistant Advisor	Tara Cooper	\$1,300
High School	Title I Tutors (Grant Funded)	Nicole Marino, Caterina Servidio	\$40/session
High School	TV/Broadcasting Advisor	Kristen Frankoski	\$5,900
High School	Westwood Players Advisor	Ian Moore	\$4,200
High School	Westwood Players Assistant Choreographer	Meagan Ruland	\$3,000

High School	Westwood Players Assistant Stage Manager (Fall)	Jasmine Gomez	\$27/hr.
High School	Westwood Players Assistant Stage Manager (Spring)	Jasmine Gomez	\$27/hr.
High School	Yearbook Club Advisor	Meghan Cook	\$3,700
High School	Breakfast Monitor	Michael Conte, Gareth Grayson, Ana Hinojosa, Meghan Rathjen, Joseph Whalen	\$15/session
High School	Lunchroom Monitor	George Alonzo, Kamilah Bergman, Veronica Billy, Stacie Broderick, Dawn Dougan, Janette Egan, Marisya Etoll, Anabela Frazao, Ana Hinojosa, Lisa Johnson, Kimberly Jones, Kerin Mejia Alvarado, Rosa Melo, Karla Mendez, Ana Menino, Meghan Rathjen, Amanda Roa-Rosales, Jennifer Santana, Benjamin Woolley (HHS): Tonya Galiszewski, Sydney Lasquinha, Karla Mendez	\$23/session
Middle School	6th Period	Elsa Ates, Monica Avaria, Sharyn Benetsky, Jill Careri, Cynthia Crisanaz, Louis DeAngelis, Karen DeGraw, Patricia Delehanty, Naomi Greca, Rosalie Guzzi, Brian Howell, Kimberlee Hoyle, Caitlin Mauro, Mary Ann Moriarty, John O'Shea, Doreen Ortega, Delanyard Robinson II, Denise Schulz-Nick, Cheryl Scuorzo	\$5,500
Middle School	African American Culture Club Advisor	Dorothy Williams-Reed	\$27/hr.
Middle School	AM Concert/Jazz Band Advisor	Jasmine Gomez	\$4,200
Middle School	Basic Belief in People (BBIP) Club Advisor	Louis DeAngelis	\$800
Middle School	Bookstore	Camille Barone-Simon	\$500
Middle School	Choral Music Club Advisor	Alyssa Morgan	\$2,000
Middle School	Crew Chief (Day)	Angel Borrero	\$3,000
Middle School	Crew Chief (Night)	Miguel Batista	\$3,000
Middle School	Dance Club Advisor	Meagan Ruland	\$3,400
Middle School	Debate Club Advisor	Bernadette Odoms, Matthew Payne	\$27/hr.
Middle School	Drama Club Advisor	Amy Skalecki	\$2,900
Middle School	Drug Free Club Advisor	Amy Rock, Kelly Treshock	\$3,100
Middle School	ESEA School Improvement Leader	Melissa Trace, Maranda Wolff	\$2,700
Middle School	Extended Detention	Kelly Treshock, Conover White	\$27/hr.
Middle School	Gay-Straight Alliance (GSA) Club Advisor	Lori Olson	\$27/hr.
Middle School	Grade 8 Activities Advisor	Kelly Treshock	\$1,000

