

GLEN RIDGE BOARD OF EDUCATION
April 5, 2021

Virtual Meeting: [BOE Meeting Link](#)

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Glen Ridge Board of Education was held on Monday, April 5, 2021 at 5:34 pm through remote means via Zoom.

The meeting was held in accordance with applicable NJ Statutes governing public Board of Education meetings.

Present

Mr. Bonnett
Ms. Boyle-Vellucci
Mr. Campbell
Mr. de Leeuw
Ms. Gottlieb
Ms. Graham
Ms. St. Auburn
Dr. Yaros-Ramos
Ms. Ginsburg
Mr. Phillips
Mrs. Murphy
Ms. Cornell – Board Attorney from Sciarrillo, Cornell, Merlino, McKeever & Osborne, LLC

STATEMENT OF PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

This is a regular meeting of the Glen Ridge Board of Education. Adequate and electronic notice of this change of meeting location and time has been provided in that this Board notified the Glen Ridge Paper and the Star Ledger on January 7, 2021. Said notice was published in the Glen Ridge Paper on January 14, 2021 and Star Ledger on January 12, 2021. The date, time, and location of this meeting were also emailed to all recipients of the annual schedule of the Board's meetings.

Dirk Phillips, Superintendent
Barbara Murphy, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

5:37 pm EXECUTIVE SESSION

Moved: Mr. Bonnett Seconded: Ms. Gottlieb

WHEREAS, a matter to be considered by the Board of Education deals with personnel, negotiations, confidential pupil matters, and/or possible litigation, and

WHEREAS, public disclosure of this matter may be prejudicial to the public good,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this matter be considered in a meeting closed to the public; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the minutes of this meeting be sealed until the matter is resolved.

Adjourn to closed session

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

Public Session – Ms. Graham motioned to return to public session at 6:17 pm. Mr. Bonnett seconded the motion.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

Ms. Ginsburg reported that the board has received written communications from members of the public as follows:

- Yasamine Viehland on suggestions for lunch options for our students.
- Jacob Schwam on changes in distancing in CDC guidelines.
- Meredith Busby on a personnel matter.
- Jennifer Bhujle on the timeline for changes to elementary school schedules.
- Beth Bernasconi with a host of dyslexia resources.

- Julia Stolte regarding a capital expenditure for copper gutters.
- Lavanya Raghavan on concerns about the AAPI hate and discrimination issues.
- Kylie Krabbe on the subject of "To Kill a Mockingbird" and the HS curriculum.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- Ms. Ginsburg reported that Governor Murphy announced that by April 19th all NJ residents age 16 and over will be eligible to receive the vaccine.
- Ms. Ginsburg explained that we are currently in a state of emergency which may or may not change by the fall. There are certain rules we operate under in a state of emergency and there are a lot of questions as to whether those will change. We are waiting on guidance from the state.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- Mr. Phillips presented a district update including COVID numbers, school building schedules, student recognition, facility projects; district initiatives including an equity audit, strategic planning, and special education audit; student development, social and emotional learning and character education.
- He noted that there is a motion on the agenda to approve AlphaBEST, an outside vendor, to run our After care/Before care program. The rates and program hours will be the same and current staff are able to be hired. They offer a comprehensive program that has a curriculum and enrichment activities. There will be a parent orientation and more information to follow.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Agenda Items)

During the course of the board meeting, the Board of Education offers members of the public an opportunity to address issues regarding the operation of the Glen Ridge Public Schools. The Board reminds those individuals who take this opportunity to identify themselves by name and residency and to limit their comments to items listed on the agenda and/or items directly related to the operation of the School District. Issues raised by members of the public may or may not be responded to by the Board. All comments will be considered and a response will be forthcoming if and when appropriate. The Board asks that members of the public be courteous and mindful of the rights of other individuals when speaking. Specifically, comments regarding students and employees of the Board are discouraged and will not be responded to by the Board. Students and employees have specific legal rights afforded by the laws of New Jersey. The Board bears no responsibility nor will it be liable for any comments made by members of the public. Members of the public should consider their comments in light of the legal rights of those affected or identified in their comments and be aware that they are legally responsible and liable for their comments.

