HARBORFIELDS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT GREENLAWN, NEW YORK

BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNUAL REORGANIZATION PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA July 10, 2012

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

EXECUTIVE SESSION – 6:00 P.M.

- 1. Diana Todaro, Superintendent of Schools, will call the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. and lead the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 2. The oath of office will be administered to the District Clerk by the Superintendent of Schools.
- 3. Diana Todaro will ask the District Clerk to administer the oath of office to Mrs. Boba, Mr. Mastroianni and Dr. McDonagh.
- 4. The President of the Board of Education will be elected. It will be announced to the public that this is an election among school board members and that four (4) votes are necessary for election.
- 5. The same procedure will be followed for the election of the Vice President.
- 6. The oath of office will be administered to the President and Vice President by the District Clerk.
- 7. The oath of office will be administered to the Superintendent of Schools by the District Clerk.
- 8. Appointment of District Clerk/Secretary to the Board of Education

Motion:	Second:	Action:	
	ed, that Sharon Whelar (part-time) from Octo	• •	
-	Barbara Muller be appme) from July 1, 2012		,

9.	Appointment of District Tre	asurer and Deputy Tr	<u>easurer</u>
schoo Be it	resolved, that Paula Francis I year at an annual stipend of S further resolved, that Sharon 2013 school year with no addit	S Whelan be appointed	
Motio	n:Second	:Ac	etion:
10.	The oath of office will be addressurer by the District Clerk		ict Treasurer and the Deputy
11.	Appointment of Claims Aud	<u>litor</u>	
	resolved, that Maryann V 2013 school year at a rate of \$		
Motio	n:Second	:Ac	etion:
12.	The oath of office will be adm within thirty days.	inistered to the Claims	Auditor by the District Clerk
13.	Bonding of District Treasur for Business, Purchasing A Clerk		
for the the As be ap	resolved, for the 2012-2013 see District Treasurer and Deput ssistant Superintendent for Buproved for the Superintendent of District Clerk.	y Treasurer; a bond o siness and Purchasin	f \$2,000,000 be approved for g Agent; a bond of \$800,000
Motio	n:Second	:Ac	etion:
14.	Designation of District Puro	hasing Agent	Page 16
	resolved, that Dennis Grahan 2013 school year at a rate of \$		
Motio	n:Second	:Ac	etion:
15.	Appointment of Records Ma	anagement Officer	
	resolved, that William H. Noted as Records Management	•	
Motio	n: Second	: Ac	tion:

16. <u>Appointment of Records Access Officer and Authorization to Accept Legal</u> <u>Service</u>

Be it resolved, that Valerie Brosnan, Secretary to the Superintendent of Schools be appointed Records Access Officer for the 2012-2013 school year with no additional remuneration.

Be it further resolved, that the Superintendent of Schools and the Secretary to the Superintendent of Schools be authorized to accept legal service for the Harborfields Central School District.

Motion:	Second:	Action:	
17. Appo	ointment of Asbestos Compliance Of	<u>fficer</u>	
	ved, that Andrew Cacciola, District M Compliance Officer for the 2012-20 n.		
Motion:	Second:	Action:	

18. <u>Designation of Banks and Depositories</u>

Be it resolved, that the following be designated as depositories for the school district and that accounts be established as soon as possible following the annual reorganization meeting of the Board of Education as may be necessary:

BANKS AND DEPOSITORIES	SCHOOL DISTRICT ACCOUNTS
Bank of America	Student Activity Fund – OMS
Capital One Bank	Student Activity Fund – HHS
Citibank, Greenlawn	Safe Deposit
JP Morgan Chase	Investment Account
HSBC Bank	Investment Account
TD Bank, East Northport	Withholding Tax Depository
TD Bank, East Northport	Capital Fund
TD Bank, East Northport	Scholarship Funds
TD Bank, East Northport	Trust & Agency Funds
TD Bank, East Northport	Debt Service
TD Bank, East Northport	Investment Account
TD Bank, East Northport	Special Aid Fund
TD Bank, East Northport	General Fund

BANKS AND DEPOSITORIES	SCHOOL DISTRICT ACCOUNTS
TD Bank, East Northport	School Lunch Fund
TD Bank, East Northport	Payroll Account

Be it further resolved, that the Bank of New York and J.P. Morgan Chase Bank be designated as Custodial Banks for securities and/or securities held as collateral for the district's investment program.

Be it further resolved, that Chase Manhattan Bank be designated as Accounting and Cremation Agent and Registrar for Bonds and Coupons.

