

## **WATERBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION**

### *MINUTES ~ REGULAR MEETING*

Thursday, May 20, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

Virtual Meeting via ZOOM

*In an effort to adhere to social distancing guidelines, this meeting was held without normal in-person public access. However, the meeting was broadcasted live on the City of Waterbury's Government Access Channel (Comcast 96, Frontier 6096), streamed live at [streamed live on YouTube at https://youtu.be/4c3CU\\_jRHgA](https://youtu.be/4c3CU_jRHgA), or listened to via teleconference by calling 1-701-802-5303 with access code 7755337.*

**PRESENT:** Commissioners Brown, Harvey, Nardozzi, Orso, Stango, Sweeney, and Van Stone.

**ABSENT:** President Pagano, Commissioners Hernandez and Serrano-Adorno.

**ALSO PRESENT:** Superintendent Verna D. Ruffin, Chief Financial Officer Doreen Biolo, Assistant Superintendent Noreen Buckley, Assistant Superintendent Janice Epperson, Assistant Superintendent Juan Mendoza, Chief Academic Officer Darren Schwartz, Attorney Tara Shaw, and Director of Communications Sujata Wycoff.

### **1. SILENT PRAYER**

*Vice President Harvey called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with a moment of silence.*

SUPERINTENDENT: In our moment of silence this evening let us remember former members of the Waterbury Public Schools education community who have passed away:

- *Joseph Meaney:* Former house principal at West Side Middle School, principal at Bucks Hill and Bunker Hill Schools, and acting principal at Wallace Middle School from which he retired. Passed away on April 5, 2021.
- *Perla Reyes-Riveras:* 6<sup>th</sup> grade student at Waterbury Arts Magnet School. Passed away on April 26, 2021.
- *Anne Balfe:* Retired Hopeville Elementary School teacher. Passed away on April 27, 2021.
- *Harriet Sauer:* Former teacher at Chase Elementary School. Passed away on April 29, 2021.
- *Elio Gugliotti:* Retired World Language teacher of Spanish and Italian at Crosby High School. Passed away on May 2, 2021.
- *Melvin Jones:* Retired math teacher at Wilby High School. Passed away on May 7, 2021.
- *Judith DiDomizio:* Former tutor of the hearing impaired. Passed away on May 10, 2021.

- *Mary Murphy Smith*: Former Wilby High School teacher. Passed away on May 13, 2021.

## **2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

*Vice President Harvey led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.*

## **3. ROLL CALL**

CLERK: Commissioner Brown.

BROWN: Here.

CLERK: Vice President Harvey.

HARVEY: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Hernandez (absent). Commissioner Nardozzi.

NARDOZZI: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Orso.

ORSO: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Serrano-Adorno (absent). Commissioner Stango.

STANGO: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Sweeney.

SWEENEY: Here.

CLERK: Commissioner Van Stone.

T. VAN STONE: Present.

CLERK: President Pagano (absent).

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item 11.7, CT Office of Early Childhood Smart Start for Recover Grant-Operating Expenses, to the agenda.**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Orso, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item 11.8, CT Office of Early Childhood Smart Start for Recover Grant-Capital Improvements, to the agenda.**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item A-1, appointment of an Elementary Vice Principal for Chase School, to the agenda.**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item A-2, appointment of an Elementary Vice Principal for Duggan School, to the agenda.**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item A-3, appointment of an Elementary Vice Principal for Hopeville School, to the agenda.**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to amend the agenda to add item A-4, appointment of an Elementary Vice Principal for Tinker School, to the agenda.**

#### **4. COMMUNICATIONS**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Orso, it was voted unanimously to receive and place on file the following communications as listed:**

