

Peekskill City School District
1031 Elm Street
Peekskill, New York

BUSINESS MEETING/WORK SESSION
BOARD OF EDUCATION
DECEMBER 7, 2021

Board of Education

Mrs. Jillian Villon, President
Mrs. Branwen MacDonald, Vice President
Mrs. Pamela Hallman-Johnson
Mr. Allen Jenkins, Jr.
Mr. Samuel North
Mrs. Maria Pereira

Student Representative

Central Office

Dr. David Mauricio, Superintendent
Ms. Robin Zimmerman, Assistant Superintendent for Business
Mr. Jamal Lewis, Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services
Mr. Daniel Callahan, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education
Mrs. Rebecca Aviles-Rodriguez, Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education
Ms. Debra McLeod, District Clerk

1. Call to Order
The meeting was called to order by President Villon at 6:03 p.m. in Peekskill High School, classroom #222.
 - A. Recording of Attendance
Pamela Hallman-Johnson arrived late. Michael Simpkins was absent.
2. Proposed Executive Session Subject to Board Approval.
 - A. Open Meeting
 - (Note: The Board will enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal or removal of a particular contractor(s) and employment history of particular person(s) for the following positions: Leave Replacement Teachers; Per Diem Substitute Teacher; Permanent Substitute Teacher; Stipend Positions; and Teacher Aide. The Board will (or may) take action after the executive session. The public part of the meeting will open at approximately 7:00 p.m.)
 - B. Adjourn to Executive Session
Motion to Adjourn Meeting in order to enter to Executive Session

Motion: Branwen MacDonald
Yes: Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Second: Allen Jenkins, Jr.
No: _____ Abstained: _____

Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Jillian Villon

C. Adjourn Executive Session 7:07 p.m.
Motion to Re-Open Meeting

Motion: Branwen MacDonald
Yes: Allen Jenkins, Jr.
Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Jillian Villon

Second: Samuel North
No: _____ Abstained: _____

3. Resume Public Meeting
A. Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting was reconvened in the Peekskill High School Auditorium at 7:14 p.m.

4. Superintendent/Board President Report
A. Superintendent's Report

- [Peekskill Pride](#)

5. Hearing of Citizens

A. Public Participation at Board Meetings

There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

6. Consent Agenda

A. Personnel Agenda

Certificated

I. Resignation:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following faculty resignation(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name:	Joseph Peri
Position:	Teaching Assistant
Action:	Resignation from the Peekskill City School District
Effective Dates:	December 3, 2021 (Last day worked 12/3/2021)

II. Retirement:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following retirement resignation(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name:	Jodi Wyant
Position:	Physical Education Teacher
Action:	Retirement from the Peekskill City School District
Effective Dates:	December 31, 2021

III. Leave of Absence:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following faculty non-paid leave of absence(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Elizabeth Tabone
Position: Art Teacher
Action: Non Paid Leave of Absence
Effective Dates: December 10, 2021 through June 30, 2022

IV. Appointment:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following faculty appointment(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Melissa Oricchio
Position: Science Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Biology, Initial
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract
2. Name: Michael Tanzi
Position: Science Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Earth Science, Professional
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract
3. Name: Eileen Alvarez
Position: Science Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Pre Kindergarten, Kindergarten And Grades 1-6, Permanent
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract
4. Name: Pat Salvatorelli

Position: Science Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Biology, Professional
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

5. Name: Jose Fernandez
Position: Science Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Pre Kindergarten, Kindergarten And Grades 1-6, Permanent
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

6. Name: Jessica Rizzuti
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Mathematics 7-12, Professional
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

7. Name: Milagros Guzman
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: ESOL, Permanent
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

8. Name: Michael Tanzi
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Earth Science, Professional

Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

9. Name: Scott Tabone
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: English 7-12, Professional
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

10. Name: Michelle Luongo
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Pre Kindergarten, Kindergarten And Grades 1-6, Permanent
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

