

Peekskill City School District
1031 Elm Street
Peekskill, New York

**BUSINESS MEETING/WORK SESSION
BOARD OF EDUCATION
JUNE 1, 2021**

Board of Education

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

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 Jenkins, Jr. at 6:04 p.m. in accordance with Governor Cuomo's Executive Order 202 relating to the COVID-19 emergency the Board of Education met at PHS auditorium but In-person attendance will NOT be permitted. The District will provide video-conference links online, translated into Spanish, as well as a section for public comments via our BoardDocs website.

A. Recording of Attendance

Virtual Participants:

Pamela Hallman-Johnson

Michael Simpkins arrived late. Pamela Hallman-Johnson left the meeting at 8:43 p.m.

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) for the following positions: CSE Summer Positions; Summer Acceleration Academy Positions; and Tutors for Home Bound Students. 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
Allen Jenkins, Jr.
Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Jillian Villon

No: _____

Abstained: _____

C. Adjourn Executive Session – 7:22 p.m.
Motion to Re-Open Meeting

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

Second: Branwen MacDonald
No: _____ Abstained: _____

3. Resume Public Meeting – In Person Attendance is Not Permitted
The meeting was reconvened at 7:22 p.m. in the PHS Auditorium
- A. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Superintendent/Board President Report
- A. Superintendent's Report
 - [Retirement and Tenure Recognition](#)

Retirement

Last Name	First Name
Ali	Kausar
Campolongo	June
Dahl	Laura
Foster	Mary
Gonzalez	Luz
Hattem	Cindy
Laible	Maria
Liburd	Jacqueline
Rivera	Teresa
Senning	James
Settembre	Matilda
Smith	James
Yeagley-Mountain	Francine

B. Teacher Tenure Recognition

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education approves the Superintendent of Schools recommendations of the following appointments for tenure:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	SCHOOL	PROBATION START	PROBATION END	TENURE AREA
Kearney	Delilah	PKMS	1/3/2017	1/2/2021	Special Education
Badurski	Jennifer	Hillcrest	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Elementary
Levy	Julia	Hillcrest	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Elementary
Pena	Laura	Hillcrest	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Special Education
Adler	Matthew	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Mathematics
Brown	Shenea	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Psychologist
Caceres-Cosme	Romina	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Science
Cavanagh	Timothy	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Special Education
Garulli	Breigh	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Science
Hannigan	Cathleen	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	English
McCarthy	Molly	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Social Studies
Olmstead	Reid	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Psychologist
Potts	Stephanie	PHS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	English
Aguero	Ana	PKMS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Foreign Language
Cruz	Michelle	PKMS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Elementary
Myones	Megan	PKMS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	ENL
Silverman	Amelia	PKMS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Mathematics
Zupa	Kristy	PKMS	8/31/2017	8/30/2021	Special Education

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: _____

- [Peekskill Pride](#)

5. Hearing of Citizens

A. Public Participation at Board Meetings

Christopher of 404 Washington Street: How can he register his child for Dual Language? Dr. Mauricio commented Pre-K & K Registration opened January 19, 2021 to ALL Peekskill City children who will be 4 years old by December 1, 2021. Call at 914-739-0682, Ext. 7535 to register. Also you may call Dr. Foster and Madeline Sanchez to register Dual Language for older children.

6. Superintendent/President Report Continued

A. Superintendent's Report Continued

- [Federal Funding Plan](#) – Student Success Plan

7. Policy Readings

A. First Reading - Policy/[#6700 Purchasing](#) and [Regulation](#)

May I please have a motion to waive the 2nd reading and adopt Policy #6700 Purchasing and Purchasing Regulations

Motion: Samuel North

Second: Jillian Villon

Yes: Pamela Hallman-Johnson

No: _____

Abstained: _____

Allen Jenkins, Jr.

Branwen MacDonald

Samuel North

Maria Pereira

Michael Simpkins

Jillian Villon

8. Consent Agenda

A. Approval of Budget, Assessment Roll and [Tax Warrant, 2021/2022](#)

That the Board of Education of the City School District of Peekskill adopt as its Assessment Roll, excepting that portion thereof which sets for the amount and rate of tax for the year 2021/2022 the Assessment Roll prepared by the Commissioner of Taxation and Assessment of the City of Peekskill bearing the taxable status date of July 1, 2021, and delivered to the Board of Education on September 30, 2021, with subsequent changes, and

That the budget for the 2021/2022 school year be adopted in the amount of \$101,368,973, with anticipated state aid and other receipts accounting for \$58,630,694 and local taxes accounting for \$42,738,279 and

That the sum of \$42,738,279 be levied and raised by a tax upon the taxable property within the boundaries of the City School District of the City of Peekskill on the basis of the aforementioned assessment roll of the City of Peekskill filed in the Office of the Comptroller of the City of Peekskill, and

That the Board of Education of the City School District adopt the attached Tax Warrant for the collection of the 2021/2022 school year and it be duly signed by the members of the Board. Copy attached.