- Yasamine Viehland, resident, asked about the transition to the extended day and full day, and how lunches will be managed. Mr. Phillips explained the challenges that come with the 6 feet distancing guidelines during lunch. The district is moving intentionally and will be monitoring situations when making significant changes.
- Bernice Clark Bonnett, resident, asked if there are time tables for the equity audit, special ed audit and the strategic planning, and what the goals of the special education audit are. Mr. Phillips replied that the equity audit is to be submitted to us in June. Schedules for the strategic plan and the special education audit will come after we choose our vendors. The goals of the special education audit will be comprehensive and include understanding what we are doing well and identifying weaknesses.
- Jacob Schwam, resident, asked about how we plan on moving forward with lunch. Mr. Phillips explained that the current mandate requires masks and 3 feet distancing for elementary students. However, when masks are off, the mandate is 6 feet distancing. The challenge is finding multiple spaces and supervision for lunches.
- Laurie Davis, resident, asked about the current plan when students are having snack, and asked for clarification on quarantine policies for athletics and in the classroom. Mr. Phillips explained that in good weather the students are having snack outside, 6 feet apart. In inclement weather they have snack in shifts, in order to stay 6 feet apart. Mr. Phillips stated that we reach out to the local health department when the quarantine situation is not clear. This happens often with athletics which may include physical contact. For the classroom, if a student was in close contact for 15 minutes or more and less than 6 feet apart, they would have to quarantine. The new mandate of 3 feet in the classroom does not change the quarantine requirement for 15 minutes or more for less than 6 feet apart so we may see more quarantine situations.
- Allison Schwam, resident, asked about students currently eating lunch at their desks when their desks are 3 feet apart. She also asked why the high school students would come back first, before the elementary students. Mr. Phillips noted that the students are not having lunch and when they have snack they should be 6 feet apart. Mr. Phillips responded that it was only the seniors at the high school that came back first because there was a large number of seniors who chose to be remote so we were able to maintain the 6-foot distancing.

COMMITTEE REPORTS (First meeting of the month only)

Curriculum Committee

- Mr. de Leeuw reported that the committee met a couple of weeks ago, and discussed CDC guidelines and the potential effects of remote learning.

Personnel and Policy Committee

Negotiations Committee

Finance and Facilities Committee

- Mr. Campbell reported that our next meeting is scheduled for April 14th.

Communications Committee

Alternative Funding Committee

LIAISON REPORTS (First meeting of the month only)

Home & School Associations

- High School H&SA - Ms. Ginsburg reported on the latest meeting. Items discussed were scheduling changes, end of year activities, the golf outing, the annual plant sale, project graduation, and the 8th grade move up activity, a carnival.
- Ridgewood Avenue H&SA - The next meeting is scheduled for April 26th.
- Forest Avenue H&SA - The next meeting is scheduled for this Wednesday at 7:00 pm.
- Linden Avenue H&SA - The next meeting is scheduled for April 26th.
- Central H&SA - The next meeting is scheduled for April 29th.

Glen Ridge Association for Special Education (GRASE)

- Ms. Gottlieb reported that the next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 21st at 7:30 pm. At the last meeting parents were able to ask questions of the board members. Topics discussed were social and emotional learning, Effective School Solutions, Orton Gillingham training, and academic development in period 9.

Glen Ridge Black Diversity and Inclusion Association (GRBDIA)

- Ms. Ginsburg reported that they had a women's history month scavenger hunt on March 12th.

Glen Ridge Educational Foundation (GREF)

Glen Ridge Athletic Association (GRAA)

- Mr. Bonnett reported that registration for outdoor sports has begun.

Glen Ridge Arts Patrons Association (GRAPA)

- Ms. Boyle-Vellucci reported that they will be awarding scholarships this year to Arts honor students.

Gas Lamp Players

- Ms. Boyle-Vellucci reported that they will be having a summer program and a teen program presentation next month.

MINUTES

M-1 Board of Education Minutes

Moved: Mr. de Leeuw Seconded: Mr. Campbell

Approve the Glen Ridge Board of Education minutes of the following meetings:

March 15, 2021 Executive Session and Regular Meeting

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

ADMINISTRATION

A-1 Second Reading of New and/or Revised Policies and Regulations

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Mr. Bonnett

Approve the second reading of new and/or revised policies and regulations of the Glen Ridge Board of Education as follows: (Exhibit A-1)

A. General Policy and Regulation Guides

- P 0145 Board Member Resignation and Removal (M) (Revised)
- P 0164.6 Remote Public Board Meetings During A Declared Emergency (M) (New)
- R 1642 Earned Sick Leave Law (M) (Revised)
- P 1643 Family Leave (M) (New)