Motion:	Second:	Action:	
19. <u>Authorizati</u>	on for Investments		Page 17
under Section 172 the agenda of the Treasurer, is furthe and all documents	3-a of the Education Law annual reorganization ner authorized to execute in	er, be authorized to invest distrate as outlined in Policy 6240 as a meeting of July 10, 2012. Paute the name of the Board of Education.	attached to la Francis, ucation any
Motion:	Second:	Action:	
20. <u>Authorizati</u>	on for Purchasing	P	ages 18-30
-	00-E.2, the Board of Educ	ducation reviews Policy 6700 a cation affirms its purchasing po	
the establishment	•	Purchasing Agent, shall be respective procedures and standard forms trict.	
Motion:	Second:	Action:	

21. Establishment of Regular Monthly Board of Education Meetings

Be it resolved, the regular meetings of the Board of Education be established as follows for the 2012-2013 school year:

DATE OF MEETING	TYPE/PLACE OF MEETING	DAY OF WEEK OF MEETING
July 10, 2012	Regular/Reorganization Mtg OMS	2 nd Tuesday
August 22, 2012	Regular Meeting - OMS	4 th Wednesday
September 5, 2012	Special Meeting - OMS	1 st Wednesday
September 19, 2012	Regular Meeting - OMS	3 rd Wednesday
October 4, 2012	Work Session - New/Newly Tenured Teacher - OMS	1 st Thursday
October 17, 2012	Regular Meeting – WDPS	3 rd Wednesday
November 14, 2012	Regular Meeting – TJL	2 nd Wednesday
December 12, 2012	Regular Meeting – OMS	2 nd Wednesday
January 16, 2013	Regular Meeting – HHS	3 rd Wednesday
February 13, 2013	Regular Meeting – OMS	2 nd Wednesday
March 9, 2013	Budget Work Session – OMS–9:00 a.m.	2 nd Saturday
March 20, 2013	Regular Meeting – OMS	3 rd Wednesday
April 3, 2013	Budget Work Session – OMS	1 st Wednesday
April 17, 2013	Special Meeting/Budget Adoption/ Property Tax Report Card - OMS	3 rd Wednesday
April 23, 2013	Regular Meeting/BOCES Budget Vote - OMS	4 th Tuesday
May 14, 2013	Budget Hearing/Regular Meeting – OMS	2 nd Tuesday
May 21, 2013	Budget Vote/Special Meeting – OMS	3 rd Tuesday
June 5, 2013	Spec. Mtg./Goals Mtg. – Retiree – OMS	1 st Wednesday
June 19, 2013	Regular Meeting – OMS	3 rd Wednesday
June 26, 2013	Special Meeting – Goals Mtg. – OMS	4th Wednesday
July 10, 2013	Regular/Reorganization Mtg. – OMS	^{2nd} Wednesday
August 21, 2013	Regular Meeting – OMS	4 th Wednesday

22. <u>Establish</u>	ment of Mileage Reimburser	ment Rate	
the 2012-2013 s	•	e adopted at the IRS established rate for Todaro, Superintendent of Schools, b	
Motion:	Second:	Action:	_
	that with respect to any bids	ids received pursuant to competitive biddin	g

for the district, Dennis Graham, Purchasing Agent, or his designee be authorized to

Motion:______Second:_____Action:____

open any and all such bids at the time and place specified in the legal notice.

Motion:______Second:_____Action:____

24. <u>Authorization of Superintendent of Schools to Approve Budgeted</u> <u>Expenses for Attendance at Meetings and Conferences</u>

approve budgeted e		endent of Schools, be authorized to of school personnel at meetings and
Motion:	Second:	Action:
25. Designation of	of Board of Education Mer	mberships in Associations
associations for the	school year 2012-2013 and	nall obtain membership in the following that members are authorized to attend national necessary expenses defrayed by the
Name	e of Association	Estimated Membership Dues
New York State Sch	ool Boards Association	\$9,885.00
Nassau-Suffolk Sch	ool Boards Association	\$3,250.00
SCOPE		\$3,840.00
Huntington Chambe	r of Commerce	\$675.00
and District Clerk be		•
26. Designation of	of Newspapers for Publica	tion of School Notices
designated as newsp published where ad district is required du be placed in only or most appropriate by	papers in which all advertising vertising in three newspapering the school year 2012-ing newspaper, then it shall William H. Nimmo, Assistan	wsday, and Times of Huntington being required by law or otherwise may be pers having general circulation in the 2013. Where advertising is required to be placed in the newspaper deemed to Superintendent for Business.
Motion:	Second:	Action:
27. Appointment	of General and Labor Cou	<u>ınsel</u> Pages 31-3 ²