Middle School	Head Teacher - Art/Music	Amy Skalecki	\$5,940
Middle School	Head Teacher - Bilingual/ESL	Doreen Ortega	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - English/Language Arts	Louis DeAngelis	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - Mathematics	Melissa Trace	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - Physical Education	Rosalie Guzzi	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - Science	Candice Bidner	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - Social Studies	Keri Smith	\$4,200
Middle School	Head Teacher - Special Education	Sharyn Benetsky	\$6,000
Middle School	Homework Club Advisor	Karla Bermudez-Hernandez, Cynthia Crisanaz, Louis DeAngelis, Kiley Fallon, Mackenzie Finley, Mary Ann Moriarty, Angela Napoli, Bernadette Odoms, Gabriela Rodrigues, Joanna Sherrier, Kelly Treshock	\$27/hr.
Middle School	National Junior Honor Society Advisor	Louis DeAngelis	\$800
Middle School	Natural Helpers Club Advisor	Amy Rock	\$800
Middle School	Peer Leadership Facilitator	Amy Rock	\$3,000
Middle School	Student Council Advisor	Louis DeAngelis	\$2,100
Middle School	Team Leader - Visual & Performing Arts (VPA) Academy Activities Advisor	Lori Olson	\$3,000
Middle School	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA)/ Computer Club Advisor	Amy Skalecki	\$5,300
Middle School	Title I Tutoring Coordinator (Grant Funded)	Melissa Trace, Maranda Wolff	\$2,000
Middle School	TV/Broadcasting Club Advisor	Audrey Ehrenspringer	\$5,800
Middle School	Yearbook/Newspaper Club Advisor	Ivette Ricigliano	\$3,100
Middle School	Breakfast Monitor	Camille Barone-Simon, Sharyn Benetsky, Dorothy Bowles, Thaissa Braga, Miguel Espinosa, Kiley Fallon, Katherine Gooch Alcott, Brian Howell, Sean Mallon, Fiona McKeon, Sonia Mendez, Mary Ann Moriarty, Angela Napoli, John O'Shea, Matthew Payne, Amy Rock, Gabriela Rodrigues, Ivette Sanabria Mendoza, John Severs, Rocio Tenhunen, Kelly Treshock	\$15/ session

Middle School	Lunchroom Monitor	George Alonzo, Lois Alston, Dactilia Booth, Dorothy Bowles, Meghan Campbell, Patricia Delehanty, Erin Dorrian, Miguel Espinosa, Lizbeth Flores Lucero, Antoinette Galloway, Katherine Gooch Alcott, Rosalie Guzzi, Brian Howell, Sean Mallon, Vanessa Mantione, Maria Manzo, Fiona McKeon, Sonia Mendez, Yonit Mendoza, Mary Ann Moriarty, Angela Napoli, John O'Shea, Bernadette Odoms, Matthew Payne, Sandra Rahilly, Ivette Ricigliano, Abigail Rios, Amy Rock, Denise Rosa, Ivette Sanabria Mendoza, Rocio Tenhunen, Kelly Treshock, Juliette Trombetta, Charles Widdis	\$23/ session
Middle School	Lunchroom Monitor (Substitutes)	Irene Bacigalupi, Karla Bermudez-Hernandez, Christina Bronowich, Thaissa Braga, Samantha Covert-Pinca, Kiley Fallon, Meagan Fornicola, John Jasio, Gabriela Rodrigues	\$23/ session
Elementary School/ECLC	Before/After School Extended Learning Program Teachers	(GLC): Bruna Cale, Michele Morey, Kelli Shaughnessy, Kelly Stone (AAA): Marina Basile, Carol Emick, Melissa Heggie, Irina Kinley, Cheryl Martin, Adrienne Scognamiglio, Samantha Vieira (GRE): Marissa Gomez, Erica Wells	\$27/hr.
Elementary School/ ECLC	Bilingual/ESL Advisor, Grades 3-5	Ana Cruz	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Bilingual/ESL Advisor, PreK-2	Sabrina Sheerin	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Enrichment Extended Learning Program Advisor	Elizabeth Lundberg	\$27/hr.
Elementary School/ ECLC	ESEA School Improvement Leader, Grades 1-5, AAA	Michele Falco	\$2,700
Elementary School/ ECLC	ESEA School Improvement Leader, Grades 1-5, GLC	Maria Maisto, Kelly Stone	\$2,700 (split)
Elementary School/ ECLC	ESEA School Improvement Leader, Grades 1-5, GRE	Amanda MacDonald	\$2,700

