

**REGULAR SESSION  
ALLENDALE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Wednesday, September 14, 2022**

**CALL TO ORDER**

7:00 p.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT**

The public has been duly informed of this meeting in accordance with Chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1975 by posting at least 48 hours prior notice on the District website, bulletin boards in Brookside School and Hillside School and by like 48 hours prior notice to the Borough Clerk, the designated newspapers, and interested parties requesting such notification.

**ROLL CALL**

**MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC - AGENDA ITEMS ONLY**

Board President will inform the public of Bylaw 0167 procedures.

**BOARD PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS**

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

Stephen Fogarty, Esq.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Buildings & Grounds

Policy

Finance

Education

Technology

Negotiations

**MINUTES:**

BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the minutes of the following meetings:

August 25, 2022	Executive Session
August 25, 2022	Regular Session

**PERSONNEL**

1. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the additional following Summer Curriculum Work at the rate of \$40/hour, total \$1040.00, as follows:

Subject/Grade	Project and Outcome	Teachers	Number of People Involved	Hours Per Participant	Total Hours
Science/K-8		A. Spagnulo	1	10	10
K-8	New Teacher Orientation	L. Heitman D. Walter	2	8	16

2. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the appointment of Lara Megalos as a Full-Time Special Education Aide in the Allendale School District for the 2022-2023 school year at a salary of \$27,766, Step 5 on the Salary Guide for Full-Time Special Education Aides.
3. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the appointment of Linda Rutz as a Full-Time Special Education Aide in the Allendale School District for the 2022-2023 school year at a salary of \$29,949, Step 7 on the Salary Guide for Full-Time Special Education Aides.
4. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to retroactively approve payment to the following staff members for attending Tools of the Mind training on August 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022, as follows:

Subject/Grade	Professional Development	Teachers	Hourly Rate	Hours per participant	Total Amount
Preschool	Tools of the Mind Training	B. Valenti	\$40.00	14	\$560.00
Preschool	Tools of the Mind Training	C. Sander	\$22.67	14	\$317.38

5. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the following staff members as mentors for our new teachers for the 2022-2023 school year as shown below:

Mentor	Mentee
Emma Brooke	Luke S. Zottoli {Special Education Teacher} (DOE Mentoring Program, \$550 pay deduction)
Laura Heitman	Andrea Languidey {Kindergarten Teacher} (DOE Mentoring Program, \$550 pay deduction)
Deborah Demeduk	Crystal Santiago {Special Education Teacher} (Allendale Mentoring Program, \$550 District funds)

**EDUCATION**

1. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the District’s Nursing Services Plan for 2022-2023, as per Education Attachment I.
2. BE IT RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the awarded AFEE grant for the Playworks Recess Implementation Training dates on Tuesday, October 11, 2022 {Full Day} and Monday, November 21, 2022 {Half Day}.
3. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to Bergen County Special Services School District for Audiological: Educational Audiology services to be provided for a maximum of (5) five hours, as needed, during the 2022-2023 school year, for the following student X000405, at a rate not to exceed \$940 as recommended by the 504 Committee.

**SPECIAL EDUCATION:**

1. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to retroactively approve payment to The New England Center for Children for the Autism Curriculum Encyclopedia (ACE) covering the months of July and August, 2022, at the rate of \$44.95, per student for three students, as recommended by the Child Study Team.
2. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to any and all F/T Special Education Paraprofessionals supporting Special Education students throughout the 2022-2023 school year, at their respective hourly rates, for District extra-curricular activities, including but not limited to: Cross Country and Track practice/meets; before and after school Brookside Band rehearsals; Fall/Spring play and musical rehearsals and performances; Brookside Band and Chorus evening performances; *(final payment will be determined based on approved*

*Supplemental Pay Request*), as per the students' IEPs and as recommended by the Child Study Team.

3. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to retroactively approve payment to Teresa Merchant for one hour to attend an IEP meeting for Special Education student #001413 on August 30, 2022, as recommended by the Child Study Team.
4. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to School Based Therapy Services for occupational therapy services for Special Education student #001016 for 1x30 min/week for the 2022-2023 school year, as per the student's IEP, and as recommended by the Child Study Team.
5. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to School Based Therapy Services for occupational therapy services for Special Education student #001705 for 1x30 min/week for the 2022-2023 school year, as per the student's IEP, and as recommended by the Child Study Team.
6. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to Rickard Rehabilitation Services for physical therapy services for Special Education student #001705 for 1x30 min/week for the 2022-2023 school year, as per the student's IEP, and as recommended by the Child Study Team.
7. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the anticipated contract with Bergen County Special Services School District for: Educational Audiology services to be provided as needed during the 2022-2023 school year to include, 2 x 30 minutes/per week Teacher of the Deaf services, and 1 x 45 minutes/week for Auditory Verbal Therapy for Special Education student #001705, as per the student's IEP and as recommended by the Child Study Team.
8. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to School Based Therapy Services for an occupational therapy observation for Special Education student #001401, and as recommended by the Child Study Team.
9. BE IT RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve payment to Region V for a Social History evaluation and report for Special Education student #000226, as recommended by the Child Study Team.

### **BUSINESS OFFICE/FINANCE**

1. BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the Bill List dated September 14, 2022, in the amount of \$258,158.24 as per Business Attachment I.

## **BUILDINGS & GROUNDS**

1. BE IT RESOLVED, to approve the - Allendale Parent Teacher Organization and Class of 2023 as Approved Organizations, and Additional Insureds under the Allendale BOE Liability Policy, and to approve the Use of Facilities Request Applications and Agreements for the 2022-2023 school year submitted by same.
2. BE IT RESOLVED, to retroactively approve the USE OF FACILITIES REQUESTS submitted by the YMCA Wyckoff for Before and After School Care Programs, to be held at Brookside and Hillside Schools, for the 2022-2023 school year.

## **MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

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## **OLD BUSINESS**

BOE Goals

## **NEW BUSINESS**

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Board will entertain a motion to adjourn the open meeting and go into Executive Session to discuss personnel matters and negotiations. No action will be taken. The topics to be discussed are within the exemptions, which are permitted to be discussed and acted upon in private session, pursuant to P.L. 1975, Chapter 231. The Board will disclose the information as soon thereafter as possible once the reasons for nondisclosure no longer exist.

## **ADJOURNMENT**