11. Name: Megan Myones
Position: Elementary Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: ESOL, Professional
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: October 25, 2021
Effective End Date: November 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

12. Name: Patricia Vernon
Position: Health Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Physical Education, Initial
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: September 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021

Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

13. Name: Catherine McCabe
Position: Health Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Health Education, Supplementary
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: September 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

14. Name: Malcolm Wright
Position: Health Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Health, Initial
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: September 1, 2021
Effective End Date: October 12, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

15. Name: Jessica Van Galen
Position: Health Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Mathematics 7-12, Professional
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: September 1, 2021
Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

16. Name: Patricia Vernon
Position: Physical Education Leave Replacement Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Physical Education, Initial
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: October 14, 2021
Effective End Date: December 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) contract

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contract

17. Name: Raul Ortiz
Position: Physical Education Leave Replacement
Teacher (6th Assignment)
Certification: Physical Education, Professional
Location: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: October 14, 2021
Effective End Date: December 23, 2021
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with
the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA)
contract
18. Name: Natalie Arneson
Position: Per Diem Substitute Teacher
Effective Start Date: November 29, 2021
Effective End Date: November 30, 2021
Salary: \$120 per day as worked, without benefits (Not
to exceed four (4) days per week or twenty-
eight (28) hours per week)
19. Name: Nicole Fry
Position: Per Diem Substitute Teacher
Certification: ESOL, Professional
Effective Start Date: November 29, 2021
Effective End Date: June 24, 2022
Salary: \$120 per day as worked, without benefits (Not
to exceed four (4) days per week or twenty-
eight (28) hours per week)
20. Name: Kiara Maldonado
Position: Physical Education Teacher Leave
Replacement
Certification: Physical Education, Initial
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: November 29, 2021
Effective End Date: March 15, 2022
Salary: \$244 per day, as worked, without benefits
21. Name: Gina Romero
Position: Art Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: Art, Permanent
School: Peekskill High School
Effective Start Date: December 10, 2021

Effective End Date: June 24, 2022
Salary: \$70,486, MA, Step 2 (Pro-rated), eligible for benefits

22. Name: Amanda Leggio
Position: Art Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: Early Childhood Education (Birth - Grade 2), Initial
School: Oakside Elementary School
Effective Start Date: December 3, 2021
Effective End Date: January 31, 2022
Salary: \$308 per day as worked, without benefits

23. Name: Timothy Hart
Position: Elementary Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: English Language Arts (Grades 5-9), Professional
School: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: December 3, 2021
Effective End Date: December 23, 2021
Salary: \$308 per day as worked, without benefits

24. Name: Robert Anderson, Jr.
Position: Elementary Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), Professional
School: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: December 23, 2021
Effective End Date: March 15, 2022
Salary: \$308 per day as worked, without benefits

25. Name: Michelle Anderson
Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
Location: Woodside Elementary School
Effective Start Date: December 6, 2021
Effective End Date: June 24, 2022
Salary: \$120 per day as worked, without benefits (Not to exceed four (4) days per week or twenty-eight (28) hours per week)

26. Name: John Kozloski
Position: Health Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: Health Education, Initial
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: December 13, 2021
Effective End Date: January 31, 2022

Salary: \$308 per day, as worked without benefits

27. Name: Vera Ramos Rodriguez
 Position: Special Education Leave Replacement Teacher
 Certification: Students With Disabilities (Grades 1-6),
 Emergency COVID-19
 Location: Oakeside Elementary School
 Effective Start Date: January 6, 2022
 Effective End Date: April 5, 2022
 Salary: \$308 per day, as worked without benefits

28. Name: Anna Del Monaco
 Position: Mentor
 Mentee: Jessica McKinney
 Effective Start Date: November 15, 2021
 Effective End Date: June 30, 2022
 Salary: \$1,590 (Title II fund) (Prorated)