- a) Copy of communication dated April 7, 2021 from Civil Service offering employment as Food Service Worker to Agenlys Negrón.
- b) Copy of communications dated April 9, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Kenrick Johnson for the position of Maintainer I and Noelia Giusti for the position of School Secretary.
- c) Copy of communication dated April 12, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Krista DiGiovancarlo for the position of School Secretary.
- d) Copy of communications dated April 15, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Daniel Barry for the position of School Safety and Security Director and Nicholas Priebe for the position of Maintainer I.
- e) Email communication from CABA dated April 16, 2021 regarding Policy Highlights.
- f) Copy of communication dated April 20, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Leeroy De La Cruz-Castellano for the position of Maintainer I.
- g) Copy of communication dated April 21, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Stephanie Dunn for Administrative Associate III.
- h) Copy of communications dated April 22, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Nicole Williams and David Lavigne for the position of Maintainer I.
- i) Copy of communication dated April 23, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Michael Derasmo for the position of Maintainer I.
- j) Copy of communication dated April 26, 2021 from Civil Service to Jose Custodia and John Belfiore regarding temporary and at will employment as Temporary Maintainer I.
- k) Email communication dated April 30, 2021 from CABA regarding Policy Highlights.
- l) Copy of communications dated April 30, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Marquis Watson and Javier Rivera for the position of Maintainer I.

- m) Copy of communication dated May 11, 2021 from Civil Service to Joel Cruz regarding temporary and at will employment for the position of Temporary Maintainer I.
- n) Copy of communications dated May 11, 2021 from Civil Service certifying Lakisha Beary, Gina Boisvert, Jennifer Downey, Senay Onur, Beatrice Vaitkus, and Dianna Whitlock for the position of Food Service Helper

## **5. PUBLIC ADDRESSES THE BOARD**

*The public was offered the opportunity to address the Board during the public portion of the meeting by calling 1-701-802-5303 with access code 7755337 between 6:00 and 6:15 p.m.*

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to suspend the regular order of business at 6:38 p.m. to allow the public to address the Board.**

*Ms. Kylie Hayward called to speak but due to technical difficulties was unable to be heard. Ms. Hayward was contacted the following day.*

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to return to the regular order of business at 6:40 p.m.**

## **6. SUPERINTENDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*Dr. Ruffin shared a PowerPoint presentation with the Board with information on the following:*

- CABA Student Leadership Award recipients.
- Middle School Summer STEM Camp.
- Waterbury Career Academy's recognition by U.S. News and World Report
- Principal Gopie's selection as a member of the Commissioner on Public Elementary, Middle, and High Schools.

## **7. PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS**

Vice President Harvey congratulated the Teachers of the Year and Jason Martinez for his achievement; commended the students for their engagement in the book chat with Dr. Jewell Parker Rhodes on the book *Ghost Boys*; and spoke about the upcoming medical symposium.

## **8. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES' COMMENTS**

*There were no student representatives present.*

*Vice President Harvey proceeded to read the Consent Calendar, Items 9.1 through 9.10.*

## **9. CONSENT CALENDAR**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Brown and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to approve the Consent Calendar, items 9.1 through 9.10, as listed:**

- 9.1 The Committee of the Whole recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve the Waterbury Adult Education Graduation Requirements as outlined in the attached and as listed:
- Beginning with School Year 2021/2022 – the Waterbury Adult Education High School Credit Diploma requirements shall increase from 21 credits to 22 credits.
  - Beginning with School Year 2022/2023 and beyond – the Waterbury Adult Education High School Credit Diploma requirements shall increase from 22 credits to 25 credits.
- 9.2 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education authorize Dr. Verna D. Ruffin, Superintendent of Schools, to sign the ED-099 Agreement for Child Nutrition Programs and to sign claims for reimbursement for the same, as attached. Further, in the absence or incapacity of the first designated individual, Doreen Biolo, Chief Financial Officer, is authorized to sign claims for reimbursement.
- 9.3 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve to apply for the Connecticut State Department Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Secondary Supplemental Enhancement Grant 2021.
- 9.4 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve to apply for the CT Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection Division of Emergency Management & Homeland Security School Security Competitive Grant Program, Round 5 (2021).
- 9.5 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve Amendment One to the Professional Services Agreement with EBS Healthcare, Inc. for Registered Behavioral Technician Services.
- 9.6 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education ratify the submission of the Connecticut State Department of Education, Bureau of Health/Nutrition, Family Services and Adult Education, Supplemental Grant Application for Adult Education, Cooperating Entity/Literacy Volunteers of Greater Waterbury.
- 9.7 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve a Service Agreement with Durham School Services, Limited Partnerships, for a five-year period, to provide student bus transportation services/regular education bus transportation services.
- 9.8 The Committee on Finance recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve a Services Agreement with All-Star Transportation, LLC, for a five-year period, for Student Bus Transportation Services/Special Education Bus Transportation Services.

