# **FAIRVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

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# Meeting of the Fairview Board of Education

Borough of Fairview, New Jersey

Public Meeting Agenda

August 4, 2020

Scheduled Start Time: 6:00 PM

Location:

Lincoln School Annex

130 Hamilton Ave.

Fairview, NJ 07022

Educating Our Children for the 21st Century

#### Items for approval by the Fairview Board of Education:

Scheduled Start Time: 6:00 PM

#### Full Agenda

#### **Curriculum:**

A. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the following professional development activities and providers paid for through the ESSA Grant (at no cost to the district) for the 2020-2021 school year:

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LinkIT (Linc.)	\$11,349.00
LinkIT (#3/3A)	\$11,349.00
Imagine Learning	\$ 37,750.00
IXL Math and ELA	\$ 18,169.00

**Professional Development** 

Readers's Workshop, LLC (PD In-district) \$36,000

B. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, appoints the following faculty members to the I&RS committees for the 2020-2021 school year:

Lincoln School Annex	Number Three Annex
Veronica Scerbo-Principal	Lucille Juliano-Principal
Joanne Godlewski- School Nurse	Wendy Lamar-School Nurse
Anna Dilks- CST	Keila Rivera-Perez-CST
Tina Sakellaris-Special Ed. Teacher	Ciara Dunlea-Special Ed. Teacher
Lisa Rossillo- Teacher	Vanessa Basile-Teacher

Number Three School	Lincoln School
Maria Kushi-Principal	Lea Turro-Principal
Wendy Lamar-School Nurse	Joanne Godlewski- School Nurse
Jacqueline Powell-CST	Linda Steffe-CST
Chris Puente-Special Ed. Teacher	Dana Kavanagh-CST
Mirna Fuentes-Teacher	John Salemme-Special Ed. Teacher
	Maria Pitasi-Teacher

C. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves and accepts the FY 21 IDEA Grant application for the 2020-2021 school year in the following amounts:

Pre-School Public	\$ 10,422.00
Basic Public	\$ 446,200.00
Non-Public School.	\$ 28,624.00

D. *Be it resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the submission of the FY 21 Cares Grant for the Digital Divide application for the 2020-2021 school year in the following amount:

#### **Personnel:**

- E. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Mr. John Bussanich to serve as the district Open Public Records Act (O.P.R.A) Officer for the 2020 2021 school year (non-compensated position).
- F. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves an additional ten (10) summer work days in August 2020, for Matthew Capilli, Supervisor, to work on district grants, professional development and preparation for the opening of school in September 2020.
- G. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Kean University School Psychology Externship Agreement for Christina Citakian, student, for the 2020-2021 school year.
- H. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Lucille Juliano, Principal, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment A)
- I. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Lea Turro, Principal, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment B)
- J. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Maria Kushi, Principal, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment C)
- K. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Betty Puente, Vice-Principal, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment D)
- L. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Veronica Scerbo, Principal, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment E)

- M. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Maryann Bennetti, Supervisor, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment F)
- N. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Matthew Capilli, Supervisor, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment G)
- O. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the contract and salary schedule for Rita Juliano, Board Secretary/Confidential Secretary, for school years 2020-2023. (Attachment H)
- P. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Mrs. Lucille Juliano to serve as the Fairview Public School District Affirmative Action Officer (non-compensated position) for the 2020 2021 school year and Mr. Matthew Capilli to act as the Alternate AAO as needed for the 2020-2021 school year. (non-compensated positions)
- Q. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Mrs. Enzina Bruzzesi (Bilingual Teacher) to serve as the chair of the Fairview District Bilingual Advisory Committee (non-compensated position) for the 2020 2021 school year.
- R. *Be it resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Sarah Jung, River Edge, NJ, to the position of ESL Teacher, for the 2020-2021 school year (Step 1 FEA contract + Master's degree stipend) pending completion of criminal history review.
- S. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Lauren Hussey, Nutley, NJ to the position of Elementary Teacher, for the 2020-2021 school year (step 1 FEA contract) pending completion of criminal history review.
- T. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Ashley Sullivan, Norwood, NJ to the position of Special Education Teacher, for the 2020-2021 school year (Step 1 FEA contract) pending completion of criminal history review.
- U. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Francesca Spadaro, Rutherford, NJ to the position of Pre-school Teacher, for the 2020-2021 school year (Step 1 FEA contract) pending completion of criminal history review.

