

Peekskill City School District
1031 Elm Street
Peekskill, New York

**BUSINESS MEETING/WORK SESSION
BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOVEMBER 6, 2018**

Board of Education

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

Central Office

Dr. David Mauricio, Superintendent
Ms. Robin Zimmerman, Assistant Superintendent for Business
Dr. Joseph Mosey, Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services
Mr. Daniel Callahan, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education
Dr. Mary Keenan Foster, Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education
Ms. Debra McLeod, District Clerk

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Simpkins at 6:08 p.m. in the George Birdas Room.

A. Recording of Attendance

2. Proposed Executive Session

A. Open Meeting

- (Note: The Board will enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing matters regarding the appointment of a particular contractor(s) and employment history of particular person(s) in the following positions: Athletics; Co Curriculum Non Athletic; Corrections to Previous Agenda; Great Potential; Leave of Absence; Library Media Specialist; Mentors; Occupational Therapist; Office Assistant; Saturday Academy; Lunch Monitor; Teacher Aide Stipends. 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: Samuel North

Second: Branwen MacDonald

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

No: _____ Abstained: _____

Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Michael Simpkins

Jillian Villon

C. Adjourn Executive Session – 7:08 p.m.
Motion to Re-Open Meeting

Motion: Branwen MacDonald
Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson
Allen Jenkins, Jr.
Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Michael Simpkins
Jillian Villon

Second: Maria Pereira
No: _____ Abstained: _____

3. Resume Public Meeting

The meeting was reconvened in the Ford Auditorium at 7:12 p.m.

A. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Hearing of Citizens

A. Public Participation at Board Meetings

There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

5. Superintendent/Board President Report

A. [Superintendent's Report](#)

- Recognition – Tri-State Rocks performers, Christopher Smith & Kathryn Czerwinski
- My Brother's Keeper Launch Update
- [Elementary Curriculum Update](#) (Tenet 3)

6. New Business

A. Cultural Enrichment Experiences

Branwen MacDonald wants to know how do we continue to expand field trips? Dr. Mauricio commented we need a leadership structure to map out field trips that also aligns with curriculum plus adding funding. A proposal will be brought before the board. This will offer enrichment opportunities to every child.

7. Consent Agenda

A. Contract - Pace University

That the Board of Education approve the contract with Pace University to provide staff professional development training to Peekskill staff. Commencing September 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019. Amount not to exceed \$168,000 for 58 teachers and building leader. Funded through Title IIB.

B. Contract - Girl Scouts

That the Board of Education approve the agreement with Girl Scouts Heart of the Hudson at Woodside, Oakside and Hillcrest Elementary Schools. They will perform the roles and responsibilities in the administration of the in-school partnership program during the 2018-2019 school year during lunch, recess and or after school time ; \$0

C. Contract - United Way

That the Board of Education approve the contract with United Way for the 2018-19 School Year to provide services as part of the Family and Community Engagement grant. Not to exceed \$10,000. Funding pending My Brother's Keeper (MBK) grant approval.

D. Personnel Agenda

Certificated

I. Resignation

- A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following teacher resignation to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Dawn Meyer
Position: Teaching Assistant w/ABA training; after school
Certification: Teaching Assistant; Level III
Salary: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract- Grant Funded (611), not to exceed ten (10) hours/week.

Action: Resignation
Effective: October 31, 2018

II. Leave of Absence

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

1. Name: Candis Pagels
Position: Teaching Assistant; Technology
Action: Non-paid Leave of absence; childcare
Effective: October 29, 2018 through January 31, 2019
2. Name: Rita Hobby Barrett
Position: Teaching Assistant; Technology
Action: Non-paid Leave of absence
Effective: January 14, 2019 –January 18, 2019

III. Retirement

- A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following retirement resignations to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Enid Nieves Lopez
Position: Mathematics Teacher
Action: Retirement from the Peekskill City School District
Effective: October 20, 2018

