

**EDGEWATER BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
AGENDA
JUNE 30, 2020 10:00 AM**

CALL TO ORDER SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

MS. KATHLEEN MARANO, INTERIM BOARD SECRETARY, CALLED THE ROLL:

TRUSTEE	ATTENDANCE	TRUSTEE	ATTENDANCE
Mr. Greenspan		Mrs. Stefani-Rackow	
Mrs. Klein		Mr. Quinton	
Ms. Ling			

A. Open Public Meeting Act Statement:

Mr. Quinton read the following: "The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with Executive Order 107, which encourages all public entities, including school boards, to "conduct all public meetings subject to the Open Public Meetings Act exclusively using communications equipment," and according to A-3850, which allows such public entities to issue notice of meetings electronically via the internet during a declared emergency, in lieu of the standard method of providing notice. Notice has been posted on the District website.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Public Attendance:

ADMINISTRATOR	POSITION	ATTENDANCE
Dr. Kerry Postma	Chief School Administrator	
Ms. Kathleen Marano	Interim Board Secretary	
Mr. Angelo DeSimone	State Monitor	

I. Action Items: Personnel

Resolution #1

WHEREAS, the District has experienced a budgetary deficit and thus, in order to balance the budget, the Superintendent of Schools has recommended that the following positions be abolished with an effective date of July 1, 2020:

1	Full-time school nurse
1	Full-time art teacher
1	Part-time (0.77) art teacher
2	Full-time music teachers
1	Full-time PE teacher
1	Part-time (0.77) PE teacher
2	Full-time media specialists
1	Full-time world language teacher

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1	Full-time Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant
1	Full-time Supervisor of Child Study Team
1	Full-time school psychologist
2	Full-time guidance counselors
1	Full-time ESL/bilingual Korean ESL teacher
20	Full-time elementary education teachers (pre-k-Grade 6)
2	Full time ESL teachers
1	Remedial reading teacher
5	Full-time special education teachers
1	Full-time supervisor of curriculum & Instruction
2	Full-time assistants to the Head of Facilities
3	Full-time custodians
9	Part-time custodian
1	Full-time secretary of the Child Study Team
1	Full-time principal
1	Full-time Superintendent
21	Part-time aides

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:28-9 provides that a board of education has the right to reduce the number of teaching staff members employed in the district whenever, in the judgment of the board, it is advisable to abolish any such positions for reasons of economy, because of a reduction in the number of pupils, because of a change in the administrative or supervisory organization of the District, or for other good cause;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board approves the abolishment of the above-reference positions for reasons of economy effective July 1, 2020.

Resolution #2

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools has recommended a reduction in force due to economy of the following positions; and

WHEREAS, the Board has approved the abolishment of the following positions effective July 1, 2020;

1	Full-time school nurse
1	Full-time art teacher
1	Part-time (0.77) art teacher
2	Full-time music teachers
1	Full-time PE teacher
1	Part-time (0.77) PE teacher
2	Full-time media specialists
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9	Part-time custodian
1	Full-time secretary of the Child Study Team
1	Full-time principal
1	Full-time Superintendent
21	Part-time aides

NOW THEREFORE, the Board approves the establishment of the following positions:

1	Full-time registered nurse
1	Part-time (0.5 FTE) Art teacher
1	Part time (0.5 FTE) Music teacher
1	Part-time (0.5 FTE) PE Teacher
1	Part-time (0.5 FTE) Media Specialist
1	Full-time Supervisor of Child Study Team/School Psychologist
1	Part-time (0.5 FTE) ESL/Bilingual Korean ESL Teacher
2	Full-time Elementary/ESL Education Teachers
8	Temporary, 5-month full-time Elementary Education teachers (PreK-6)
1	Temporary, 5-month full-time remedial reading teacher
1	Full-time custodian/bus drive
1	Full-time Superintendent/Principal

Motion: _____, 2nd: _____

ROLL CALL

Mr. Greenspan _____ Mrs. Klein _____ Ms. Ling _____ Mrs. Stefani-Rackow _____ Mr. Quinton _____

ACTION OF THE BOARD _____

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II. TO OPEN PUBLIC ADDRESS (3 MINUTES PER PERSON, 15 MINUTES MAX)

Motion: _____, 2nd: _____

ROLL CALL

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ACTION OF THE BOARD _____

III. TO CLOSE PUBLIC SESSION

Motion: _____, 2nd: _____

ROLL CALL

Mr. Greenspan _____ Mrs. Klein _____ Ms. Ling _____ Mrs. Stefani-Rackow _____ Mr. Quinton _____

ACTION OF THE BOARD _____

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: _____, 2nd: _____

ROLL CALL

Mr. Greenspan _____ Mrs. Klein _____ Ms. Ling _____ Mrs. Stefani-Rackow _____ Mr. Quinton _____

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