

# THE ENGLEWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION

## AGENDA – SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING

October 6, 2022

5:30 p.m.

The Englewood Board of Education has scheduled a Special Public Meeting for Thursday, October 6, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at Dr. John Grieco Elementary School, 50 Durie Avenue, or you can click the link below to join the webinar.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88097025970>

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**Webinar ID: 880 9702 5970**

If an individual joins the meeting over the phone, they may press \*9 to raise their hand.

Written public comments may be submitted to the Business Administrator by Wednesday, October 5, 2022, at 5:30 PM via regular mail or email at [cballetto@epsd.org](mailto:cballetto@epsd.org).

### **I. CALL TO ORDER STATEMENT – Board of Education President**

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed and acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act, the Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be posted in the Board Office, City Clerk's Office, Public Library, and all Englewood public schools and e-mailed or faxed to the Record, Suburbanite, Presidents of the ETA and EAA, Presidents of parent-teacher organizations and any person who has requested individual notice and paid the required fee.

### **II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**III. ROLL CALL** Angela David, Eric Montano, Suzanne Mullings, Sheri Banks-Watson,  
Tamar Blumenthal, Ronique Hicks, Scott Reddin, William Feinstein, David Matthews

### **IV. DISTRICT AND BOARD GOAL SETTING**

### **V. PUBLIC COMMENT ON CONSENT AGENDA ONLY**



**BOARD**

**23-B-10 APPROVAL – 2022-2023 ENGLEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT CORE GOALS**

WHEREAS, the Englewood Board of Education adopts the following Core Goals:

Goal 1: Curriculum Planning Development and Instructional Leadership

Provide a continuously challenging and rigorous academic curriculum for all students with teaching techniques and instructional resources to maximize student achievement.

Goal 2: Leadership & District Culture

The district will provide leadership in establishing a climate that empowers students, parents and staff and develops a shared vision, helps shape school culture and climate, and understands multi-cultural and ethnic differences.

Goal 3: Communications & Community Relations

The district will establish and maintain effective, responsive, two-way communication with students, staff, parents, and the community, which includes meaningful partnerships with community leaders, organizations, and entities that enrich the student experience.

Goal 4: Organizational Management

Financial and Capital Resources will be effectively allocated after careful analysis of student data to align academic need to ensure the effective of resources.

Goal 5: School Safety and Security

Provide a secure environment in which the district establishes procedures and resources to promote a safe learning environment, which is conducive to achieving the academic and social-emotional goals of all students.

**23-B-11 APPROVAL – ENGLEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT VISION STATEMENT**

WHEREAS, the Englewood Board of Education adopts the following Vision Statement:

- EBOE is committed to increase student achievement by working to ensure that each student is at or above grade level throughout the district by providing professional staff with the knowledge, skills, resources, and freedom necessary for highly effective delivery of instruction and services and by utilizing valid data to measure student progress by determining the academic distance traveled and social emotional growth of each student by providing tools promoting positive attitude behaviors and recognizing diversity so that they see the potential in each student to reach high levels of achievement.

**23-B-12 APPROVAL – 2022-2023 ENGLEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT FOCUS GOALS**

**Focus Goal #1** Develop, implement, promote and monitor an action plan that rebrands the District by strengthening and promoting our innovative programs that helps students succeed

**Focus Goal #2:**Plan, prepare ad coordinate the necessary components for a full NJQSAC (New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continium) review and an effective district rating in areas of Instruction &Program, Fiscal, Governance, Operations, and Personnel.

**Focus Goal #3:** Develop and implement a proactive plan to attract and retain highly qualified and certified professionals for all positions.

**Focus Goal #4:** Research, develop, and implement a discipline program aligned to the principles of PBIS, Restorative Justice, unconscious bias, and create Culturally Responsive Classrooms;

**Focus Goal #5:** All staff and students shall be trained and be made aware of all security protocols and procedures to prevent and respond to emergency situations.

**Focus Goal #6** The number of students overall and for each subgroup measured for accountability achieving proficiency on Grades 3-8 ELA, Math and Science state assessments will increase as follows:

- a. 20% of students who scored at Level 1 on the 2021-22 assessments will improve to Levels 2, 3, and 4 in the 2022-23 school year.
- b. 20% of students who scored at Level 2 on the 2021-22 assessments will improve to Levels 3 and 4 in the 2022-23 school year.
- c. Increase the high school graduation rate by 3% to 5% above the graduation rate from the 2021-22 school year.
- d. Administration will report to the Board Student Academic Progress in PreKindergarten through Grade.