

Board Briefs August 23, 2022

The following information contains highlights from the August 23, 2022, Readington Board of Education meeting. For complete minutes, please check the district website on or about September 13, 2022.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Hart provided an update on the summer projects being completed this summer throughout the district. In addition, Dr. Hart shared a presentation on the district's Enrollment/Redistricting status. Please <u>click here</u> to view the presentation. The Board discussed and tentatively agreed to have the October 11 Board Meeting start at 6:00 p.m.

Finance and Facilities

- The district bill list was approved.
- The district travel schedule was approved.
- The bus routes for the 2022-2023 school year were approved.
- Intra-district mileage rates were adopted.
- A resolution opposing the proposed increase to the School Employees Health Benefits Program was adopted.
- The Board authorized the use of an RFP process to procure the services of a consultant for the procurement and development of a cell tower on district property.

Education/Technology

- The HSA fundraisers were approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- The Out of District student contracts were approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- LearnWell was approved to provide home instruction for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Answer at Rutgers University was approved as a consultant to assist in training, development, and presentation on the revised New Jersey Student Learning Standards for comprehensive health and physical education for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Curriculum was approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Student teacher/student observation placements were approved at Whitehouse School and Holland Brook School for the 2022-2023 school year.

<u>Personnel</u>

- The following resignation was approved: Jennifer Ulla/Aide-Special Education.
- The following appointments were ratified and approved: Christine Parolise/LA Teacher-RMS; Jemma Buccine/Math Teacher-RMS; Christopher Bolotov/SE Teacher-WHS; Stevie Ader/LTS Science Teacher-RMS; Gianna DeSapio/Aide-TBS; Nicole Smith/Aide-TBS; Susan Zimmerman/LTS-SE Teacher-RMS; Kelsey Shebey/LTS-Science Teacher-RMS; Errol Jimenez-Rojas/Head Custodian-WHS; Krystiana Sellers/PT PE Teacher-TBS/WHS; Krystiana Sellers/PT Aide-TBS; Alexa Smith/Aide-WHS; Angela Hendricks/LTS-LA Teacher-RMS; Beverly Betsko/Assistant Dispatcher/Clerk-Transportation; and Jolene Mizsak/LTS-Speech Language Specialist-TBS.

- The following appointments were approved: Virginia Petzinger/Bus Driver-Transportation; Jennifer Rourke/PT Aide-HBS; Jennifer Rourke/PT SE Teacher-HBS; Katherine Pomeisl/Aide-HBS; and Jessica Gass-Aide-HBS.
- The following staff member was approved as a Substitute Bus Driver: Jose Fernandez.
- The Paraprofessional hours for the 2022-2023 school year were approved.
- The Bus Driver and Cafeteria Aide hours for the 2022-2023 school year were approved.
- Anthony Tumolo was approved as Acting Principal of Three Bridges School beginning on August 24, 2022 through tentatively September 30, 2022.
- Summer Teacher Academy stipends were approved for teachers participating in the 2022 Summer Teacher Academy sessions.
- Mentors were approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Thank you and recognition stipends were approved.
- Readington Middle School coaching assignments were approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Central Office Detention and Homework Room Advisors were approved for the 2022-2023 school year.
- All staff were approved as substitutes for stipends listed in the RTEA Collective Bargaining Agreement for the 2022-2023 school year.
- The district was approved to join Central Jersey Program for the Recruitment of Diverse Educators (CJ Pride) to assist with the recruitment and acquisition of staff for the 2022-2023 school year.
- The appointment of Dana Silva/Aide Special Education for the 2022-2023 school year was rescinded.

Communication

• One bylaw and seven policies for first reading were approved.

Unfinished Business

• The Board Retreat Survey and Board Goals for the 2022-2023 school year were discussed.

New Business from Board

- The Green Committee shared an update.
- The NJSBA Convention dates of October 24-26, 2022 were shared.

The next Board of Education meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 13, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.** to be held in person in the Board Conference Room located in the Board of Education Office Wing of Holland Brook School or you may join us virtually via the following link:

Meeting ID meet.google.com/aty-ryrz-qqj

> Phone Numbers (US)+1 901-310-2971 PIN: 937 202 059#

Please review the agenda that will be posted on September 9, 2022.

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