- 9.9 The Committee on Building & School Facilities recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve the use of school facilities, at no charge, by the following school organizations and/or City departments:

GROUP	FACILITIES and DATES/TIMES
Park & Rec. V. Cuevas	Crosby, Wallace, Wilby, North End: 6/17/21 – 8/9/21, Mon. thru Fri. Aud., gym, pool - 7:30am – 3:00pm (summer rec. program) Kennedy pool: 6/28/21 – 8/6/21, 8:30am – 8:00pm, Mon. thru Fri. (Learn to swim program)
L. Richard	Career Academy rooms 426 & 416: June 22, 23, and 24, 7:30am – 5:00pm (CNA state testing for WCA and KHS)
*Park & Rec. V. Cuevas	Kennedy pool: June 14, 10am – 9pm (lifeguard certification) June 21, 11am – 8pm and June 22 & 23, 9am – 1pm (lifeguard training for Learn 2 Swim Program)

- 9.10 The Committee on Building & School Facilities recommends the Waterbury Board of Education approve the use of school facilities by groups and organizations subject to fees and insurance as required:

GROUP	FACILITIES and DATES/TIMES
<u>GROUPS NOT SUBJECT TO FEES OR WAIVER DUE TO TIME OF USE OR PREVIOUS WAIVER:</u>	
Wtby. Symphony Orchestra: D. Donato	WAMS Courtyard 6/12/21 9:00am – 7:00pm (Gershwin Concert Performance)
Special Olympics N. Cook	Crosby track: Sat., June 19 <sup>th</sup> 7:30am – 5:00pm (Wtby. Special Olympics track practice)
*P.A.L. Sgt. Bessette	Wilby gym: 7/5 – 8/13/21 4-9 PM Mon.-Fri. (basketball summer league only needing gym if raining)

**10. ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT**

*There were no items removed from the Consent Calendar.*

**11. COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

- 11.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to approve a Contract with Hertz Furniture Systems, LLC, for locker replacement at Driggs and Sprague Schools.
- 11.2 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to approve a Contract with National Equipment and Facility Solutions, Inc. for telescopic bleacher replacement at Crosby and Kennedy High Schools.
- 11.3 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to approve a Contract

with M. J. Fahy & Sons Incorporated for rooftop HVAC unit replacements at Bucks Hill Elementary, Chase Elementary, Wilson Elementary, and West Side Middle Schools.

**11.4 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney it was voted unanimously to approve a Contract with Richards Corporation for concrete stairs replacement at Wilson School.**

**11.5 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to approve a State of Connecticut Purchase of Service Contract Amendment, at no cost, for the Support for Pregnant and Parenting Teens, Women, Fathers and Their Families (SPPT) Program.**

**11.6 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to approve the following transfers for fiscal year 2020/2021:**