IV. Appointments

- A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following appointments to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Claire Loverro
Position: ESL teacher, LOA replacement
Certification Status: Childhood Education (1-6) & ESOL; Initial
Effective Start Date: October 17, 2018
Effective End Date: December 4, 2018
Salary: \$308/day, as worked, no benefits.
2. Name: Catherine McCabe
Position: Physical Education Teacher (.5 FTE)
Certification: Physical Education; Initial
Start Date: September 4, 2018
End Date: June 26, 2019
Salary: \$54,889 (pro-rated), BA, Step 3
3. Name: Johanna Campoverde
Position: Teaching Assistant
Certification Status: Teaching Assistant; Initial

Tenure Area: Teaching Assistant
Probationary Start Date: November 26, 2018
Probationary End Date: November 25, 2022
Length of Probation: Four (4) years
Salary: \$31,335

4. Name: Heather Goggin
Position: Elementary Teacher
Certification Status: Pre-K, K, and Grades 1-6: permanent
Tenure Area: Elementary Teacher
Probationary Start Date: November 13, 2018
Probationary End Date: November 12, 2022
Length of Probation: Four (4) years
Salary: \$70,742 MA+15, Step 1
5. Name: Margaret McKay
Position: Drama Assistant
Location: Middle School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$3,078
6. Name: Nickolas Agnello
Position: Teacher Mentor
Mentee: Timothy Cavanagh
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,559 (Grant funded)
7. Name: Michael Tanzi
Position: Teacher Mentor
Mentee: Breigh Garulli
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,559 (Grant funded)
8. Name: Jessica VanGalen
Position: Mathematics Honor Society Co-Club Advisor
Location: High School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$769 (split stipend)
9. Name: Kristen Bies
Position: Mathematics Honor Society Co-Club Advisor
Location: High School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$769 (split stipend)
10. Name: George Goess
Position: National Honor Society Advisor
Location: High School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 School Year
Stipend: \$1,539

11. Name: Michelle Obenauer
Position: Science Honor Society Club Advisor
Location: High School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,539
12. Name: Anthony Taylor
Position: JV Boys Basketball Head Coach
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season- Nov. 5th- Feb. 25th
Stipend: \$4,662
13. Name: James Smith
Position: Freshman Boys Basketball Head Coach
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season- Nov. 5th- Feb. 25th
Stipend: \$3,680
14. Name: Demetric Gardner
Position: Modified Boys Basketball Head Coach
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season- Nov. 19th- Feb. 25th
Stipend: \$3,379
15. Name: Kiara Robinson
Position: Varsity Cheerleading Coach
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season- Nov. 5th- Feb. 25th
Stipend: \$4,450
16. Name: Kiara Robinson
Position: JV Cheerleading Coach
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season- Nov. 5th- Feb. 25th
Stipend: \$1,282
17. Name: Timothy Murphy
Position: Oakside Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season
Stipend: \$1,282
18. Name: Timothy Murphy
Position: Oakside Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Spring Season
Stipend: \$1,282
19. Name: Timothy Murphy

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| Position: | Oakside Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Fall Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
20. Name: Catherine McCabe
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| Position: | Hillcrest Intramural |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Fall Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
21. Name: Raul Ortiz
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| Position: | Middle School Wrestling Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Fall Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
22. Name: Timothy Turner
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| Position: | Middle School Boys/Girls Basketball Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Spring Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
23. Name: Jon Iasillo
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| Position: | MS Co-ed Soccer Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Winter Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
24. Name: Jon Iasillo
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| Position: | MS Swim Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Spring Season |
| Stipend: | \$641 |
25. Name: Cami Blazejewski
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| Position: | MS Swim Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Spring Season |
| Stipend: | \$641 |
26. Name: Jon Iasillo
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| Position: | MS Boys Soccer Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |
| Effective Dates: | Spring Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
27. Name: Cami Blazejewski
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| Position: | MS Girls Soccer Intramurals |
| Program: | 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics |

