

# **Board Briefs** February 20, 2024

The following information contains highlights from the February 20, 2024, Readington Board of Education meeting. Please check the district website on or about March 13, 2024, for complete minutes.

### **Superintendent Report**

Dr. Hart introduced the following department budget presentations:

- Curriculum, Professional Development Dr. Brown, Ms. Pauch, Ms Krial
- Technology Mr. Belske
- Pupil Services Ms. Beegle, Mr. Tumolo
- Facilities Mr. Race
- Transportation Ms. Cole
- Administration, Personnel and Benefits Mr. Bohm

Dr. Hart and Dr. Cerciello announced the resignation of Board Member Christina Napoli. The Board will interview candidates tonight in Executive Session.

# **Resignation of Board Member**

• The resignation of Christina Napoli, effective January 25, 2024, was accepted.

## **Administrative Reports**

- The January Enrollment Drill Report was approved.
- The RMS Quarterly Discipline Report Quarter 2 was approved.
- One HIB report and the Superintendent's decision were accepted and affirmed.

#### Finance/Facilities

- The district bill list was approved.
- The district travel schedule was approved.
- The Emergent and Capital Maintenance Needs Grant from the State of New Jersey for capital projects and maintenance relating to safe and healthy learning environments was approved.
- The revised intra-district mileage rate was approved.
- A donation of Kings gift cards through Gift Card Bank was approved.
- The designation of Capital Reserve Funds for the local share of the State SDA Project and School Facilities DOE Project Readington Middle School Roof Project was approved.
- The State Funding support in the form of a Grant for the State SDA Project and School Facilities DOE Project Readington Middle School Roof Project was approved.
- The Delegation of Authority to Jason M. Bohm for supervision of the School Facilities SDA Project and School Facilities DOE Project Readington Middle School Roof was approved.

# **Education/Technology**

- Additional field trips were approved for Readington Middle School.
- Fundraisers for Readington Middle School were approved.
- The Summer Spark enrichment program courses were approved for the weeks of July 15-19 and July 22-25, 2024.

#### Personnel

- The following appointments were approved: Michele Adamitis/RMS-LTS Science Teacher, and Maureen Woerner/RMS-LTS Special Education Teacher.
- The following position control change and designated transfer were approved for the 2024-2025 school year: Dr. Jonathan Moss/HBS-Principal.
- The following appointments were ratified and accepted: Lily Santo/HBS-LTS Art Teacher, Anna Malin Lago/TBS-Paraprofessional, and Bobbie Friedhoff/TBS-Paraprofessional.
- The following resignation was approved: Jacqueline Campanale/RMS-Paraprofessional.
- The following retirement was approved with appreciation for years of service: Linda Giorgianni/Transportation-Bus Driver.
- Substitute appointments were accepted.
- The following salary increase in recognition attainment of additional credits for lateral movement per the RTEA Guide was approved for Angela Hendricks-RMS.
- A special skills stipend was approved for Kimberly Pfauth for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Other leave was approved for staff member #6851 for the period of December 15, 2023 February 29, 2024.
- Stipends were approved for teachers facilitating the 2024 Spring Teacher Academy Sessions.
- Prep-time stipends were approved for teachers facilitating InService Day Sessions.
- Staff members were approved to participate in the Parent Academy Night at the contractual rate.
- Staff members were approved for Summer Spark enrichment curriculum writing at the contractual rate.
- An increase in hours for the following teachers was approved to provide coverage: Noelle Henderson and Kathryn O'Connor.
- The following appointment was ratified and approved: Denise Hawkins/RMS-Art Club Chaperone.
- The following staff members were approved to provide nursing services paid through the Preschool Expansion Aid for the 2023-2024 school year: Stephanie Armstrong and Katie Lynch.
- The following mentor for Alexander Bors/WHS-TBS LTS PE Health Teacher was approved for the 2023-2024 school year: Laurie Levesque.

#### **Communications**

- Two policies for second reading were approved.
- The revised 2023-2024 District Calendar was approved. Please <u>click here</u> to view.

The next Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 12, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. to be held in person in the Board Conference Room in the Board of Education office wing of Holland Brook School. To join via YouTube, please click here. Please review the agenda that will be posted on March 8, 2024.