Elementary School/ ECLC	ESEA School Improvement Leader, K	(JMF): Marianne Carr (MA): Janise Stout (LWC): Felicia Clark	\$2,700
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Custodian	(GLC): Alfred Burrell (GRE): Joseph Lebron (AAA): Richard Morgan	\$2,000
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - English/Language Arts, AAA	Erin Hennelly	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - English/Language Arts, GLC	Laurie DeMuro	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - English/Language Arts, GRE	Nicole Howell	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - Mathematics, AAA	Cheryl Martin	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - Mathematics, GLC	Maria Maisto	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - Mathematics, GRE	Melissa Joyce	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Head Teacher - Special Education	Amanda MacDonald	\$3,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Lead2Succeed After School Program Tutors, AWC	Emily Bryk, Sarah Hansen, Victoria Leotsakas	\$27/hr.
Elementary School/ ECLC	Team Leader - LAUNCH Engineering Magnet, GLC	Lisa Roesch	\$2,900
Elementary School/ ECLC	Team Leader - Leader in Me Magnet, GRE	Christina Marra	\$2,900

Elementary School/ ECLC	Team Leader - Visual & Performing Arts (VPA), AAA	Melissa Heggie	\$2,900
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), AAA	Denise Woolley	\$5,200
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), AWC	Kirsty Corcoran	\$2,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), GLC	Sarah Kaplan	\$5,200
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), GRE	Erika Tornquist	\$5,200
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), JMF	Lauren Toffel	\$2,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), LWC	Christine Vincelli	\$2,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Technology/Distance Learning Advisor (TDLA), MOR	Janise Stout	\$2,600
Elementary School/ ECLC	Title I Tutors (Grant Funded)	(LWC): Tanisha Allbright, Ingrid Guzman-Cameron, Lori Valentine (JMF): Caitlyn Cannito, Lauren Flynn (MA): Tracey Cistaro, Elizabeth Lundberg, Melanie Monteiro-Rovinsky, Janna Montague (AAA): Melissa Heggie, Adrienne Scognamiglio (GRE): Jessica Dayton, Marissa Gomez, Megan Renzo-Mazza (GLC): Bruna Cale, Amanda Camporeale, Michele Morey, Kelli Shaughnessy, Kelly Stone	\$27/hr.