	Employee:	Position/Program:	Effective Dates:	Stipend:
29.	Vernon Merriweather	PKMS Crafts & Cooking Advisor	2021-2022	\$1,676
30.	Michelle Luongo	PKMS Literary Magazine Advisor (shared)	2021-2022	\$1,397
31.	Ashley Aucar	PKMS Girls on the Run (shared)	2021-2022	\$335
32.	Anthony Taylor	JV Boys Basketball Head Coach	Winter 2021	\$5,051
33.	Nigel Hatch	Modified Boys Basketball Coach	Winter 2021	\$3,654
34.	Kiara Maldonado	Modified (Basketball) Cheerleading Sponsor	Winter 2021	\$1,397
35.	Nicolette Thompson	Afterschool Enrichment Academy STEAM Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
36.	Carrie Black	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA)

				Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
37.	Brittany Doino	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
38.	Lindsay Owens	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
39.	Alyx Scapperotti	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
40.	Flor Ruiz	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Spanish Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
41.	Nicole Loreto	Afterschool Enrichment Academy STEAM Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
42.	Hannah Tiso	Afterschool Enrichment Academy STEAM Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
43.	Katherine Lucero	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Spanish Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)

44.	Laura Rossano	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
45.	Sasha Granda	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
46.	Michelle Anderson	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Literacy Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
47.	Luz Cardona	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Spanish Teacher	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
48.	Jacquelyn Lawrence	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Teacher Aide	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the PTAO Contract (ARP Grant Fund)
49.	Crystal Hernandez	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Administrator	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	\$6,750 (ARP Funding)
50.	Melissa Cruz	Afterschool Enrichment Academy Administrator	December 7, 2021 - May 6, 2022	\$6,750 (ARP Funding)
51.	Laura Belfiore	Drama (HS) Set Designer	Fall 2021	\$1,676
52.	Laura Belfiore	Drama (HS) Technical Director	Fall 2021	\$1,676
53.	Maria Parks	PHS Evening School ENL Teacher	December 9, 2021 - May 19, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (General Fund)

54.	Heidi Marroquin	PHS Evening School Clinical Staff Member	December 9, 2021 - May 19, 2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association's (PFA) Contract (General Fund)
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V. Correction:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following correction(s) of appointment(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Patricia Roldan
Position: Literary Magazine Advisor (shared)
Effective Dates: 2021-2022
Stipend: \$1,397
Action: Correct stipend amount

2. Name: Nicole Fervan
Position: PKMS Gardening Advisor (shared)
Effective Dates: August 30, 2021 - November 17, 2021
Stipend: \$559 (Pro-rated)
Action: Correct stipend amount & effective dates

3. Name: Stacey Bean
Position: PKMS Gardening Advisor
Effective Dates: 2021-2022
Stipend: \$1,118 (Pro-rated)
Action: Correct stipend amount

4. Name: Jenna Burke
Position: PKMS Girls on the Run (shared)
Effective Dates: 2021-2022
Stipend: \$335
Action: Correct stipend amount

5. Name: Michelle Cruz
Position: PKMS Girls on the Run (shared)
Effective Dates: 2021-2022
Stipend: \$335
Action: Correct stipend amount

6. Name: Stacy Leitner
Position: PKMS Girls on the Run (shared)
Effective Dates: 2021-2022
Stipend: \$335

- Action: Correct stipend amount
7. Name: Megan Myones
 Position: PKMS Girls on the Run (shared)
 Effective Dates: 2021-2022
 Stipend: \$335
 Action: Correct stipend amount
8. Name: Carolyn Rodgers
 Position: Elementary Assistant Principal
 Certification: School Building Leader, Initial
 Location: Hillcrest Elementary School
 Effective Start Date: August 6, 2021
 Effective End Date: June 30, 2022
 Salary: \$131,730, Step 14
 Action: Correct effective end date
9. Name: Sarah Galante
 Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
 School: Hillcrest Elementary School
 Action: Resignation from the Peekskill City School District
 Effective: November 19, 2021 (Last Day Worked 11/19/2021)
 Action: Correct effective end date
10. Name: Charitssa Taveras
 Position: Elementary Leave Replacement Teacher
 Certification: Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), Emergency COVID-19
 School: Oakside Elementary School
 Effective Start Date: August 30, 2021
 Effective End Date: December 23, 2021
 Salary: \$308 per day as worked, without benefits
 Action: Correct effective end date
11. Name: Amanda Leggio
 Position: Elementary Leave Replacement Teacher
 Certification: Early Childhood Education (Birth - Grade 2), Initial
 School: Oakside Elementary School
 Effective Start Date: August 30, 2021
 Effective End Date: December 2, 2021
 Salary: \$308 per day as worked, without benefits
 Action: Correct effective end date