- P 3431.1 Family Leave (M) (Abolished)
- P 4431.1 Family Leave (M) (Abolished)
- P 3431.3 New Jersey Family Leave Insurance Program (Abolished)
- P 4431.3 New Jersey Family Leave Insurance Program (Abolished)
- P & R 5330.01 Administration of Medical Cannabis (M) (Revised)
- P 7425 Lead Testing of Water in Schools (M) (Revised)
- R 7425 Lead Testing of Water in Schools (M) (New)
- P & R 7430 School Safety (M) (Abolished)

B. No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB) to Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Policy and Regulation Guides

- P 2415 Every Student Succeeds Act (M) (Revised)
- P 2415.01 Academic Standards, Academic Assessments, and Accountability (M) (Abolished)
- P 2415.02 Title I – Fiscal Responsibilities (M) (Revised)
- P 2415.03 Highly Qualified Teachers (M) (Abolished)
- P 2415.05 Student Surveys, Analysis, and/or Evaluations (M) (Revised)
- P & R 2415.20 Every Student Succeeds Act Complaints (M) (Revised)
- P 4125 Employment of Support Staff Members (M) (Revised)
- P 6360 Political Contributions (M) (Revised)
- P 8330 Student Records (M) (Revised)
- P 9713 Recruitment by Special Interest Groups (M) (Revised)

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

PERSONNEL

P-1 Appointments

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the appointment of the following:

<u>Name</u> <u>Location</u>	<u>Position</u> <u>Guide/Salary</u>	<u>Effective</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>End</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Account #</u> <u>PCR#</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
Christine Gwitt RAS	Leave Replacement Part Time Spanish Teacher \$200 per diem	3/26/21	6/30/21	11-130-100-101-00-00-04 11-120-100-101-00-00-04	Leave Replacement
Emily Breen GRHS	Leave Replacement CST Member \$325 per diem	8/30/21	4/8/22	11-000-219-104-00-00-01 11-000-219-104-00-00-02 11-000-219-104-00-00-03 11-000-219-104-00-00-04 11-000-219-104-00-00-05	Leave Replacement
Sana Chaudhry GRHS	Leave Replacement Part Time CST Member \$50 per hour (not to exceed 5 hours per day)	4/9/21	6/17/21	11-000-219-104-00-00-01 11-000-219-104-00-00-02 11-000-219-104-00-00-03 11-000-219-104-00-00-04 11-000-219-104-00-00-05	Leave Replacement

*Pending State and District Approval

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-2 Leaves

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

- a. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the maternity leave for employee #6225, utilizing 5 sick days effective August 30, 2021 until September 3, 2021, followed by child care leave of absence under Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) and NJ Family Leave Act (NJFLA), without pay from September 8, 2021 through November 26, 2021. Employee is returning to work on November 29, 2021.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-3 Resignations/Retirements

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, accept, with regret, the following:

Name	Position	Location	Resignation or Retirement	Effective Date
Katherine Hiromoto	Payroll	District	Resignation	5/21/21
Rosemary Madden	Permanent Sub	FAS	Resignation	4/9/21
Edmund Myszkowski	Paraprofessional	RAS	Resignation	4/27/21

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-4 Teacher Conference Stipend

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Approve the following staff for a teacher conference stipend at the rate of \$30.00 per night:

<u>March 23, 2021</u>	
<u>Linden Avenue School</u>	<u>Forest Avenue School</u>
Lyndsay Batikha	Diane Blazier
Elaina Frissell	Laura Fitzpatrick
Jennifer Gonzaga	Lisa Walter
Cassie Grossi	Jamie Lally
Abigail Lapone	Genna Chiapperini
Helene Maia	Lisbeth Crouse
Kelly Kren	Kaylynn Millien
Rachel Patterson	Alyssa Roqueni
Samantha Myers	Michelle Klein (worked on 3/22)
Jodie Schnack	
Francesca Roselli	
Deanna Ruglio	
Donna Chiaramonte	
Lisa Jacobsen	
<u>Central School</u>	
Stephanie Appleby	Megan Connolly
Bertha Valladares	Linda Perrotta
Jennifer Oriondo	Pamela Urban