Whereas, on July 8, 2009, the Board of Education adopted and entered into a Legal Services Agreement with Guercio & Guercio, LLP for the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012 to serve as General and Labor Counsel for the district for legal and labor matters authorized by the Board of Education pursuant to the Request for Proposals issued on May 29, 2009 and;

Whereas, the RFP provided for extension of said Legal Services Agreement, and it has been determined that it is in the best interest of the District to continue with such Legal Services Agreement;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the law firm of Guercio & Guercio, LLP be reappointed to serve as General Counsel for legal matters authorized by the Board of Education for the 2012-2013 school year in accordance with the Legal Services Agreement attached to the agenda of July 10, 2012 and;

Be it further resolved, that the law firm of Guercio & Guercio, LLP be reappointed to serve as Labor Counsel for labor matters authorized by the Board of Education for the 2012-2013 school year in accordance with the Legal Services Agreement attached to the agenda of July 10, 2012.

Motion:	Secona:	Action:	
28. Appointme	ent of Treasurer, Extracurr	<u>icular Funds</u>	
School Extracurri	that Nancy Greene be app cular Fund and Georgia School Extracurricular Fund	Psilakis be appointed Tre	asurer of the
	olved, that the extracurricuns of the Commissioner of E		in accordance
Motion:	Second:	Action:	
	ccident and Sports Insurar		2-2013 school
Motion:	Second:	Action:	
30. <u>Authorizat</u> <u>Certify Pay</u>	ion of Superintendent of S rolls	chools or Designee to Ap	prove and
	hat Diana Todaro, Supering ove and certify payrolls for 3 school budget.		_
Motion:	Second:	Action:	

31. <u>Authorization of Superintendent of Schools to make transfers within Budgetary Appropriations</u>

transfe		y appropriations f	tendent of Schools, be authorized to make or the 2012-2013 school year with such r.
Motio	n:	_Second:	Action:
32.	Designation of Att	endance Officers	
Giorda Lahey	ano, Principal of Olo Elementary School	dfield Middle Scho , and Maureen Ke	ncipal of Harborfields High School, Joanne ol, Florence Tuzzi, Principal of Thomas J. elly, Principal of Washington Drive Primary for the 2012-2013 school year.
Motio	n:	_Second:	Action:
33.	Approval of Custo	dians of Petty Ca	<u>sh</u>
	resolved, that the point in an amount of \$10		be authorized as custodians of petty cash
A A A A		Assistant Superinte g, Harborfields Higl Principal, Oldfield M ncipal, Thomas J. L	endent for Business h School
made		•	nat payments from petty cash funds may be nly under conditions calling for immediate
shall r			gnated as responsible for petty cash funds y cash for amounts in excess of \$25.00 for
Motio	n:	_Second:	Action:
34.	Authorization and	Designation on S	Single Signature Checks

54. Authorization and Designation on Single Signature Checks

Be it resolved, that the District Treasurer, Deputy Treasurer, or the President of the Board of Education be authorized to sign all checks of the Harborfields Central School District.

Designated Signatures:

	Sharon Whelan, Deputy Treasurer, President, Board of Education		
Motion:	Second:	Action:	
35. <u>Appro</u>	val of Appointment of Surrogat	<u>e Parents</u>	
parents for the Committee or	ed, that Julie Maier and Louisone 2012-2013 school year to real Special Education or the Contill so require representation.	epresent any disabled c	child before the
Motion:	Second:	Action:	

36. Approval of Appointments to the District Committee on Special Education

Be it resolved, that the following members of the professional staff and parents of children with disabilities who reside in the district be appointed to the District Committee on Special Education effective July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

Victoria A. Melone Chairperson Elizabeth Tucci Chairperson

Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Dr. Brian Harris Dr. Dan Pinto Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Alternate Chairperson/Social Worker Tomas Gonzalez **Sherry Hafers** Alternate Chairperson/Social Worker Susan Koenig Alternate Chairperson/Social Worker Dr. Mary Aristilde Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Dr. Michelle Meskin Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Dr. Lisa Drake Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Dr. Lauren Gallagher

Dr. Jack Geffken Physician as requested

Cheryl Baile Parent Marina DiDomencio Parent Carol Grossman **Parent** Julie Maier Parent Mary McKenna Parent Dana Pilla Parent Elizabeth Romanelli Parent Peggy Scally Parent Nancy Scanlon Parent Ilene Shapero Parent Rachel Spencer Parent Diane Young Parent