B. Personnel Agenda

Certificated

I. Resignation:

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

II. Retirement:

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

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: Michele Madiou

Position: Teaching Assistant
Action: Non-Paid Leave of Absence for the purpose of accepting another position in the District
Effective: May 19, 2021 through June 30, 2021

2. Name: Salvatore Dodaro
Position: Teaching Assistant
Action: Non-Paid Leave of Absence
Effective: August 30, 2021 through June 24, 2022

IV. Appointment:

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

1. Name: Michele Madiou
Position: Spanish Leave Replacement Teacher
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Certification: Spanish 7-12, Emergency COVID
Effective Start Date: May 19, 2021
Effective End Date: June 25, 2021
Salary: \$53,580 - BA, Step 1 (Pro-rated)
2. Name: Carlos Acevedo
Position: Physical Education Leave Replacement Teacher
Location: Woodside Elementary School
Certification: Physical Education - Initial
Effective Start Date: May 24, 2021
Effective End Date: June 25, 2021
Salary: \$308/day (as worked, without benefits)
3. Name: Michael Diago
Position: School Social Worker
Location: Peekskill High School
Certification: School Social Worker, Provisional
Probationary Start Date: August 30, 2021
Probationary End Date: August 29, 2025
Length of Probation: Four (4) Years
Salary: \$86,114, MA +30, step 4
4. Name: Anne Scally
Position: Special Education Leave Replacement
Location: Oakside Elementary School/Hillcrest Elementary School
Certification: Students with Disabilities (Grades 1-6), Professional

Effective Start Date:

June 7, 2021

Effective End Date:

June 25, 2021

Salary:

\$308.00/day, as worked, without benefits

	Employee:	Position/Program:	Effective Dates:	Stipend:
5.	Sara Simone	CSE Summer Occupational Therapist	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
6.	Elizabeth Barbaretti	CSE Summer Physical Therapist	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
7.	Delilah Kearney	CSE Summer Secondary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
8.	Barbara Volpe	CSE Summer Elementary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
9.	Christine Buckman	CSE Summer Secondary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
10.	Norah Sachs	CSE Summer Secondary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
11.	Rachele Rice	CSE Summer Elementary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
12.	Anilda Eliazer	CSE Summer Elementary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
13.	Jennifer Rodriguez	CSE Summer Elementary General Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

14.	Alyssa Quartuccio	CSE Summer Occupational Therapist	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
15.	Heather Macpherson	CSE Summer Elementary General Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
16.	John Tamborski	CSE Summer Elementary General Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
17.	John Tamborski	CSE Summer Elementary Special Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
18.	Nicole Kossowsky	CSE Summer Secondary General Education Teacher	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
19.	Barbara Volpe	Tutor for Home-Bound Students	2021-2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
20.	Rachele Rice	Tutor for Home-Bound Students	2021-2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
21.	Michelle Obenauer	Tutor for Home-Bound Students	2021-2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
22.	Heather Macpherson	Tutor for Home-Bound Students	2021-2022	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
23.	Michele Bass	Teacher Leader - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
24.	Elizabeth Reilly	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

25.	Amanda Zaccardi	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
26.	Rita Rosa	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
27.	Tanya Sharrock	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
28.	Lauren Dykstra	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
29.	Jennifer Feliz	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
30.	Tara Platt	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
31.	Melissa Fidanza	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
32.	Emily Esposito	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
33.	Shannon Connor	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
34.	Julia Levy	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
35.	Heydi Marquez	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

36.	Peggy Owens	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
37.	Joseph Tama	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
38.	Barbara Volpe	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
39.	Rachel Rice	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
40.	Michelle Van Riper	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
41.	Marisa Anzovino	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
42.	Jamie Rossi	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
43.	John Hahn	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
44.	Jennifer Lombardo	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
45.	Gina Romero	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
46.	Solia Alvarado-Vidal	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

47.	Marlix Hernandez	Teacher Leader Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
48.	Matthew Evans	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
49.	Lucrecia Giha	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
50.	Judith Gonzalez	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
51.	Jennifer Levinson	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
52.	Shyee Lockett	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
53.	Dawn Meyer	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
54.	Johnanna Campoverde	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
55.	Alfred Feron	Teaching Assistant - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
56.	Astrid Bizoni	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
57.	Joseph Schaffer	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