<u>Acct. Unit</u>	<u>Account Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<b>FROM:</b>		
87510301	511212 Curriculum - Substitute Teachers	(\$1,450,000)
88031006	511225 Operation & Maintenance - Maintenance Non Certified	(\$500,000)
88031006	511226 Operation & Maintenance - Maintainers	(\$975,000)
88510001	511228 Special Education - Paraprofessionals	(\$1,000,000)
88510001	511102 Special Education - Teachers	(\$100,000)
88510002	511108 Special Education - School Psychologists	(\$300,000)
88510002	511109 Special Education - School Social Workers	(\$120,000)
88510002	511110 Special Education - Speech Pathologists	(\$140,000)
89010508	511220 Fiscal Services- Fiscal Administration	(\$80,000)
89011008	511201 Human Resources - Non Certified	(\$135,000)
81310005	511101 Hopeville- Administrator	(\$65,000)
81610005	511101 Duggan - Administrator	(\$105,000)
81710005	511101 Reed Administrator	(\$50,000)
82010005	511101 Tinker - Administrator	(\$63,000)
86210005	511101 Crosby - Administrator	(\$108,000)
<b>TO:</b>		
87510001	522501 District Wide - Health Benefit Fund	\$2,000,000
88031006	591002 Operation & Maintenance - Sinking Fund	\$3,191,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>(\$5,191,000) \$5,191,000</b>

**11.7 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to approve to apply for the CT Office of Early Childhood Smart Start for Recovery Grant 2021- Operating Expenses.**

**11.8 Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to approve to apply for**

the CT Office of Early Childhood Smart Start for Recovery Grant 2021-  
Capital Improvements.

## **12. COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES**

- 12.1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Stango, it was voted unanimously to approve that WTA Grievance 20-21-18, heard by the Committee on May 12, 2021, be DENIED.

### ***EXECUTIVE SESSION***

Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Nardozzi, it was voted unanimously to convene into executive session at 7:01 p.m. for discussion concerning the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

Present: Commissioners Brown, Harvey, Nardozzi, Orso, Stango, Sweeney, and Van Stone.  
Also Present: Dr. Ruffin and Mr. Mendoza.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Sweeney and duly seconded by Commissioner Brown, it was voted unanimously to return to the regular order of business at 7:11 p.m. with no votes taken

## **COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL PERSONNEL**

- A-1 Upon a motion by Commissioner Stango and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously, by roll call vote, to approve the appointment of Mario Milo as Elementary Vice Principal, Chase School, effective immediately.
- A-2 Upon a motion by Commissioner Stango and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously, by roll call vote, to approve the appointment of Carla Fidanza as Elementary Vice Principal, Duggan School, effective immediately.
- A-3 Upon a motion by Commissioner Stango and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously, by roll call vote, to approve the appointment of Julissa Crespo as Elementary Vice Principal, Hopeville School, effective immediately.
- A-4 Upon a motion by Commissioner Stango and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously, by roll call vote, to approve the appointment of Lisa M. Romano as Elementary Vice Principal, Tinker School, effective immediately.

## **13. SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTIFICATION TO THE BOARD**



**Upon a motion by Commissioner Brown and duly seconded by Commissioner Sweeney, it was voted unanimously to receive and place on file items 13.1 through 13.10, Superintendent’s Notification to the Board, as listed:**

**13.1 Athletic appointments:**

Galante, Joseph – KHS Freshman Baseball coach, effective 05/07/21.

**13.2 Appointments:**

Buonocore, Taylor – Substitute Teacher, Maloney After School Program.

Purnawasi, Muniram – Commissioner’s Network After School Math Teacher.

Desjardins, Melissa – We Are Wallace Mentor Position.

Moriarty, Shea – Summer Enrichment Coordinator, funded by ESSER 2.

Selenica, Sonja – Summer Enrichment Coordinator, funded by ESSER 2

**13.3 Grant funded appointments:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position/Location</b>	<b>FT/PT</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Union</b>	<b>Effective</b>
Michael Marshall Sr.	Hall Monitor/WAMS	PT	\$90/day	Non	05/06/2021
William McLean	Custodian/Security Aide Adult Education	PT	\$12.00/hr	Non	04/29/2021
Erika Michie	Secretary I Adult Education	PT	\$14.00/hr	Non	05/06/2021
Kathy Curtis	Promotion to Office Manager/Educational Grants Office	FT	\$23.00/hr	UPSEU-69	05/13/2021
Phyllis Grassi	Accountant 2 Business Office	FT	\$23.25/hr	UPSEU-69	05/27/2021
Diana Kamo	Transfer from Paraprofessional to Classroom Assistant/Sprague	FT	\$17.75/hr	UPSEU-68	06/17/2021
Jeffrey Lapham	Grants Coordinator 21 <sup>st</sup> Century & SDE Grants/ Education Office	FT	\$31.21/hr	Non	05/27/2021

