

# BOARD BRIEFS JULY 25, 2017

The following information contains highlights from the July 25, 2017 Readington Board of Education meeting. For complete minutes from this meeting, please check the district website on or about August 30, 2017.

### Superintendent's Report

Karen Tucker, Supervisor of Pupil Services, presented the Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying (HIB) Self-Assessment Report.

## Finance/Facilities

- The IDEA (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act) grant application submission and acceptance of Basic funds in the amount of \$363,743 and Preschool funds in the amount of \$13,281 were approved.
- A shared services agreement for Board Certified Behavior Analyst services between the district and Hunterdon Central Regional High School was approved.
- A motion to accept State Extraordinary Special Education Aid in the amount of \$169,386 was passed.
- The final <u>lead testing laboratory results</u> were accepted, and a motion to submit a reimbursement application from the State of New Jersey was approved for lead testing sampling and lab results.
- Funding from Schools Development Authority for roofing at Three Bridges School in the amount of \$247,589.98 and at Whitehouse School in the amount of \$147,659.19 was accepted.

#### Education/Technology

- A NJ DOH wellness grant in the amount of \$4,000 for the soft fitness room and a Gardinier Environmental Fund grant in the amount of \$10,000 for mobile energy labs at each school and the RMS Sustainable World elective class were accepted for Readington Middle School.
- A donation from the Home School Association in the amount of \$754 was accepted for a Readington Middle School 7th grade science curriculum project.

#### **Personnel**

- Jim Casertano and Paul Yunos were approved as RMS Athletic Coordinators for the 2017-2018 school year, and RMS Fall 2017 coaches were approved.
- The following appointments were affirmed: Colleen Caballero (RMS Spanish Teacher); Christopher Marion (RMS/HBS G&T Teacher); Sharon Cerverizzo (WHS Grade 2 Teacher); Anne Romano (TBS Media Specialist); Allison Lovering (RMS Language Arts Teacher); and Megan Sloan (HBS Special Education Teacher).
- The resignations of Juanita Hromoho (Bus Driver) and Emerald Ridente (Bus Driver/RMS Cafeteria Aide) were accepted.
- The retirement of Mary Fuchs (RMS Special Education Teacher) was acknowledged with appreciation for her years of service, effective October 1, 2017.
- Jennifer Sharo was approved as a Special Education Leave Replacement Teacher at HBS for the 2017-2018 school year.

#### **Communications**

• Fifteen policies and nine regulations were approved for second reading and adopted.

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The next Board of Education meeting is scheduled for August 29, 2017 at 5:00 PM in the Board meeting room at Holland Brook School. Please review the agenda that will be posted on Friday, August 25, 2017 and consider attending.