Elementary School/ ECLC	Breakfast Monitor	(JMF): Caitlin Cannito (LWC): Felicia Clark (MA): Tracey Cistaro, Jolie Dynak (AAA): Shamika Blue, Farra Caputo, Lee Carey, Marjorie Chulsky, Andrew Critelli, Yoselin Gomez, Beth Gregory, Emily Grosiak, Erin Hennelly, Deirdre Howard, Yvette Mayo, Mary Mazzacco, Correne Rodas, Kerry Santos, Adrienne Scognamiglio, Blair Sliazis, Caitlyn Sorrentino, Lauren Sweet, Denise Woolley (GRE): Rachael Bottone, Ana Frazao, Christina Marra, Mary McGee, Margaret Marzullo, Edna Newman, Jamil Pitts, Erin Schoonveld, Lori Scotto, Stacy Simms, Rene Yennella (GLC): Bruna Cale, Barbra Costello, Stefania DeSouza-Favareto, Jennifer Gonzalez, Ryan Krywinski, Maria Maisto, Michele Morey, Michelle Newberry, Lisa Roesch, Sandra Rosa, Erica Soto, Gabriela Stanziale, Holly Terracciano	\$15/ session
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Elementary School/ ECLC	Lunchroom Monitor	(GLC): Burak Ates, Bruna Cale, Kristin Ciccone, Barbra Costello, Laurie DeMuro, Stefania DeSouza-Favareto, Cari Greenwood, Nancy Jones, Jussara Lins, Maria Maisto, Angela Matty, Jose Melendez, Michele Morey, Michelle Newberry, Kalliopi Papayiannis, Sandra Rosa, Kelli Shaughnessy, Erica Soto, Gabriella Stanziale, Helena Taborda, Holly Terracciano, Patrick Tracey, Kelly Vargas, Meredith Weinstein, Kaitlyn White (AAA): Batuhan Ates, Shamika Blue, Farra Caputo, Lee Carey, Patricia Caulfield, Melissa Christopher, Marjorie Chulsky, Ardenia Clayton, Andrew Critelli, Ana Cruz, Judith Edwards, Carol Emick, Francesca Fantini, Yoselin Gomez, Jamie Gough, Nikita Grinnell, Emily Grosiak, Erin Hennelly, Deirdre Howard, Blair Kiss, Lyn-Anne Klinga, Cheryl Martin, Yvette Mayo, Mary Mazzacco, Micah McKinney, Susan McNerney, Leovigilda Perez, Marie Popo, Correne Rodas, Adrienne Scognamiglio, Solange Simpson, Blair Sliasis, Stephanie Sniffen, Lauren Sweet, Roszita Tatum, Alexandra Vialonga, Diane Wartmann, Angel Whaley, Denise Woolley, Gina Zinski (GRE): Shannon Booth, Jessica Dayton, Joseph DeFillipo, Francesca Fantini, Ana Frazao, Julisa Frazier, Marissa Gomez, Hadija Haskovic, Maribel Hernandez, Melissa Joyce, Terrence King, Lucy Lemaszewski, Jennifer Leonhardt, Amanda Macdonald, Christina Marra, Elizabeth Marrin, Margaret Marzullo, Michael McLaughlin, Dawnn Montijo, Edna Newman, Jamil Pitts, Megan Renzo-Mazza, Brian Roberts, Jessica Rodriguez, Kechla Rodriguez, Erin Schoonveld, Lori Scotto, Meredith Sinnett, Erika Tornquist, Milagritos Turner, Rene Yennella	\$23/ session
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Motion by Tasha Youngblood Brown, second by Armand Zambrano to approve items 5J - 5M..

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Abstain: Joseph M Ferraina; Rick Garlipp - 5M only

Motion Carries

N. ANNUAL STIPEND POSITIONS - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following annual district stipend positions listed below:

LOCATION	STIPEND TITLE	STAFF NAME	RATE
District	After School Academic Programs (ASAP) Substitute Teachers (STEAM)	Theresa Zambrano	\$28/hr.

District	Building Security	Eric Peters	\$20/hr.
District	Building Site Supervisor	Eric Peters	\$30/hr.
Middle School	Extended Detention	Eric Peters	\$27/hr.
Middle School	Interscholastic Athletic/Recreation Activities Advisor	Eric Peters	\$3,000
Middle School	Saturday Detention	Eric Peters	\$27/hr.
Middle School	Breakfast Monitor	Eric Peters	\$15/session
Middle School	Lunchroom Monitor	Eric Peters	\$23/session

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown.

Yea: Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Abstain: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano

Motion Carries

O. BILINGUAL INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANT STIPEND - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the bilingual instructional assistant stipend as listed below:

POSITION	STAFF MEMBER	RATE
Bilingual Instructional Assistant	(LWC): Gricelda Martinez, Mariana Moreno, Tarik Simpson, Cynthia Soria, Karen Stout, Linda Vieira (GRE): Maribel Hernandez (AWC): Valeria Garcia, Mirella Gonzalez (MS): Miguel Espinosa, Lizbeth Flores Lucero, Yessika Moreno, Rute Nunes-Bento, Ninoshka Ortiz Rivas, Ivette Sanabria Mendoza, Lorena Santiago Garcia, Rocio Tenhunen (HS): Stephanie Andrade, Karina Castro Godinez, Ana Hinojosa, Molly Leon Chavez, Rosa Melo	\$550/each

P. COACHING/ATHLETIC STIPEND POSITIONS - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following coaching/athletic stipend position:

LOCATION	POSITION	STAFF MEMBER	AMOUNT
District	Athletic Event Workers	Jeremy Rosa, Kelly Treshock	Paid Per Athletic Event Fee Schedule