Special Education Teacher Each Student Classroom Teacher/Counselor Each Student Motion:_____Second:____Action:____ Approval of Staff Members to Serve As Chairperson of Their Building 37. Subcommittee on Special Education Be it resolved, that the following staff members serve as chairperson of their building's subcommittee on Special Education: Dr. Dan Pinto Washington Drive Primary School Thomas J. Lahey Elementary School Dr. Lisa Drake Dr. Michele Meskin Thomas J. Lahey Elementary School Dr. Mary Aristilde Oldfield Middle School Dr. Lauren Gallagher Washington Drive Primary School/Thomas J. Lahey Dr. Brian Harris Harborfields High School Thomas Gonzalez **Out-of-District Placement**

Motion:_____Second:_____Action:____

Out-of-District Placement

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38. <u>Approval of Appointments to the District Committee on Preschool Special</u> Education

Be it resolved, that the following members of the professional staff and parents of preschool children who reside in the district be appointed to the District Committee on Preschool Special Education effective: July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

Victoria A. Melone Chairperson Elizabeth Tucci Chairperson

Sherry Hafers Susan Koenig

Dr. Dan Pinto Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist Dr. Michele Meskin Alternate Chairperson/Psychologist

Cheryl Baile Parent Marina DiDomencio Parent Carol Grossman Parent Julie Maier Parent Mary McKenna Parent Dana Pilla Parent Elizabeth Romanelli Parent Peggy Scally Parent Nancy Scanlon Parent Ilene Schapero Parent Rachel Spencer Parent Diane Young Parent

Suffolk County/Dept. of Health Services Representative

Evaluator Evaluation Site Representative Special Education Teachers Each Student

Elaine Colavito Retired General Education Teacher
Allan Lauber Retired General Education Teacher and

Retired Special Education Teacher Fredarica Friedman Retired Special Education Teacher

Motio	on:	Second:	Action:	
39.	Approval of Revised Annual Report		tion Plan and	Pages 35-174
	resolved, the revised ation be approved for the	-	on Plan and Annual Repo hool year.	ort to the Board of
Motio	on:	Second:	Action:	

40. Approval of Procedures for Appointment and Compensation of Impartial Hearing Officers in Disputes Relating to Identification, Classification, and Placement of Disabled Students, Electronic Reporting To State Education Department, and Adoption of Updated List of Impartial Hearing Officers

Be it resolved, the Board of Education hereby adopts the updated list of impartial hearing officers for Suffolk County promulgated by the New York State Education Department in connection with requests for impartial hearings under the I.D.E.A. and Education Law, §4404. The district list shall be accessed on the New York State Education Department's website which includes the names of those other certified impartial hearing officers whose names appear on the State list and who indicate their interest in hearing appeals in matters affecting the Harborfields Central School District.

Upon receipt of a request for an impartial hearing, the President of the Board of Education, or on the occasion of his or her absence or inability, the Vice President of the Board of Education, is hereby authorized and directed to appoint an impartial hearing officer from the District's alphabetical rotational list. The President of the Board, or on the occasion of his or her absence or inability, the Vice President of the Board shall make such appointment in accordance with the principles set forth in Section 200.5 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. The District Clerk, or acting District Clerk, under the direction of the President of the Board, shall initiate the selection process by contacting the impartial hearing officer whose name first appears after the impartial hearing officer who last served, and shall canvass the list as provided in the regulations until an appointment is accepted. Should a hearing officer decline appointment, the District Clerk or his or her designee shall offer appointment to each successive hearing officer whose name next appears on the alphabetical list until such appointment is accepted.

The Board believes that an expeditious hearing is essential to accomplish the purpose of I.D.E.A. and Education Law, §4404. To this purpose, the President of the Board or

his or her designee shall only appoint those hearing officers who are prepared to commit to conduct hearing sessions of not less than six hours in duration, inclusive of a lunch break, where appropriate. Travel time to and from the hearing location shall not be counted toward fulfillment of this time commitment.

The Board shall compensate an impartial hearing officer for his or her services at the maximum rate established for such purpose by the Commissioner of Education, which rate is currently \$100 per hour for all pre-hearing, hearing, and post-hearing activities (including travel). The District will reimburse reasonable automotive travel expenses in the nature of mileage expense at the IRS approved rate for not to exceed 200 miles per day and tolls necessarily incurred. The District will not reimburse air fare expenses, meal expenses or lodging expenses under any circumstances.