**13.4 Summer Curriculum Committee appointments:**

**FINE ARTS:**

Wojcik, Jennifer – Music

Vagnini, Marianna – Music

Hodge, Jill – Art

Dunn-Brown, Fallon-Gay – Theatre

Smyth, Susan – Theatre

Nazario, Jonathan – Music

Zareck, Corrin – Art

Porcaro, Stefanie - Art

Illian, Dea – Dance

Wirth, Cheryl - Dance

**CAREER& TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION:**

Bunko, Katie – CTE

Desantis, Paula – CTE

Lucian, David – CTE

Mucciacciaro, Kathryn – CTE

Caron Lichaj, Nicole – CTE

Hind, Sandra – CTE

Moulthrop, Barbara – CTE

Swanson, Lisa – CTE

SECONDARY MATH:

Byron, Danielle  
Grove, Melinda  
LeVasseur, Armand  
Munoz, Kelly  
Poulter, Kara

DeVeau, Nicole  
Holden, Kimberly  
Morin, Keith  
Pelosi, Emily  
Sullivan, Carly

SOCIAL STUDIES:

Fitzpatrick, Karlyn  
Dudley, Alexandra

Joyce, Angela

LIBRARY MEDIA:

Albert, Kristen  
Hinton, Marci

Brown, Charlene  
Neff, Michelle

SECONDARY ENGLISH:

*Middle School:*

Zupperoli, Robert  
Rosa, Jennifer  
Mancini-Bellemare, Doris  
Pratt, Lena  
Kulesza, Kimberly  
Carpenter, Ryan

*High School:*

Esther Hartzell  
Kristin Winstanley  
Stephanie LaBonte  
Rachel Fox  
Heather DeVeau  
Kelly Donohue  
Lauren Franks-Blanchard  
Kara Riley

*Middle School Leads:*

Lucille Rivera  
Mallory Brito

*High School Leads:*

Patricia Williams  
Evette Zappone

*Curriculum Web Master:*

Michael Pannoni

SCIENCE:

Borges, Laura  
Clark, Meredith  
Davitt, Robin  
Kumar, Usha  
Lee, Yolanda  
Lounsbury, Alan  
Ortiz, Alyson  
Quattro, Marissa  
Stowe, Eileen  
Vostinak, Julie

Carpenter, Sarah  
Culver, Edwin  
Kilpatrick, Sean  
Lapointe, Mike  
Lestage, Jackie  
Munoz, Angela  
Pedalino, Rachel  
Stokes, Blair  
Thomas, Laura