Q. COACHING/ATHLETIC STIPEND POSITIONS - FALL 2025

That the Board approve/ratify the following coaching/athletic stipend positions:

LOCATION	CATEGORY	POSITION	STAFF MEMBER	STEP	AMOUNT
High School	2	Boys Varsity Soccer - Volunteer Coach	Robert Nelli	-	-
High School	2	Boys Freshman Soccer - Head Coach	Jenna Karabin	1	\$4,000
High School	3	Girls Varsity Tennis - Head Coach	Jillian Olsen	1	\$4,000
High School	3	Girls Varsity Tennis - Assistant Coach	Amanda Olsen	4	\$4,000

R. COACHING/ATHLETIC STIPEND POSITIONS - WINTER 2025-2026

That the Board approve/ratify the following coaching/athletic stipend positions:

LOCATION	CATEGORY	POSITION	STAFF MEMBER	STEP	AMOUNT
Middle School	1	Boys Basketball - Head Coach	Joseph Whalen	3	\$4,700

S. CHANGE IN TRAINING LEVEL - 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the change in training level for the following individual effective August 1, 2025:

NYKEIRAH JONES, School Social Worker, moving from MA to MA+30 on the teacher's salary guide.

JANNA MONTAGUE, Teacher, moving from BA to MA on the teacher's salary guide.

ASHLEIGH PRINCE, Teacher, moving from MA to MA+30 on the teacher's salary guide.

EMILY ZONIN, Teacher, moving from BA to MA on the teacher's salary guide.

T. SUMMER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT - AUGUST 19, 2025 & AUGUST 21, 2025

That the Board approve/ratify the following summer professional development position listed below:

POSITION	DATE	SESSION	STAFF MEMBER	RATE
I-Ready Literacy Screener (FOCUS Grant Funded)	August 19 th	1	Felicia Clark, Francine Marucci	\$25.13/hr. (not to exceed 3 hours)
I-Ready Literacy Screener (FOCUS Grant Funded)	August 19 th	2	Patricia Caulfield, Julisa Frazier, Blair Kiss, Paige Morton, Sandra Oliveira, Erin Schoonveld, Meredith Sinnett, Meghann Southwood, Lauren Sweet, Michael Vieira	\$25.13/hr. (not to exceed 3 hours)
I-Ready Literacy Screener (FOCUS Grant Funded)	August 21 st	3	Beth Applegate, Jacqueline Aquino, Laurie DeMuro, Ana Frazao, Christina Marra, Mary Mazzacco, Mary McGee, Michelle Newberry, Kelly Vargas, Diane Wartmann	\$25.13/hr. (not to exceed 3 hours)

I-Ready Literacy Screener (FOCUS Grant Funded)	August 21 st	4	Erin Hennelly, Elizabeth Lundberg, Stephanie Sniffen	\$25.13/hr. (not to exceed 3 hours)
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U. APPROVAL TO CHARGE SALARIES TO FEDERAL GRANTS FOR FY2026

That the Board approve/ratify the following individual and their respective allocation of federal salaries to be charged to the federal ESEA grant for FY2026 as listed:

NAME	GRANT	AMOUNT
Alexandra Generelli	IDEA	\$29,793.00

V. PROJECT LEAD THE WAY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

That the Board approve/ratify the attendance of the following staff member at the training listed below.

Name	Cost	Position	Conference	Sponsored By	Dates	Location	Account #
Nemeil Navarro	\$25.24/hr for 81 hours from 7/7/25 -8/1/25 (Not to exceed 85 hours)	PLTW Teacher	Introduction to Engineering Design	Project Lead the Way	07/07/2025 through 08/01/2025	Virtual/On Line	15-000-223-500-168-01-44

W. TEACHER/MENTOR PROGRAM - EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025

That the Board approve the following individuals to assume the position of Mentor annually for a 1 year term.