The District Clerk or his or her designee shall transmit a copy of this policy to all hearing officers on the District's alphabetical list in order to apprise them of the District's policy with respect to appointment and compensation of impartial hearing officers.

The Superintendent shall designate an individual or individuals who shall be responsible for implementation of the State Education Department's web-based reporting system.

Motion:	Second:	Action:	
41. <u>Authorizat</u>	ion for Grant Application	<u>ns</u>	
	he nature of State, Federard of Education, and	eral, and County Grant applications requ	ıire
	eliness of information and neetings of the Board of E	d deadline requirements are not necessa Education, now therefore,	rily
Be it resolved, that this resolution authorizes Diana Todaro, Superintendent of Schools, to apply for any and all funding which in her judgment is appropriate for the Harborfields Central School District for the 2012-2013 school year, and			
	•	ndent of Schools report such application xt regular meeting following.	for
Motion:	Second:	Action:	
42. Authorizat	ion for Key Communica	<u>tors</u> Pages 175-1	81
Central School D		inicators be established for the Harborfie communication be maintained with the 013 year.	
Motion:	Second:	Action:	

43. Readoption of all Policies and Code of Ethics

	•	nat all Policies and Code of dopted for use for the 2012-	of Ethics in effect during the 2013 school year.	e 2012-2013
Moti	on:	Second:	Action:	
44.	<u>Appointme</u>	nt of School Physician	Pa	ges 182-183
of Ed Eme scho	ducation herel rgency Health	by appoints Jack Geffken, Care Provider for the distriction annual fee of \$30,457, as	the Superintendent of School D.O., F.A.C.P., as School Pot's PAD/AED Program for the set forth in the proposal atta	hysician and e 2012-2013
Moti	on:	Second:	Action:	
45. Be it			f ConductPa	
	•	dopted for use during the 20	•	
▶ F▶ F	ile 0115: ile 0115R: ile: 5310 ile: 5310-R	Student Harassment and Regulation School Code of Conduct	Bullying Prevention and Ir Bullying Prevention and Ir and Discipline and Discipline Regulations	ntervention
Moti	on:	Second:	Action:	
46.	Authorizati	on for District-owned Cell	ılar Telephones	
cellu Mani	lar telephone ual: Superintend Assistant Su Director of F Principals (1 Athletic Dire District Mair Maintenance District Cour	in accordance with File 83 lent (1) uperintendents (1 each) Pupil Personnel Services (1) for each building for emergator (1 plus 8 for coaches and tenance Leader (1) e Supervisor (1)	•	
Moti	on:	Second:	Action:	

47.	List of Co-curricular	Activities and Clubs K-12	Pages 217-218	
Be it resolved, that the co-curricular activities and clubs as attached to the agenda of July 10, 2012 be approved and available for students in grades K-12.				
Moti	ion:	_Second:	_Action:	
48.	Adoption of District Safety Comm	Safety Plan and Appointm	<u>ent of</u> Pages 219-227	
Safe		2013 school year be appr	rintendent of Schools, the District oved as updated by the District	
Be it further resolved , that the members of the District Safety Committee, as listed in the attachments to the agenda of July 10, 2012 be appointed for the 2012-2013 school year.				
Moti	ion:	_Second:	_Action:	
49.	Appointment of Inter	nal Auditor	Page 228-232	
Be it resolved , upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Audit Committee, the Board of Education hereby appoints R.S. Abrams & Co., LLP, as its Internal Auditor for the 2012-2013 school year at an annual fee of \$23,700, as set forth in the agreement attached to the agenda of July 10, 2012, and				
Be it further resolved , that the Board of Education hereby authorizes the Board President to execute the written agreement, as attached to the agenda of July 10, 2012, between the district and R.S. Abrams & Co., LLP.				
Moti	ion:	_Second:	_Action:	
50.	Appointment of Dign	ity For All Students Act C	oordinatorsPage 233	
Be it resolved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby certifies the administrators listed in the attachment to the agenda of July 10, 2012 as Dignity For All Students Act Coordinators for the 2012-2013 school year.				
Moti	ion·	Second:	Action:	

Board of Education Annual Reorganization Meeting July 10, 2012

51. <u>Organizatio</u>	nal Chart		Page 23 ²
organizational ch	upon the recommendation art for the 2012-2013 school policy file #3240.	•	•
Motion:	Second:	Action:	