

RHINEBECK CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Rhinebeck, New York

Regular Meeting

BMS/RHS Campus: Joseph L. Phelan Auditorium

Tuesday, October 27, 2020, 7:00 pm

AGENDA

1.0 Call to Order

2.0 Approval of Minutes

2.1 Motion to approve the minutes of the October 13, 2020 Regular Meeting.

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3.1 Report of the Superintendent

3.2 Student Recognition

RHS National Merit Semifinalist and Commended Students

4.0 Public Comment

5.0 Reports and Discussion

5.1 Board Committee Report: Performance Monitoring

6.0 Comments

6.1 Good News

6.2 Old Business

6.3 Public Comment

6.4 Other

7.0 Action Items

7.1 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the following consent items:

7.1.1 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the CSE and CPSE recommendations.*

7.1.2 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve a leave of absence for **Matthew Grande**, BMS Social Studies teacher, with such leave to be taken as paid medical leave, from *October 13, 2020 through December 14, 2020*.

7.1.3 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve a leave of absence under the Family and Medical Leave Act for **Nicole Sandoval**, to commence on or about *February 21, 2021*, with such leave to be taken as paid medical leave through the period of disability as certified by a physician, in writing, through June 30, 2021, to the extent of her accrued sick leave and, thereafter, such leave to be taken as unpaid child care leave as requested in writing.

7.1.4 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the following budget transfer in accordance with RCSD Board of Education policy #6150 to allocate monies from computer leases to equipment in order to purchase computing devices for 3rd graders:

Code	Name	To	From
A2630490	BOCES SERVICES		\$82,000.00
A263020050	EQUIPMENT	\$82,000.00	

7.1.5 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the appointment of the following staff members for BMS after-school program, compensated at 1/7th of 1/200th of salary, per hour:

Grade 6	Terri Kupiec	2x/wk.
Grade 7	Alyssa Barnes	1x/wk.
Grade 7	Henry Frischknecht	1x/wk.
Grade 8	Tom Blass	1x/wk.

7.1.6 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the Treasurer's Report (General Fund, September 2020; Extraclassroom Fund, September 2020).

7.1.7 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the revised 2020-21 school tax bills totalling \$738.66 in reduction adjustments for taxpayer 6168-03-478147 and make appropriate refunds to the property owner, if required.

7.1.8 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the list of additional substitute teachers and non-instructional substitute personnel for the 2020-2021 school year:

Non-Instructional

Christopher Cassano

Rhinebeck, NY

- 7.2 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the probationary Civil Service appointment of **Susan Lengyel**, to the position of Registered Nurse, at 6.5 hours per diem, with a 26 week probationary period, effective *October 19, 2020* at a salary of Step 5 (\$54,478, prorated), in accordance with the ANIE salary schedule for 2020-21. This hiring is required for a 504 student for transportation purposes and to supplement the ongoing COVID-19 procedures by our school health professionals.
- 7.3 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the appointment of **Amanda Alhejazien** as a short-term, leave-replacement Special Education teacher to provide specialized instruction to two homeschool CSE students at an hourly rate of \$60. This appointment fills an anticipated vacancy by Alyson Burton effective on or around December 23rd, 2020.
- 7.4 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the appointment of **Alison Turowski** as a homebound special education teacher for a homebound student at an hourly rate of \$60 up to 10 hours per week, effective *October 21, 2020*. This appointment fills the vacancy created by Tracy Austria.
- 7.5 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to appoint **Jessica Hudock** to the Civil Service position of Teacher Aide, assigned to CLS, effective *November 4, 2020*, at a rate of \$17.94 per hour for a six-and-a-half (6.5) hour day, in accordance with the 2020-21 ANIE Salary Schedule for 2020-21, with a 26-week probationary period.
- 7.6 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to appoint **Daniel Lehan** to the Civil Service position of leave replacement Teacher Aide, assigned to CLS, effective *October 29, 2020*, at a salary of Step 1 (\$22,854, prorated), in accordance with the 2020-21 ANIE Salary Schedule for 2020-21. This appointment fills the vacancy created by Kathleen Smith and her appointment to a leave replacement Teacher Assistant position.
- 7.7 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to appoint **Tamisha Greenhill** to the position of Central Treasurer, effective *October 28, 2020*, at the stipend amount of \$2,664, prorated, in accordance with Schedule E in the 2020-21 RTA contract.
- 7.8 Motion** upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to accept a donation of \$1,500 granted by the Rhinebeck Science Foundation for the purposes of Principal Micro-Grants in the amount of \$500 for each building Principal.

7.9 Motion upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to accept a donation of a snare drum, value unknown, by Dorothy Nelmes, to the Music Department.

8.0 Proposed Executive Session, if Necessary, Subject to Board Approval

9.0 Adjournment

Dates to remember

November 5 - BOE External and Stakeholder Relations Committee, 5 PM

November 10 - Regular Meeting, Board of Education

November 12 - BOE Strategic and Operational Planning Committee, 5:15 PM

November 19 - BOE Performance Monitoring/Audit Committee, 4:15 PM