LOCATION	TEACHER	MENTOR	RATE
High School	Tatiana Alves Adamczyk	Maryanne Galloway	\$550**
George L. Catrambone	Jacqueline Aquino	Johanna Mozo	\$550
Middle School	Irene Bacigalupi	Angela Napoli	\$550**
Gregory School	Jordyn Bell	Melissa Joyce	\$550
High School	Aric Blount	Alex Smiga	\$550
Audrey W. Clark	Jessica Borrero-Vega	Willie Hampton	\$550*
Middle School	Laura Brienza	Lori Olson	\$550*
Middle School	Paul Brunner	Kimberly Hoyle	\$550
Joseph M. Ferraina ECLC	Talia Calabrese	Alexandra Casares	\$550**
Pupil Personnel Services	Stefanie Camardo	Kirsten Coughlin	\$550*
High School	Brittany Caputo	William Rohr	\$550*
High School	Nicole Cocco	Alyson Stagich	\$550*
High School	Sonia Cohen	Alexis Corbett	\$1,000
Middle School	Liam Connolly	Sandra Rahilly	\$550
Gregory School	Rebecca Cusanelli	Ebone Lawrence-Smith	\$550*
High School	Lucilia Da Silva -Moniz	Raquel Rosa	\$550
Middle School	Kasey Darrah	Kristie Madson	\$1,000
Lenna E. Conrow School	Karen Degnan	Kim Porzio	\$550*

High School	Natalie DellaRagione	Chelsea Byrne	\$550
Middle School	Audrey Ehrensperger	Alyssa Morgan	\$1,000
Middle School	Emily Feldman	Matthew Bufano	\$550**
Gregory School	Carmen Fisher-Olvera	Jennifer Leonhardt	\$550
Middle School	Georgianna Flagg	Cynthia Crisanaz	\$550*
High School	Eamon Flynn	Connor Keating	\$1,000
High School	Deandra Foti	Lauren Sergeant	\$550
High School	Jodi Gregg	Stephanie Brito	\$1,000
High School	Kaitlyn Hodges	Robert Clark	\$1,000
High School	Jenna Karabin	Tara Cooper	\$550
Lenna W. Conrow School	Stephanie Malick	Leah Limardo	\$1,000
High School	Julia Mandarino	Amanda Roa-Rosales	\$1,000
High School	Erin McBride	Meagan Cook	\$550
Gregory School	Gabriella Montoya	Nicole Howell	\$550
Middle School	Robert Nelli	John Sneddon	\$550*
Middle School	Anna Pells	Angela Napoli	\$550*
Amerigo A. Anastasia School	Ashleigh Prince	Beth Gregory	\$550*
Amerigo A. Anastasia School	Amy Quinones	Diane Anthony	\$550*
Middle School	Justin Ross	Louis DeAngelis	\$550*
Audrey W. Clark	George Saives	Kim Mancini-Parisi	\$550*
Middle School	Jennifer Scheid	Melissa Trace	\$550*
Gregory School	Madison Suarez	Christina Marra	\$1,000
Pupil Personnel Services	Brittany Troncone	Emily Grosiak	\$550**
Gregory School	Maritza Vides	Jamil Pitts	\$550*

*Provided by The Board of Education

**Balance of 24-25 Mentoring

X. STUDENT TEACHER/INTERN PLACEMENT

That the individual listed be authorized to conduct their student teaching in the Long Branch Public Schools as indicated during the 2025-2026 school year. Long Branch Public School employees must complete their student teaching and/or internship outside of their contractual hours:

Attending School/Student	Pairing / Location	Attending Dates
Kylie King - Monmouth University	Quinn Batcho - AWC	September 2025 - May 2026

Y. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

That the Board approve the family/medical leave of absences listed:

INTENTION TO RETURN FROM FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE

EMP ID 4284, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 4550, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 4860, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID, 7029 effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 7369, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 7375, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 7888, effective July 14, 2025.

EMP ID 8135, effective July 7, 2025.

