

EAST ROCKAWAY UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
East Rockaway, New York
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
7:30 P.M., October 15, 2013 - East Rockaway Jr. /Sr. High School
Preceded by Salute to the Board of Education and a Public Forum

AGENDA

1. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance
2. Approval of Minutes: September 17, 2013
3. Acknowledge Receipt of Financial Reports – July, 2013 and August, 2013
4. Correspondence – One
5. Action Agenda

A. Personnel

1. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, revise Personnel Item No. 12 on the August 27, 2013, agenda and minutes to read:

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the three-year probationary appointment of ToniAnn Donald to the position of elementary teacher, (tenure area: elementary; certification status: initial), effective August 29, 2013, through August 28, 2016, at the MA Step 1, annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Teachers Association contract for the 2013-2014 school year.

2. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, revise the motion approving Personnel Items 2 -22 of the August 27, 2013 minutes to read:

Upon motion by Patti Nicoletti, seconded by Linda Schmidt, the following items #2-22, were unanimously approved:

3. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, rescind Personnel Item No. 6 from the September 17, 2013 agenda and minutes.
4. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, accept the following resignations:
 - a. Bethany Kinkaid, permanent substitute teacher, effective September 20, 2013
 - b. Andrew Polizzi, After School Program Assistant, effective September 29, 2013
 - c. Francesca DeVivo, monitor, effective October 15, 2013
 - d. Michael Periera, substitute cleaner, effective October 15, 2013
 - e. Jodi Neckles, substitute monitor, effective October 15, 2013
 - f. Kathleen O'Mara, food service worker, effective October 15, 2013
 - g. Joseph Sblendorio, substitute cleaner, effective October 15, 2013

5. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Cindy Dower to the position of leave replacement teaching assistant, effective August 29, 2013 through June 30, 2014, at the Step 1 annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Teachers Association contract for teaching assistants for the 2013-2014 school year.
6. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following part-time appointments at the hourly salary established by the East Rockaway Board of Education on the Non-Contractual Salary Schedule for ALPSS for the 2013-2014 school year:
 - a. Megan Rice, substitute teacher, effective October 16, 2013
 - b. Frank Altamore, substitute teacher, effective October 16, 2013
 - c. Frank Cuttitta, substitute Administrator, ALPSS, effective October 16, 2013
 - d. Anthony Weber, substitute Administrator, ALPSS, effective October 16, 2013
 - e. Eileen Levine, substitute Administrator, ALPSS, effective September 19, 2013
7. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve Monica Saavedra, in her capacity as a school psychologist, to serve as a Chairperson to the District's 504 and CSE subcommittees, effective August 29, 2013, through June 30, 2013.
8. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the three-year probationary appointment of Keri Gang to the position of teaching assistant (tenure area: teaching assistant; certification status: initial), effective October 16, 2013, through October 15, 2016 at the Step 2 annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Teachers Association contract for teaching assistants for the 2013-2014 school year.
9. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the part-time appointment (.75 FTE) of Annmarie Itgen to the position of teaching assistant, effective October 16, 2013, through June 30, 2014, at the Step 1 annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Teachers Association contract for teaching assistants for the 2013-2014 school year.
10. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following permanent substitute teacher appointments, effective October 16, 2013, through June 26, 2014, at the per diem salary established by the East Rockaway Board of Education on the Non-Contractual Salary Schedule For the 2013-2014 school year:

Nancy LaurinoRhame Avenue School
 Alexandra RosenthalCentre Avenue School
11. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Francesca DeVivo to the position of Lead Monitor, effective October 16, 2013, at the salary set forth in the East Rockaway Food Service and Monitors Union contract for the high school lead monitor for the 2013-2014 school year.

12. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the probationary appointment of Michael Periera to the position of cleaner, effective October 16, 2013, at the prorated Step A annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Custodial Unit contract for cleaners for the 2013-2014 school year.
13. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the probationary appointment of Joseph Sblendorio to the position of groundskeeper/bus driver, effective October 16, 2013, at the prorated Step A annual salary set forth in the East Rockaway Custodial Unit contract for groundskeeper/bus driver for the 2013-2014 school year.
14. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Christine LaFrance to the position of After School Program Assistant, effective October 16, 2013, at the salary established by the East Rockaway Board of Education on the Non-Contractual Salary Schedule for the 2013-2014 school year.
15. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Sueann Mongelluzzo to the position of monitor, effective October 16, 2013, at the Step 1 hourly salary set forth in the East Rockaway Food Service & Monitor Union contract for monitors for the 2013-2014 school year.
16. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Jodi Neckles to the position of monitor, effective October 16, 2013, at the Step 1 hourly salary established by the East Rockaway Food Service and Monitor Union contract for monitors for the 2013-2014 school year.
17. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Tina Lewald to the position of food service worker, effective October 16, 2013, at the Step 1 hourly salary established by the East Rockaway Food Service and Monitor Union contract for food service workers for the 2013-2014 school year.
18. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of Kathleen O'Mara to the position of assistant cook, effective October 16, 2013, at the Step 1 hourly salary established by the East Rockaway Food Service and Monitor Union contract for assistant cook for the 2013-2014 school year.
19. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following temporary assignments, effective October 16, 2013 through June 26, 2014, at the salary approved by the East Rockaway Board of Education on the Non-Contractual Salary Schedule for substitute workers for the 2013-2014 school year:
 - a. Kevin Denis, substitute teacher
 - b. Tina Johnson, substitute teacher
 - c. Danielle Ryf, substitute teacher
 - d. Christopher Brocket, substitute cleaner
 - e. Denis O'Leary, substitute teachers aide
 - f. Jason Schaeffer, substitute teacher aide
 - g. Irma Puca, substitute cleaner
 - h. Persephone Small, substitute clerical
 - i. Amelia Rodriguez, substitute clerical

- j. Marilyn Faile, substitute clerical
- k. Lisa Zeilberger, substitute monitor
- l. Monica Saavedra, substitute clerical

20. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the continuation of the “emergency, conditional” personnel appointment for the following individual pending receipt of notification of fingerprint clearance from the State of New York, Department of Education:

- a. Irma Puca
- b. Marilyn Faile
- c. Amelia Rodriguez

B. Other Items

1. BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Education (“Board”) of the East Rockaway Union Free School District (“District”) gratefully accepts a grant from the County of Nassau (“County”) in the amount of \$65,000 awarded to it under the County’s Community Revitalization Program to be used towards the purchase and installation of fencing at the East Rockaway High School (“Project”); and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board establishes itself as lead agency for the purposes of State Environment Quality Review (“SEQR”) determinations regarding the proposed Project; and that, upon the review and recommendation of the District’s Architect, the proposed Project is hereby determined to be a Type II action, as defined by 6 NYCRR §617.5[c], which will have no significant impact on the environment, and which does not require any other determination or procedure under SEQR regulations; and, therefore, be it further

RESOLVED that the Board hereby approves the execution of the Inter-Municipal Agreement (“IMA”) between the District and the County in connection with said grant, and authorizes the Board President to execute said IMA on behalf of the Board.

- 2. Accept a donation from Target “Take Charge of Education” program in the sum of Two Hundred Seventeen Dollars and 99/100 (\$217.99) for Rhame Avenue school supplies and increase budget code 2110-450-03-0000.
- 3. Accept a donation from Target “Take Charge of Education” program in the sum of One Hundred Seventy-Two and 25/100 Dollars (\$172.25) for high school supplies and increase budget code 2855-450-09-0000.
- 4. Accept a donation from Ahold Financial Services in the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Four Dollars and Forty-Seven Cents (\$154.47) as part of the Stop & Shop School Rewards program and increase budget code 2110-450-01-0000.
- 5. Approve the terms and conditions of the following contracts for consultation services during the 2013-2014 and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute

the contracts on behalf of the Board of Education:

- a. The Rebecca Center for Music Therapy At Molloy College, Music Therapy Direct Service for students with special needs
 - b. Jacquelyn Nealon, Ed.D., Financial Aid Workshop
6. Approve the Affiliation Agreement with Molloy College for the purpose of providing clinical experience for student nurses during the 2013-2014 school year and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute the agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.
 7. Approve the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the East Rockaway Union Free School District hereby approves the terms and conditions of the Stipulation of Settlement resolving a certain matter between the District and the parent of a youngster classified by the District's CSE and identified by student number; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Education authorizes the President of the Board to execute the Stipulation of Settlement as approved on the Board's behalf.

8. Approve the contract with 10 Seconds, Inc. for two Educational/Motivational Programs for Ribbon Week on October 29, 2013, and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute the agreement on behalf of the Board of Education.

C. Budget Transfers - None

D. Approval of CSE Recommendations

E. Approval of CPSE Recommendations

6. Policy Matters – None

7. Superintendent's Report

8. Privilege of the Floor

9. Board Member Comments

10. Adjournment

