

**WEST ORANGE BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Public Board Meeting - 8:00 p.m. – March 10, 2014**  
**West Orange High School**  
**51 Conforti Avenue**

**Final Agenda**

**I. ROLL CALL OF THE MEMBERS AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**II. NOTICE OF MEETING:**

Please take notice that adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in the following manner:

- A. That a written notice was sent from the Office of the Secretary of the Board at 4:00 p.m. on February 16, 2014.
- B. That said notice was sent by regular mail to the West Orange Township Clerk and the Editors of the West Orange Chronicle and the Star-Ledger.
- C. That said notice was posted in the lobby of the Administration Building of the Board of Education.

**III. CONSIDERATION OF THE CLOSED AND PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES OF February 24 and 27, 2014 and March 1 and 6, 2014 (Att. #1)**

**IV. QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS**

**V. SUPERINTENDENT'S AND/OR BOARD'S REPORTS**

- A. 2014-2015 Budget

**VI. REPORTS, DISCUSSIONS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

**A. PERSONNEL**

**1. Resignations**

- a.) Superintendent recommends approval of the following resignation(s):

Jenna Sardone, Instructional Aide, Roosevelt School, effective retroactive to 2/28/14

David Sinisi, Instructional Aide, Roosevelt School, effective retroactive to 3/7/14

**Bryan Armstrong, Assistant Coach, Boys Lacrosse, WOHS, effective retroactive to 2/28/14**

**2. Appointments**

- a.) **Superintendent recommends approval of the following appointment(s) at the appropriate contractual rates:**

**Courtney Corbitt, Part-time Instructional Aide, Pleasantdale School, BA-1, \$22.89/hour, not to exceed 20 hours/week, effective retroactive to 3/3/14-6/18/14 (additional)**

**Michael Esquerre, Instructional Aide, Roosevelt School, BA-1, \$27,469, effective 3/10/14 (replacement)**

**Melinda Levendusky, Instructional Aide, Roosevelt School, BA-1, \$27,469, effective retroactive to 3/3/14 (replacement)**

**Rumana Patra, Instructional Aide, Mt. Pleasant School, MA-1, \$29,508, effective retroactive to 3/3/14 (additional)**

**Julian DeMartinis, Instructional Aide, Roosevelt School, BA-1, \$27,469, effective retroactive to 3/3/14 (replacement)**

**The following WOHS staff to provide class coverage, at the contracted rate, effective retroactive to 3/3/14 until leave replacement is hired:**

- **William Bradley**
- **Jacquelyn Devore**
- **Christopher Evans**
- **Joseph Perna**
- **David Sehr**

**Freddy Christian, Instructional Aide, NJ ASK Preparation Program, Liberty School, to assist medically dependent student, at the contractual rate of \$23/hour, 1.5 hours/session, not to exceed \$241.50, effective retroactive to 3/5/14-4/24/14**

**Coaching appointments, WOHS, for the 2013-2014 school year:**

- **Ryan Carroll, Assistant Coach, Lacrosse, \$8,254**
- **Douglas Nettingham, Assistant Coach, Lacrosse, \$8,254**

**3. Leave(s) of Absence**

- a.) Superintendent recommends approval of the following leave(s) of absence:

Robin Sweeney, Social Studies Teacher, WOHS, paid medical leave of absence, effective retroactive to 3/3/14-5/1/14, or until released by physician

Danelle Ratus, Grade 2 Teacher, Washington School, paid maternity leave of absence, effective 4/16/14-5/5/14, unpaid leave of absence effective 5/6/14-6/30/14

Michele Carroll, Administrative Assistant, WOHS, paid medical leave of absence, effective 3/19/14-4/15/14, or until released by physician

Rosalie Dudkiewicz, School Nurse, Roosevelt School, paid medical leave of absence, effective retroactive to 3/3/14-3/17/14

**4. Transfers**

- a.) Superintendent recommends approval of the following transfer(s):

Carmela Urciuoli, 1:1 Instructional Aide, Pleasantdale School, to 1:1 Instructional Aide, Mt. Pleasant School, effective retroactive to 3/3/14

Victor Cardone, Mid-Shift Custodian, Pleasantdale School, to Interim Head Custodian, Gregory School, effective retroactive to 3/3/14

Ian Curtis, Night Shift Custodian, Mt. Pleasant School, to Interim Mid-Shift Custodian, Mt. Pleasant School, effective retroactive to 3/3/14

George Wnek, Mid-Shift Custodian, Mt. Pleasant School, to Interim Mid-Shift Custodian, Pleasantdale School, effective retroactive to 3/3/14

Michael Facchiano, Head Custodian, Gregory School, to Night-Shift Custodian, Mt. Pleasant School, effective retroactive to 3/3/14

- 5. Superintendent recommends termination of employee, effective 3/11/14, as stipulated in closed session.**

**B. CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION**

1. **Recommend approval of the following Field Trip requests for the 2013-2014 school year:**

<b>Group</b>	<b>Destination</b>
WOHS Athletes	Yogi Berra Museum, Little Falls

**C. FINANCE**

**D. REPORTS**

1. **The Board of Education recognizes receipt of the HIB report for the period ending 3/10/14**

**VII. REPORT FROM THE BOARD PRESIDENT AND/OR BOARD MEMBERS**

**VIII. MOTION FOR THE NEXT BOARD MEETINGS to be held; at 6:00 p.m. on March 13, 2014, in closed session at the Administration Building to discuss the Superintendent search; and at 6:00 p.m. on March 18, 2014 at West Orange High School for a regular meeting of the Board of Education.**

**IX. PETITIONS AND HEARINGS OF CITIZENS**

**X. ADJOURNMENT**