- V. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Lindsey Leahy, Hoboken, NJ, to the position of Special Education Teacher, for the 2020-2021 school year (Step 1 FEA contract) pending completion of criminal history review.
- W. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the resignation of Thomas Rizzo Sr., bus driver, effective July 6, 2020.
- X. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the appointment of Ms. Alexa Canning, guidance counselor, to the position of District Anti-bullying Coordinator and District Homeless Liaison for the 2020-2021 school year. (non-compensated positions)

# **Policy and Procedure:**

- Y. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the School Nutrition Policy for the 2020 2021 school year.
- Z. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the acceptance/submission of the Fairview District School Reopening Plan August 5, 2020 to the Bergen County Office of Education.
- AA. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves Policy 1648 Restart and Recovery Plan including Health Screening and Policy 1648.02 Remote Learning Options For Families. (Attachment I)
- BB. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Catapult Learning Contract for nonpublic nursing services with the Academy of Our Lady of Grace School for the 2020-2021 school year. The nonpublic nursing services are paid for by the State of New Jersey non-public nursing aide. (Attachment J) (No cost to the District)
- CC. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education,* upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Fairview District Nursing Services Plan for the 2020 2021 school year.
- DD. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the 2020-2021 Managed Services Agreement with Digital Strategy Associates, LLC, the company that manages the district website and gmail accounts. (Attachment K)
- EE. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves changing the first day of school on the district calendar for students from September 2, 2020 to September 8, 2020 in order to provide teachers with

training on setting up rooms, cleaning and health protocols before school opens. Teachers will report for work on Friday, September 4, 2020 before students return. Three days will be added to the district calendar at the end of the school year in June 2021 to accommodate the later start date for students.

#### **Finance**

- FF. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the High Point School of Bergen County Tuition Contract for one student for the 2020/2021 school year at a rate of \$70,491.20. Student named not disclosed for privacy reasons.
- GG. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the October 2019 Northern Region Services Commission Transportation Agreement for \$16,079.44 for one student. Student named not disclosed for privacy reasons.
- HH. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the IDEA Agreement for 2020/2021 School Year. Services rendered are as follows:
  - ➤ Additional Supplemental Instruction \$100/45 min
  - > Speech Therapy \$75/30 min
  - > Occupational and Physical Therapy \$150/hr
  - ➤ Behaviorist \$135/hr
- II. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the NJ Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired Tuition Contracts for the following students for the 2020/2021 school year. Students named not disclosed for privacy reasons

<u>STUDENT</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	TOTAL COST
1	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
2	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
3	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
4	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
5	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
6	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
TOTAL		\$15,500.00

JJ. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the Tuition Contracts for the following students for the 2020/2021 school year to attend Ridgefield Special Education Services. Students named not disclosed for privacy reasons.

STUDENT	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>ESY</u>	TOTAL COST
1	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
2	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
3	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
4	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
5	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
6	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
7	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
8	\$54,780.00	\$8,419.00	\$63,199.00
9	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
10	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
11	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
12	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
13	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
14	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
15	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
16	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
17	\$41,940.00	\$6,538.00	\$48,478.00
18	\$54,780.00		\$54,780.00
19	\$54,780.00		\$54,780.00
20	\$41,940.00		\$41,940.00
21		\$6,538.00	
GRAND TOTAL:	\$967,200.00	\$126,194.00	\$1,093,394.00

- KK. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the attached Memorandum of Agreement for the Support Staff contract from 2019 to 2022.
- LL. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the attached letter to the County regarding the reduction in the State Aid from \$15,495,480 to \$13,088,240, a reduction of \$2,407,240. (see attached)

MM. IDEA Agreement for 2020/2021 School Year. Services rendered are as follows:

- ➤ Additional Supplemental Instruction \$100/45 min
- > Speech Therapy \$75/30 min
- Occupational and Physical Therapy \$150/hr
- ➤ Behaviorist \$135/hr
- B. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the IDEA Agreement for 2020/2021 School Year. Services rendered are as follows:
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  - > Speech Therapy \$75/30 min
  - Occupational and Physical Therapy \$150/hr
  - ➤ Behaviorist \$135/hr
- C. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves internal transfers from various accounts to various accounts (see attached)
- D. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the Requisition for Taxes.
- E. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the Board Secretary's Report for the month of June 2020.
- F. Be it Resolved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Business Administrator, approves the Bank Reconciliation of Statement for the month of June 2020.

Payment of Claims June/July 2020 = \$1,207,038.01

#### Calendar:

Date	Event	Time & Place
August 26	Secretaries Report	All schools
August 25	Next BOE Meeting	Lincoln Annex 6:00PM
September 4	Instructional Staff Reports	9:00 AM
September 8	K-8 Students Report	All Schools
September 14	Pre-K Students Report	Lincoln Annex

#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR APPROVAL

- NN. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Board Secretary, approves payment of the Cliffside Park Transportation outstanding invoice with the 10% reduction due to COVID-19 epidemic.
- OO. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Board Secretary, approves the elimination of the Courtesy Busing for the 2020/2021 School Year or until further notice due to COVID-19 epidemic.
- PP. *Be it Resolved that the Board of Education*, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the elimination of the following Fall Activities due to COVID-19 epidemic:
  - ➤ All Fall Sports
  - > After School Programs
  - > After Care Program