58.	Stephanie Swiander	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
59.	Elizabeth Turner	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
60.	Dawn Asper	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
61.	Terri Edmead	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
62.	Nicole Messia	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
63.	Jaron Reed	Teacher Aide - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
64.	Esmeraly Calderon	Substitute Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
65.	Renee Hess	Substitute Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
66.	Heather Macpherson	Substitute Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
67.	Teresa Ferreira	Substitute Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)
68.	Heather Ausiello	Teacher - Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy	Summer 2021	Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill Faculty Association (PFA) contract. (Grant Funded)

V. Correction:

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

1. Name: Danielle Dorion
Position: ELA Leave Replacement Teacher
Certification: English (Grades 7-12) - Emergency COVID
Location: Peekskill Middle School
Effective Start Date: May 24, 2021
Effective End Date: June 25, 2021
Salary: \$244/day (as worked, without benefits)
Action: Correct position and effective start date

2. Name: Jennifer Feliz
Position: Mentor
Mentee: Andrea Perez
Effective Dates: 2020 - 2021
Stipend: \$1,590 - Grant funded Title 2
Action: Rescind appointment

3. Name: Carlos Acevedo
Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher
Location: Peekskill Middle School/Woodside Elementary School
Certification: Physical Education - Initial
Effective Start Date: May 19, 2021
Effective End Date: May 21, 2021
Salary: \$155/day as worked, without benefits (Not to exceed four (4) days/week, or twenty-eight (28) hours/week)
Action: Correct effective end date

Classified

I. Resignation:

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

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: Tashuma Draper
Position: Security Aide
Program: Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy
Dates Effective: July 6, 2021-July 30, 2021
Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Mondays and Wednesdays)
Stipend: \$21.00/hour
2. Name: Tawfiq Bey
Position: Security Aide
Program: Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy
Dates Effective: July 6, 2021-July 30, 2021
Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Tuesdays and Thursdays)
Stipend: \$21.00/hour

V. Correction:

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

1. Name: Ricky Gillison
Position: Security Aide
Location: Hillcrest Elementary School
Program: Elementary Summer Acceleration Academy
Dates Effective: Summer 2021-2022
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill School Security Aide Association (PSSAA) Contract
Action: Correct Dates
2. Name: Ricky Gillison
Position: Security Aide
Location: Woodside Elementary School
Program: Kindergarten Screening
Dates Effective: June 8, June 9, and June 22, 2021
Hours: 4:00 pm -6:30 pm
Stipend: Terms of employment are in accordance with the Peekskill School Security Aide Association (PSSAA) Contract
Action: Correct Dates

Student Teachers, Volunteers, Interns:

I. Appointment:

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

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.

C. Extension of Probationary Period

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education herewith authorizes and approves a certain Letter Agreement and General Release between a certain probationary employee (#3528) and the Board of Education of the Peekskill City School District; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education herewith extends the probationary period for the above-referenced probationary employee from August 30, 2021, to August 30, 2022, in accordance with the above-referenced Letter Agreement and General Release.

D. Transportation Agreement

That the Board of Education approve the transportation agreement made on June 1, 2021 for ID #34212.

E. Approving Consent Agenda

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education approves Consent Agenda items 8.A. - 8.D.

Motion: Branwen MacDonald

Second: Samuel North

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

No: _____

Abstained: _____

9. Public Comment on Agenda Items Only

A. Guidelines to Speak to the Board of Education

There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

Maria Pereira commented on Memorial Day and she appreciates the veterans. President Jenkins, Jr. stated it is a nice jester done by the PHS teachers how they kicked in and purchased tickets for students in need to attend the prom.

10. Executive Session

A. Executive Session – 8:56 p.m.

Motion to adjourn to Executive Session

Motion: Branwen MacDonald

Second: Maria Pereira

Yes: Allen Jenkins, Jr.

No: _____

Abstained: _____

Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Michael Simpkins
Jillian Villon

B. Adjourn Executive Session – 9:18 p.m.

Motion to adjourn Executive Session and Re-Open meeting

Motion: Jillian Villon

Second: Maria Pereira

Yes: Allen Jenkins, Jr.

No: _____

Abstained: _____

Branwen MacDonald
Samuel North
Maria Pereira
Michael Simpkins
Jillian Villon

11. Adjournment

A. Adjournment

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

Motion: Jillian Villon

Second: Michael Simpkins

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

No: _____

Abstained: _____

Meeting adjourned at 9:18 p.m.

Debra McLeod
District Clerk