

BROOKFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION
Brookfield Public Schools
REGULAR MEETING - WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2020
TOWN SCHOOL OFFICE CURRICULUM ROOM
7:00 p.m.
AGENDA

In accordance with Executive Order 7B, suspending Sections 1-206, 1-225, and 1-226 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the public will not be able to attend this meeting in person, but will have the ability to view or listen to the meeting in real time by way Brookfield Board of Education YouTube Channel URL: <https://youtu.be/EnrfVgfMRws>

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All speakers taking part in the meeting are reminded that they are to clearly state their names and titles, if applicable, before speaking on each occasion that they speak. Individuals wishing to participate in the public comment portion of this meeting may do so by calling the following number(s):

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Meeting ID: 950 8423 8281

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

The Board of Education welcomes public comment. Individuals or groups may address the Board concerning any subject which is within the Board's jurisdiction. Three minutes will be allotted to each speaker. Comments and questions at a regular meeting may deal with any topic related to the Board's management of the schools. Discussion of personnel or of individual members of the Board shall not be considered appropriate.

V. WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE

VI. APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the minutes listed below as recommended:

Regular Meeting- 8/19/2020

Special Meeting- 8/24/2020

EXHIBIT A

EXHIBIT B

VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

VIII. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

None

IX. CONSENT AGENDA

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the items on the consent agenda as recommended:

NEW HIRES:

Philip McArdle, (1.0) Physics Teacher at BHS. Effective 9/8/2020 replacing J. Gambino who resigned.

Laurie Haskins, (1.0) Para-Educator at CES. Effective 8/31/2020 replacing O. Rothman-Weitzman who retired.

Samantha Kayser, (1.0) Literacy Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/21/2020 replacing E. Conlan who resigned.

Ilene Kramer, (1.0) Para-Educator at CES. Effective 8/31/2020 replacing A. Barletta who resigned.

Shaina Stebbins, (1.0) Special Education Teacher at HHES. Effective 8/21/2020 replacing K. Pannoza who moved to WMS replacing S. Symon who resigned.

Emily Petrini – (1.0) Para-Educator at CES. Effective 8/31/2020 replacing J. Martone-Miller who retired.

Andrew Steinbeiser, (1.0) English Teacher at BHS. Effective 8/21/2020 replacing Trish O’Connor who resigned.

Claudia Teves, (1.0) Literacy Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/25/2020 replacing K. Priest who resigned.

Kristy Trotta, (1.0) School Counselor at WMS. Effective 8/21/2020 replacing K. Litts who resigned.

RESIGNATIONS:

Angela Bogardus, (1.0) Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/17/2020. For personal reasons.

Emily Conlan, (1.0) Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/18/2020. Going to another district in CT.

Amy Cote, (.7) Music Teacher at CES. Effective 9/17/2020. Going to another district in CT for a full time position.

Joseph Gambino, (1.0) Teacher at BHS. Effective 8/7/2020. Leaving the Teaching profession.

Kristianna Litts, (1.0) School Counselor at WMS. Effective 8/17/2020. Going to another district in CT.

Kaitlin Priest, (1.0) Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/6/2020. Going to another district in CT.

RETIREMENTS:

Susan Crean, (1.0) School Library Media Specialist at WMS. Effective 9/1/2020 after 21 years of teaching in Brookfield.

X. NEW BUSINESS

A. APPROVAL OF NURSES CONTRACT

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the successor contract between the Brookfield Board of Education and the Brookfield Nurses Union.

B. APPROVAL OF SECRETARIAL CONTRACT

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the successor contract between the Brookfield Board of Education and the Brookfield Secretaries Union.

C. APPROVAL OF ABA PARAEDUCATOR POSITIONS

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve three ABA Paraeducator positions to replace the contracted services with IPPI as requested by Superintendent Dr. John Barile, and as outlined in the attached memo dated September 2, 2020.

EXHIBIT C

D. BUDGET TRANSFER

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve a budget transfer to fund the three ABA Paraeducator positions.

EXHIBIT D

E. SUMMER TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

Recommended Action: that the Board receive an update on summer technology projects as presented by Technology Director Eric Conklin.

F. SUMMER/FALL ATHLETICS UPDATE

Recommended Action: that the Board receive an update on summer/fall athletics as presented by Athletic Director Steve Baldwin.

XII. OLD BUSINESS

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

Recommended Action: that the Board receive an update on the new school building project.

3 MAIN POINTS

Upcoming Events

XIII. ADJOURNMENT