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

Acevedo, Paul  
Katrenya, Wesley  
Opalenik, Michelle  
Tansley, Stephen

Froese, Justin  
Martinez, Jason  
Salemme, Cassandra  
Thibodeau, Hannah

**SCHOOL COUNSELOR:**

Cancro, Dana  
 Fortier, Joseph  
 Moutinho, Ashley  
 Sejdaras, Benjola

Desjardins, Melissa  
 Kabusk, Alyssa  
 Poulter, Craig

13.5 Academic Achievements effective March 1, 2021:

<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Degree/Step From</b>	<b>Degree/Step To</b>	<b>University</b>
Acevedo	Paul	MA+15/16	6th/16	Un. Bridgeport
Arcamone	Daniele	MA/6	MA+15/6	Un. Hartford
Avzhiu	Bjanka	MA+15/6	6th/6	Un. Bridgeport
Bleau	Lisa	BA/3	MA/3	Central CT State Un.
Buonocore	Nicole	M15/12	6th/12	Augustana Un.
Burns	Cynthia	MA/7	6th/7	Western Governors Un.
Caligiuri	Kristen	6th/11	6th+15/11	Augustana Un.
Capaldo	Christine	6th/12	6th+15/12	Augustana Un.
Cassone	Kelly	6th/7	6th+15/7	Un. St. Joseph
Chiucarello	Lindsay	6th/4	6th+15/4	Un. Central Missouri
Conte	Joseph	M15/7	6th/7	Greenville U/So. New Hamp. U/Concordia U
Cremens	Lauren	M15/11	6th/11	Un. St. Joseph
Driscoll	Timothy	M15/12	6th/12	So. New Hampshire Un./Walden Un.
Dudley	Alexandrea	BA/7	MA/7	St. Joseph College
Dunn Brown	Fallon Gay	BA/4	MA/4	Liberty Un.
Fortier	Joseph	M15/7	6th/7	Central CT State Un.
Fusco	Sara	M15/4	6th/4	Greenville U/Dominican U
Giannelli	Alexandra	6th/2	6th+15/2	Un. St. Joseph
Hinton	Marci	M15/20	6th/20	Un. New England
Kalnis	Siobhan	M15/10	6th/10	Greenville U/Dominican U
Kulesza	Kimberly	6th/8	6th+15/8	Un. New England
Mancini-Bellemare	Doris	M15/14	6th/14	So. New Hampshire Un.
Mendello	Joseph	MA/6	M15/6	Un. Bridgeport
Milkovic	Katherine	M15/11	6th/11	Augustana Un.
Moquete	Geraldine	6th/13	6th+15/13	Teachers Columbia U/Hunter Col./Walden Un.
Moreno-Lopez	Ruben	M15/7	6th/7	Un. Bridgeport
Munro	Cara	6th/11	6th+15/11	Southern CT State Un.
Radzimirski	Abigail	M15/4	6th/4	Augustana Un.
Yamashita-Iverson	Kazumi	6th/16	6th+15/16	Un. Bridgeport
Perlini	Jocelyn	BA/3	MA/3	Western Governors Un.
Rynar	Lynn	6th/11	6th+15/11	Medaile/So. New Hampshire U
Stango	Kerry	BA/4	MA/4	Un. St. Joseph

13.6 Teacher new hires:

<b>Name</b>		<b>Position</b>		<b>Effective</b>
Campbell	Lloyd	Chase	Counselor	4/29/2021
Rutherford-Blowes	Deanna	District Wide	SLP	5/7/2021
Murphy	Amber	Bucks Hill	Counselor	5/6/2021
Provost (Rodriguez)	Meghan	Kennedy	Special Ed	3/25/2021
Lee	Jessica	Wallace	ELA	4/26/2021
Tyriq	Viola	Generali	Gr 2	4/29/2021