12. Name: Yolanda Roman
 Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
 Certification: Early Childhood Education (Birth - Grade 2), Professional
 School: Woodside Elementary School
 Effective Start Date: December 6, 2021
 Effective End Date: June 24, 2022
 Salary: \$155 per day as worked, without benefits (Not to exceed four (4) days per week or twenty-eight (28) hours per week)
 Action: Correct effective start date
13. Name: Gina Romero
 Position: Art Leave Replacement Teacher
 Certification: Art, Permanent
 School: Peekskill High School
 Effective Start Date: September 9, 2021
 Effective End Date: December 9, 2021
 Salary: \$308 per day, as worked without benefits
 Action: Correct effective end date
14. Name: John Kozloski
 Position: Physical Education Leave Replacement Teacher
 Certification: Physical Education, Initial
 Effective Start Date: August 30, 2021
 Effective End Date: December 10, 2021
 Salary: \$308 per day, as worked without benefits
 Action: Correct effective end date
15. Name: Michael Telesco
 Position: High School Science Department Teacher Leader
 Effective Start Date: August 30, 2021
 Effective End Date: November 8, 2021
 Salary: \$4,000 (Title I funding) (Prorated)
 Action: Correct effective end date & salary
16. Name: Breigh Garulli
 Position: High School Science Department Teacher Leader
 Effective Start Date: November 9, 2021
 Effective End Date: June 30, 2022
 Salary: \$4,000 (Title I funding) (Prorated)

Action: Correct effective end date & salary

17. Name: Scott Urgola
Position: Per Diem Substitute Teacher
Certification: Childhood (Grades 1-6), Emergency COVID-19
Effective Start Date: October 20, 2021
Effective End Date: June 24, 2022
Salary: \$120 per day as worked, without benefits (Not to exceed four (4) days per week or twenty-eight (28) hours per week)
Action: Rescind appointment

Classified

I. Resignation:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following staff resignation(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Nancy Zambrano
Position: School Monitor (Lunch)
Location: Oakside Elementary School
Action: Resignation from Peekskill City School District
Effective: December 22, 2021 (Last day worked: 12/22/2021)

II. Retirement:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following staff retirement resignation(s) to the Board of Education for approval: N/A

III. Leave of Absence:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following staff non-paid leave of absence(s) to the Board of Education for approval: N/A

IV. Appointment:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following staff appointment(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Zanovia Lee
Position: 1:1 Teacher Aide
Location: Hillcrest Elementary School
Start Date: November 17, 2021
Probationary End Date: November 16, 2022
Salary: \$18,135.00 (Prorated)

2. Name: Vernon Merriweather
Position: Security Aide
Program: PHS Evening Theater
Effective Date/s: 2021-2022

Stipend:

Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Schools Security Aide Association (PSSAA).