EMP ID 8872, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 8911, effective September 1, 2025.

EMP ID 8903, effective November 17, 2025.

FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING SICK DAYS

EMP ID 6879, from September 1, 2025 to December 4, 2025.

EMP ID 7888, from June 22, 2025 to July 8, 2025.

EMP ID 8187, from September 22, 2025 to October 30, 2025.

EMP ID 8340, from November 10, 2025 to January 31, 2026.

EMP ID 8861, from September 2, 2025 to October 1, 2025.

EMP ID 8888, from September 22, 2025 to October 20, 2025.

FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING URGENT BUSINESS DAYS

EMP ID 7888, for June 9, 2025.

EMP ID 8187, from October 31, 2025, November 10, 2025 and November 11, 2025.

EMP ID 8888, from September 21, 2025 to September 23, 2025.

FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING VACATION DAYS

EMP ID 7888, for June 10, 2025 and June 11, 2025.

EMP ID 8888, from September 24, 2025 to November 5, 2025.

FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING UNPAID DAYS

EMP ID 6879, from December 5, 2025 to March 31, 2026.

EMP ID 8861, from October 2, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

EMP ID 8888, from November 6, 2025 to March 20, 2026.

PERSONAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING UNPAID DAYS

EMP ID 8638, from September 2, 2025 to January 4, 2026.

MILITARY LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING UNPAID DAYS

EMP ID 8286, from August 11, 2025 to August 22, 2025; October 30, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

REQUEST TO EXTEND FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING SICK DAYS

EMP ID 4155, from September 2, 2025 to December 23, 2025.

REQUEST TO EXTEND FAMILY/MEDICAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE USING UNPAID DAYS

EMP ID 7837, from January 5, 2026 to February 2, 2026.

EMP ID 8805, from September 2, 2025 to September 30, 2025.

EMP ID 8903, from September 2, 2025 to November 14, 2025.

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown to approve items 5O - 5Y
 Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman
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6. STUDENT ACTION - The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following:

A. APPROVAL OF MONTHLY HIB REPORT P.L. 2010. C. 122 (A-3466)

That the Board approve the monthly report as required by statute.

Reporting Period - July 14, 2025 - August 18, 2025

Summary: Total: Zero (0) investigations, zero (0) incidents confirmed as HIB

B. PLACEMENT OF OUT OF DISTRICT STUDENTS FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve the following placement of out of district students for the 2025 - 2026 school year:

EAST MOUNTAIN

Belle Meade, NJ

Tuition: \$81,826.50

Trans:

Effective Dates: 7/7/25-6/18/26

ID#: 20270484, classified as Eligible for Special Education & related services

LEGACY

Hainesport, NJ

Tuition:\$100,161.60

Trans.

Effective Dates: 7/7/25-6/18/26

ID#: 20270068, classified as Eligible for Special Education & related services

LEHMANN SCHOOL

Lakewood, N.J.

Tuition: \$99,110.12

Trans:

Effective Dates: 7/1/25-6/30/26

ID#: 20325221, classified as Eligible for Special Education & related services

COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND

ID#: 20389889

\$2541.00

ID#: 20326552

\$2541.00

ID#: 20281213

\$2541.00

ID#: 110650014

\$2541.00

ID#: 20357543

\$2541.00

ID#: 20326044

\$16,863.00

SUMMIT SCHOOL

New Providence, NJ

ID#: 20368385

\$27,000.00

ID#: 20368384

\$18,000.00

ID#: 20391081

\$9,000.00

ID#: 20316774

\$9,000.00

ID#: 20336050

\$18,000.00

C. PLACEMENT OF TUITION-IN STUDENT FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

That the Board approve/ratify the following placement of tuition-in students for the 2025-2026 school year:

OCEANPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

ID#: 20298170

Placement: Audrey W. Clark School

Tuition: \$66,597.39

Effective Date: 9/4/25

NEPTUNE SCHOOL DISTRICT

ID#: 203610634

Placement: Audrey W. Clark School

Tuition: \$67,522.08

Effective Date: 9/4/25

MONMOUTH REGIONAL HS

ID#: 111200080

Tuition: \$17,656.65 (ESY ONLY)

MATAWAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

ID#: 202910862

Placement: Audrey W. Clark School

Tuition: \$57,083.48

Effective Date: 9/4/25

ID#: 202710086

Placement: Audrey W. Clark School

Tuition: \$66,597.30

Effective Date: 9/4/25

KEYPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

ID#: 20276761

Placement: Audrey W. Clark School

Tuition: \$66,597.39

Effective Date: 9/4/25

D. FIELD TRIPS

That the Board approve the Field Trips indicated below and made part of the permanent minutes upon Board approval.

7. CORRECTIONS/REVISION TO MINUTES

That the Board approve/ratify the corrections/revisions to minutes listed:

June 18, 2025**SUMMER STIPEND POSITIONS - SUMMER 2025**

STEAM Safe School - Tariq Durant. This should have read ESY Safe School.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

EMP ID 8612 - should have read EMP ID 6464 leave of absence using sick days from May 7, 2025 to June 22, 2025

and use of vacation days June 23, 2025 to June 30, 2025.

July 22, 2025

APPROVAL OF ATTENDANCE AT THE NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARD ASSOCIATION CUBE CONFERENCE - SEPTEMBER 10 - 13, 2025

That the Board approve Jon Zimmerman and Dominic Sama to attend the National School Board Association CUBE Conference in Los Angeles, California from September 10 - 13, 2025 at a cost not to exceed \$2,406.17 per person. This should have read Violeta Peters and not Jon Zimmerman.

RETURNING SUBSTITUTE NURSE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR:

Should not have included Flavia Robey

SUBSTITUTE CUSTODIANS 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Should have read Ynmaculada Amparo Cepeda, and Lyda Herrera Lopez.

APPOINTMENT OF CERTIFIED STAFF

Nuha Othman - Step 10. This should have read Step 10-11.

Amy Quinones - Step 10. This should have read Step 10-11.

Justin Ross - Step 10. This should have read Step 10-11.

STUDENT/TEACHER INTERN

Nicole Clark to be moved from Jennifer Glover to Andrew Damato at AWC

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown to approve items 6A - 7.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

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8. OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Ruby Nazon
19 Morrell Street

Ms. Nazon addressed the Board on item N in the agenda, Annual Stipends. She stated that the stipend she requested, lunch monitor, was not granted to her although she has held that position for many years. She called the school secretary and did not receive a response, She stated that she is respectfully requesting she be reconsidered for this position as she believes she possesses the necessary qualifications.

Mr. Rodriguez - I will reach out to you personally tomorrow.

Gregory Uberto
55 Chelsea Avenue

Mr. Uberto asked if the district offers industrial arts classes.

Mr. Rodriguez - Yes, we offer a carpentry class where we work with local unions and we are also looking to add additional trades. If you have any insight to additional programs please let me know.

Mr. Uberto was pleased to hear that we offer industrial arts classes stating that it is important for students to learn about the trades that are available to them after graduation.

Mr. Rodriguez - When you look at our Strategic Plan, Portrait of a Graduate, the art work was done by one of our seniors. We encourage our families that we envision all Long Branch students leaving Long Branch for college, career or military as well so there are new pathways to insure that they are

successful. We strongly encourage the trades and we visit other districts that have other trades available to see how that works for Long Branch.

9. ADJOURNMENT - 6:39 P.M.

Motion by Rick Garlipp, second by Tasha Youngblood Brown.

Yea: Violeta Peters, Armand Zambrano, Joseph M Ferraina, Rick Garlipp, Tasha Youngblood Brown, Theresa Dangler, Tony Valdiviezo, Dominic Sama, Jon Zimmerman

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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School Business Administrator/Board Secretary