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| Effective Dates: | Spring Season |
| Stipend: | \$1,282 |
28. Name: Catherine McCabe
Position: MS Volleyball Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Spring Season
Stipend: \$1,282
29. Name: Anthony DiCuio
Position: MS Softball Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Spring Season
Stipend: \$1,282
30. Name: Demetric Gardner
Position: MS Flag Football Intramural
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Spring Season
Stipend: \$1,282
31. Name: Demetric Gardner
Position: Hillcrest Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Winter Season
Stipend: \$1,282
32. Name: Troy Lepore
Position: Hillcrest Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Spring Season
Stipend: \$1,282
33. Name: Sean Dwyer
Position: MS Girls Basketball Intramurals
Program: 2018-2019 Co-curricular athletics
Effective Dates: Fall Season
Stipend: \$1,282
34. Name: Arianna Lopez
Position: Lifeguard
Program: Co-curricular athletics; swimming
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$12/hour
35. Name: Nicole Amabile
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Certification Status: English (7-12); Initial
Effective Start Date: November 7, 2018
Effective End Date: June 26, 2019

- Salary: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week, no benefits.
36. Name: Aimee Arreguin
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
37. Name: Meredith Kramer
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Certification Status: Spanish (7-12); Professional
Effective Start Date: November 7, 2018
Effective End Date: June 26, 2019
Salary: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week, no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
38. Name: Andrea Brown
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
39. Name: Deborah Carr
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
40. Name: Summer Casucci
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
41. Name: Barbara Daur
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
42. Name: Suzanne Figueroa
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week

(28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.

43. Name: Patricia Girolamo
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
44. Name: Cindy Greenberg
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
45. Name: Laura Heaney
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
46. Name: Cheryl Jordan
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
47. Name: Randall Lipton
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
48. Name: Frederica Marry
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
49. Name: Christina Toso
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week

(28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.

50. Name: Jewell Van Ord
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
51. Name: John Wyskida
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
52. Name: Susan Buchanan
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
53. Name: Nicholas Ceglio
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
54. Name: DeShaun Dennis
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
55. Name: Claire Loverro
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: December 5, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
56. Name: Susan Soohoo
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week

(28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.

57. Name: Leslie Kohn
Position: Certified Substitute Teacher; Per Diem
Effective Dates: November 16, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$120/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the student's school calendar.
58. Name: William Herman
Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
Certification Status: Students w/Disabilities (5-9) Generalist; Professional
Effective Start Date: November 7, 2018
Effective End Date: June 7, 2019
Salary: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week, no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
59. Name: Lisa Alexander
Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
Certification Status: Childhood Education (Gr. 1-6); Initial
Effective Start Date: November 7, 2018
Effective End Date: June 26, 2019
Salary: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
60. Name: Tara Dirks
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
61. Name: Jaclyn Echeverria
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
62. Name: Theolinda Feliciano
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
63. Name: Joseph Peri
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.

64. Name: Deanna Presta
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
65. Name: Karine Agosto
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
66. Name: Dalem Arsa Artha
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
67. Name: Jaycee DeGroat
Position: Permanent Substitute teacher
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Earnings: \$155/day, as worked, not to exceed four (4) days/week (28hrs./week), no benefits. Follows the school calendar.
68. Name: Melvin Bolden
Program: My Brother's Keeper
Position: Mentor; Middle School
Program: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,500 (Grant Funded)
69. Name: Kimberly Saxton
Program: My Brother's Keeper
Position: Mentor; High School
Program: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,500(Grant Funded)
70. Name: Rahsaan Potillo
Program: My Brother's Keeper
Position: Mentor; Middle School
Program: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,500 (Grant Funded)
71. Name: Jacqueline Kilanowski
Program: Great Potential
Position: Site Director; Middle School
Program: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$4,573 (Grant Funded)
72. Name: Melissa Gualtiere
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy

- Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
73. Name: Jaime Farez
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
74. Name: Delilah Kearney
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
75. Name: Keren Larkin
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
76. Name: Amy Manzano
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
77. Name: Louise Oteiza
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
78. Name: Rahsaan Potillo
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
79. Name: Michelle VanRiper
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
80. Name: Ana Bueno DeLeon
Program: 2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position: Teacher

Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
81. Name:	Christina DelPilar
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Teacher
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
82. Name:	Jonathan Harrison
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Teaching Assistant
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
83. Name:	Dawn Asper
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Teacher Aide
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Teacher Aide Association (PTAO) Contract
84. Name:	Margrethe Dasig
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Teacher Aide
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Teacher Aide Association (PTAO) Contract
85. Name:	Grace Ojeda
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Teacher Aide
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Teacher Aide Association (PTAO) Contract
86. Name:	Chemay Venero
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Security Aide
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Security Aide Association (PSSAA) Contract
87. Name:	Subin Thacheril
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Security Aide substitute; per Diem
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Security Aide Association (PSSAA) Contract
88. Name:	Ricky Gillison
Program:	2018-2019 Saturday Academy
Position:	Security Aide substitute; per Diem
Stipend:	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Security Aide Association (PSSAA) Contract

89. Name: Sadika Clarke
Position: Coordinator for Student Support Services
Certification Status: School District Leader, Professional Certificate
Tenure Area: Coordinator for Student Support Services
Probationary Start Date: December 4, 2018
Probationary End Date: December 3, 2022
Length of Probation: Four (4) years
Salary: \$114,944 (Step 6)

V. Corrections:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following corrections of appointments to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Yolanda Guardino
Position: Drama Assistant
Location: Middle School
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$3,078
Action: Rescind appointment
2. Name: Jequinna McLeod
Position: After School Detention Advisor; Per Diem
Location: Peekskill High School; (Monday- Friday: 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm)
Effective Dates: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) Contract
Action: Rescind appointment
3. Name: Jill Shanahan ***/**
Position: Special Education Teacher
Certification Status: Special Education; Permanent
Tenure Area: Special Education
Probationary Start Date: October 29, 2018
Probationary End Date: October 28, 2022
Length of Probation: Four (4) years
Salary: \$84,983 MA, Step 9
4. Name: Nicole Kossowsky***
Position: Art Teacher
Certification Status: Visual Arts; Professional
Tenure Area: Art
Probationary Period Begins: September 4, 2018
Probationary Period Ends: September 3, 2021
Length of Probation: Three (3) years
Salary: \$78,477 MA+30, step 2
5. Name: Christine Buckman
Position: Special Education Teacher
Certification Status: Special Education (Permanent)
Pre K, K, Grades 1-6 (Permanent)

Tenure Area:	Special Education
Start Date:	November 19, 2018
End Date:	November 18, 2022
Length of Probation:	Four (4) years
Salary:	\$119,290 - MA+45 Step 13

Classified

1. Appointments

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following appointments to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Gladys Fajardo Guapisaca
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Probationary Start Date: October 22, 2018
Probationary End Date: October 21, 2019
Salary: \$14,508.00 (Pro-Rated)
2. Name: Anny Hernandez
Position: Teacher Aide; Classroom Aide
Probationary Start Date: October 18, 2018
Probationary End Date: October 17, 2019
Salary: \$13,392.00 (Pro-Rated)
3. Name: Jennifer Fabiano
Position: Teacher Aide; Classroom Aide
Probationary Start Date: October 18, 2018
Probationary End Date: October 17, 2019
Salary: \$13,392.00 (Pro-Rated)
4. Name: Judith Tello-Espinoza
Position: School Monitor (Lunch)
Location: Woodside Elementary School
Effective Date: October 24, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Salary: \$12.00/hour as worked, not to exceed 17.5 hours/week, no benefits.
5. Name: Maritza Vinci
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs
Effective: 2017-2018 school year
Stipend: \$600 (Pro-Rated)
6. Name: Louise Vermandois
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs
Effective: 2017-2018 school year
Stipend: \$1,000
7. Name: Maria Rivera-Martinez
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs

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| Effective: | 2017-2018 school year |
| Stipend: | \$1,000 |
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| 8. Name: | Ashley Lape |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2017-2018 school year |
| Stipend: | \$500 (Pro-Rated) |
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| 9. Name: | Renee Smalls |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2017-2018 school year |
| Stipend: | \$200 (Pro-Rated) |
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| 10. Name: | Denise Lopez |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2017-2018 school year |
| Stipend: | \$1,000 |
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| 11. Name: | Morgan Morabito |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2017-2018 school year |
| Stipend: | \$400 (Pro-Rated) |
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| 12. Name: | Dawn Kennedy |
| Position: | Office Assistant (Automated Systems) |
| Hire Date Effective: | November 7, 2018 |
| Probationary Start Date: | December 3, 2018 |
| Probationary End Date: | December 2, 2019 |
| Salary: | \$44,487 (Pro-Rated) |
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| 13. Name: | Alyssa Quartuccio |
| Position: | Occupational Therapist |
| Probationary Start Date: | December 3, 2018 |
| Probationary End Date: | December 2, 2019 |
| Salary: | \$65,281MA, Step 1 |
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| 14. Name: | Elizabeth Turner |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2018-2019 school year |
| Stipend: | \$1,000 |
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| 15. Name: | Louise Vermandois |
| Position: | Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide |
| Reason: | Additional Student Health Needs |
| Effective: | 2018-2019 school year |