V. Correction:

- A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following staff correction(s) of appointment(s) to the Board of Education for approval: N/A

Student Teachers, Volunteers, Interns:

I. Appointment:

- A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following appointment(s) to the Board of Education for approval:

- 1. Name: Sophie Bolla
 Request: Field Work Hours (6 hours)
 Location: Woodside Elementary School
 Assigned to: Dawn Hoagland
 College: Manhattanville College
 Effective Dates: December 8, 2021 - January 31, 2022

- 2. Name: Brian Mishk
 Request: Student Teaching
 Location: Peekskill High School
 Assigned to: Stephanie Ramirez
 College: Grand Canyon University
 Effective Dates: January 6, 2022 - April 20, 2022

	Name of Volunteer	Location	Organization/ Program	Effective Dates
3.	Sasha Spencer	Uriah Hill	The Guidance Center of Westchester	November 29, 2021 - June 24, 2022
4.	Emily Bender	Family Resource Center	Youth Bureau	November 17, 2021 - June 24, 2022

Using an asterisk (*) at the end of the individual appointment resolutions with the following quoted language as a legend at the end of the personnel resolutions or as a legend below the consent agenda:

*For Volunteers- As per Volunteer Board Policy 4532 - the following volunteers are approved for 10 or less events for current school year

** The appointment resolutions for classroom teachers (or building principal) are conditioned upon meeting the requirement of the current tenure laws and pursuant to the provisions of Regents Rule§30-1.3.

Accordingly, to be eligible for tenure consideration the probationer must have at least three years of effective or highly effective APPR ratings pursuant to §3012-c and/or §3012-d of the Education Law during the four-year period under review and may not receive an ineffective rating during the last year of probation.

*** For classroom teachers with prior tenure as a teacher (or administrators appointed after June 30, 2020) with prior tenure as a teacher or administrator in a New York public school district or BOCES, the probationary term will be three years if there is proof of prior tenure and an APPR rating during the final year of service in the previous school district or BOCES.

**** Classroom Teachers with two years of Jarema Act Credit in this school district shall serve a two-year probationary term if during the two years of Jarema Act service they received APPR ratings pursuant to §§3012-c and/or 3012-d of the Education Law. Where the probationary term is shortened, to be eligible for tenure conferral, the probationer must have at least three effective and/or highly effective APPR ratings and the APPR rating in the final year of probation may not be an ineffective rating.

- B. Donation - GDC Development Corp
That the Board of Education approve the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Assistant Superintendent for Business that, in accordance with Education Law 1718(2), to accept from GDC Development Corp a donation of \$5,000 for the purchase of STEAM kits.
- C. Contract - Soliant Health
That the Board of Education approve the contract with Soliant Health to provide clinical and speech services, supports, speech and psychological evaluations and other duties within the role of school psychologist and speech provider. Commencing November 15, 2021 - June 30, 2022.
- D. Contract - Adventure Bound
That the Board of Education approve the contract with Adventure Bound to provide family program assembly and family show for Saturday Academy program commencing September 1, 2021 - August 31, 2022. Not to exceed \$1,000.
- E. Amended Contract - Battaglia & Associates
That the Board of Education approve the amended contract dated March 16, 2021 with Battaglia and Associates who will provide grant writing and technical assistance in response to grant opportunities. Contract will increase by \$5,000.
- F. Approving Consent Agenda
BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education approves Consent Agenda items 6.A. - 6.E.

Motion: Branwen MacDonald
Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

Second: Samuel North
No: _____ Abstained: _____

Allen Jenkins, Jr
Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Jillian Villon

7. Public Comment on Agenda Items Only
A. Guidelines to Speak to the Board of Education

There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

8. Executive Session

- A. Executive Session

Motion to move to Executive Session – 7:52 p.m.

Motion: Samuel North

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

Allen Jenkins, Jr

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Jillian Villon

Second: Branwen MacDonald

No: _____

Abstained: _____

- B. Adjourn Executive Session – 8:58 p.m.

Motion to move to Public Session

Motion: Branwen MacDonald

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

Allen Jenkins, Jr

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Jillian Villon

Second: Samuel North

No: _____

Abstained: _____

9. Adjournment

- A. Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Board, President Villon asked for a motion to adjourn.

Motion: Samuel North

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

Allen Jenkins, Jr

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Jillian Villon

Second: Branwen MacDonald

No: _____

Abstained: _____

Meeting adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

Debra McLeod
District Clerk