13.7 Teacher clean opening transfers effective 2021/2022 school year:

<b>NAME</b>		<b>FROM: Previous School (temporary assignment)</b>	<b>TO: New School (permanent assignment)</b>
Accomando	Taylor	Maloney Pre-K Spec. Ed	Maloney Pre-K Spec. Ed
Bickley	Robert	Wilby Science Biology & Environmental Science	Wilby Science Biology & Environmental Science
Burns	Dorothy	Duggan Gr K Co-Taught	Duggan Gr K Co-Taught
Camacho	Reuel	NEMS Music - Chorus	NEMS Music - Chorus
Cassidy	Lauren	NEMS Special Ed MS - ABA	NEMS Spec. Ed MS - ABA
Cummings	Thomas	Wallace SEL Counselor	Wallace SEL Counselor
Garcia-Pillot	Zulma M.	WSMS Bilingual Science Gr 6-8	WSMS Bilingual Science Gr 6-8
Giannelli	Alexandra	Maloney Special Ed Elem.	Maloney Special Ed Elem.
Jacobs	Tahida	Kennedy Guid. Counselor	Kennedy Guid. Counselor
Jones	Michael	Crosby ELS HS	Crosby ELA HS
Kozma	Tarra	WAMS Guid. Counselor.	WAMS Guid. Counselor
Lee	Jessica	Wallace ELA Gr 6	Wallace ELA Gr 6
LeVasseur	Daniel	Wilson Math/Science Gr 5	Wilson Math/Science Gr 5
Munoz	Trevor	Wallace Social Studies	Wallace Social Studies
Muro	Candida	Rotella Gr 4	Rotella Gr 4
Muro	Nancy	Wilby FCS - Life Skills & Child Development	Wilby FCS - Life Skills & Child Development
Notchick	Maria	NEMS ELA Gr 6	NEMS ELA Gr 6
Perusse	Joseph	Wilby Tech Ed - Architectural CAD I	Wilby Tech Ed - Architectural CAD I
Pete	Latasha	Wallace Math Lab	Wallace Math Lab
Poveda	Carlos	Academic Academy Spanish MS	Academic Academy Spanish MS
Provost Rodriguez	Meghan	Kennedy Special Ed -CBT	Kennedy Special Ed -CBT
Rosado	Debra	Wallace SEL Counselor	Wallace SEL Counselor
Rose	Valerie	Generali Gr K	Generali Gr K
Rutherford-Blowes	Deanna	Districtwide SLP	Districtwide SLP
Sterner	Matthew	WSMS Special Ed	WSMS Special Ed
Tragni	Peter	NEMS SEL Counselor	NEMS SEL Counselor
Weinstein	Irene	Tinker Library Media	Tinker Library Media
Wojtunik	Katilynn	Regan Gr 1	Regan Gr 1
Zamora	Angel	Districtwide SLP	Districtwide SLP

13.8 Teacher clean opening transfers effective 2021/2022 school year:

NAME		FROM:	TO:
Cremins	Alison	WSMS ELA Gr 7	Kennedy Literacy Title I
Danay (McDonell)	Cassi	Crosby ELA HS	CHS Early College High ELA
Diaz	Elaine	WCA Human Services	Bucks Hill Annex Pre-K Reg. Ed
Durante	Janelle	Washington Gr 5	Walsh Gr 5
Griffin-Crosby	Denise	Reed ELA Gr 6	Carrington ELA Gr 6
Lee-Gorishti	Yolanda	CHS Physical Science HS	WCA Physical Science HS
Lund	Melissa	NEMS Computer Education Gr 6-8	WAMS Business
Matarazzo	Kristen	Generali Gr 3	Generali Gr K
Rivera Arroyo	Kalryn	Generali Gr 1	Generali Gr 2
Therault	Patricia	WAMS Science MS	Enlightenment ELA MS
Thompson	Barbara	Bunker Hill Special Ed Elem	Reed Special Ed - Essential Skills
Valenti	Michele	Wallace Math Gr 6	Wallace Computer Education/Business
Viegas	Stacy	Wilson Art	Kingsbury Art
Wiener	Matthew	Enlightenment ELA HS	Kennedy ELA Hs

13.9 Retirements:


- Barbiero, Lois – Wilby ELA, effective 06/30/21.
- Chapman, Maria – Bucks Hill Literacy Facilitator, effective 04/30/21.
- Cyr, Gilman Jr. – KHS Biology, effective 06/16/21.
- Muro, Nancy – WHS FCS, effective 06/16/21.
- Murray, Paul – Maloney Math, effective 06/30/21.

13.10 Resignations:

- Cassella, Andrea – Hopeville Grade 2, effective 06/16/21
- Douglas, Lydia – Enlightenment Art, effective 06/16/21.
- Provoost, Jacqueline – Washington ESL, effective 06/16/21.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Upon a motion by Commissioner Orso and duly seconded by Commissioner Nardozzi, it was voted unanimously to adjourn at 7:19 p.m.**

ATTEST:   
 Carrie A. Swain, Clerk  
 Board of Education