Stipend: \$1,000

16. Name: Maria Rivera-Martinez
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs
Effective: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,000

17. Name: Maritza Vinci
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs
Effective: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,000

18. Name: Brian Dwyer
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Additional Student Health Needs
Effective: 2018-2019 school year
Stipend: \$1,000

II. Leave of Absence

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

1. Name: Miriam Dimarzo
Position: Teacher Aide; Classroom Aide
Action: Non-paid Leave of absence
Effective: November 13, 2018 through February 5, 2019

III. Retirement

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following retirement resignations to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Barbara Borok
Position: Senior Office Assistant
Action: Retirement from the Peekskill City School District
Effective: January 31, 2019 (last day of active employment will be January 30, 2019)

IV. Corrections:

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following corrections of appointments to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Renee Smalls
Position: School Monitor (Lunch)
Effective Date: October 4, 2018 through June 26, 2019
Salary: \$12.00/hour as worked, not to exceed 17.5 hours/week, no benefits.

2. Name: Jennifer Sampson
Position: Assistant Supervisor of Transportation
2018-2019 Salary: \$77,471

B. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following corrections of resignations to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Renee Smalls
Position: Teacher Aide; 1:1 Aide
Reason: Resignation to accept another in District position within the Peekskill City School District
Effective Date: October 5, 2018 (Last day worked 10/4/2018)

V. Student Teachers, Volunteers, Interns

A. The Superintendent of Schools recommends the following candidates for student teaching and internship to the Board of Education for approval:

1. Name: Deborah Mosley
Request: Volunteer
Location: Woodside Elementary School
Assigned to: R. Aviles-Rodriguez, Principal
Organization: Spellbinders
Effective Dates: November 7, 2018 through June 26, 2019
2. Name: Joseph Schech
Request: Student Teaching
Location: Oakside Elementary School
Assigned to: Timothy Murphy, Physical Education Teacher
College: SUNY Cortlandt
Effective Dates: September 4, 2018 through December 14, 2018

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 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.

E. Medical Examination

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Education Law §913, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the employee discussed in executive session is directed to report for a medical examination in order to determine the mental/physical capacity of such person to perform his/her duties as an employee of the Peekskill City School District. Said medical examination shall be before Dr. Andrew Levin, at his office located at 141 N. Central Avenue Hartsdale, New York on November 16, 2018, at 1:00 p.m. and/or any subsequent days Dr. Levin may require to complete said exam; and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER RESOLVED, that the employee is directed to produce at said medical examination any and all medical records related to the present state of his/her health for the past three (3) years.

F. Approving Consent Agenda

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education approves Consent Agenda items 7.A. - 7.E.

Motion: Samuel North

Second: Branwen MacDonald

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

No: _____ Abstained:_____

Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Michael Simpkins

Jillian Villon

8. Public Comment on Agenda Items Only

A. Guidelines to Speak to the Board of Education

Victoria Kravitz appreciates that PCSD's curriculum will be on the website. Ms. Kravitz would also like to share with the board how to help fund enrichment trips.

Pamela Hallman-Johnson commented she was encouraged and excited to attend the NYSSBA convention.

Vice President Pereira gave a shout out to the robotics team who had a demonstration at the NYSSBA convention. They did an impressive job and she was very proud of them.

9. Executive Session

A. Executive Session

B. Adjourn Executive Session

10. Adjournment

A. Adjournment

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

Motion: Maria Pereira

Second: Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

No: _____ Abstained:_____

Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Michael Simpkins

Jillian Villon

Meeting adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

Debra McLeod
District Clerk