<u>Ridgewood Avenue School</u>			
<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>
Stacy	Amanna	Alex	Lopes
Tim	Aumack	Amy	Louie
Lauren	Bas	Christina	Lovermi
Juliann	Beckmann	Erica	Marinero
Beth	Bleek	Allie	Meeker
Seth	Blender	Jarrad	Nardiello
Emily	Breen	Monica	Nieves

Keith	Bucher		Samantha	Odell
Paulette	Cinotti		Greg	Pavliv
Lindsay	Coral		Samantha	Reindeau
Jennifer	Cordasco		Emily	Reyes
Domenic	Curfman		Asheley	Rockwell
Leanne	DeSciscio		Francesca	Roselli
Alyssa	DeSimone		Cortney	Ryan
Anthony	Elia		John	Sarcone
Paula	Ely		Erica	Schwerin
Lyanne	Gonzalez		Nick	Simatos
Amanda	Goodwin		Sharon	Smith
Danielle	Heller		Christine	Sullo
Doug	Hellstern		Jill	Szalony
Amy	Kearns		Theresa	Tarabocchia
Eileen	Kelly		Scott	Terpin
Alex	Kramer		Jerry	White
Shannon	Lekas		Jenn	Wujciak

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-5 Conference Stipend at GRHS

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

- a. Approve the following staff who worked extra time for conferences at a rate of \$30.00 per hour:

Name	Amount of Time
Christina Abrahamsen	30 mins
Courtney Warren	10 mins

- b. Approve the following staff for a \$30.00 conference stipend:

Christina Abrahamsen	Lauren Schmitt	Jessica Mahaffey
Courtney Warren	Kimberly Burk	Shana Caulfield
Smita Ganatra	Felicia Nardiello	Michael Salvatelli
Allison Gallo	Vallerie Cogliati	Tia Gist
Patrick Hansen	Erin Goers	Rachael Hogan
Matt Cannici	Alyssa Angelo	Tom Novak
Katie Balaschak	Sean Fitzpatrick	Duke Mendez
Jody Hackmeyer	Cluny Mendez	Vivian Petrosino
Stephanie Pollak	Lindsay Downey	Jennifer O'Connor
MaryLynn Savio	Mia Riggi	Joe Mazarella
Sean McLearnie	Sharon Tully	Jill Landgraber
Kostas Barkouras	Kyle Concha	Lindsey Deptula
Mike Levine	Robert Booth	Heather Kobylinski
Timothy Panebianco	Lawrence Rothweiler	Caitlin Holden
Sophia Logothetis	David Majewski	Arlene Non
Nick Benevento	Eric Dimeck	Heather Sinton
Genine D'Andrea	Carol Svetik	Emily Reyes

Kris Zaragoza	Emily Ramos	Danielle Zieser
Lauren Foley	Brian Ianni	Shihong Zhang
Rosemary Matar	Jackie Cerone	Jennifer Chiang
Jenelle Hamer	Connie Kontos	Lillian Serghides
Caitlin Reilly	Stephanie Pollak	Meredith Batastini
Janet Dobbs	Kate Pritchard	Caitlin Price
Steven Finkel	Andrew Shohen	Pam Baker
Chris Savio	Kevin George	Gregory Pavliv
Sandra Gatsch	Jill Johnson	Darren Gage
Chris Petouvis	Erica Schwerin	Laura Zepp
Kendall Southerland	Anne Malone	Maria Dessipris
Jillian Paterno		

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-6 Home Instruction

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve:

- a. Approve Kate Pritchard to provide Home Instruction at a rate of \$47 per hour, at a maximum of 2 hours per week for 8 weeks beginning on 3/15/21.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-7 Coaches/Athletics, Co-Curricular/Club Advisors

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Motion to appoint the following Coach for the 2021-22 school year. Appointments and payments are specifically contingent upon the resumption of in person instruction/participation, the program running, and the actual performance of the duties related to the position. Partial program/ performance is subject to salary proration.

Sports		Guide	Step	Year	Amount	Longevity	Total
Varsity Field Hockey Coach	Victoria Ramirez	2	1	1	\$7,035.00	0	\$7,035.00

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

P-8 Volunteer

Moved: Ms. St. Auburn Seconded: Ms. Boyle-Vellucci

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following as volunteer coaches for the 2020-2021 school year:

<u>Baseball</u>	<u>Boys Lacrosse</u>
Michael DelloRusso	Bryan Armstrong

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

CURRICULUM

C-1 Book Disposal

Motion C-1 Book Disposal tabled.

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the disposal of books from the Glen Ridge Media Center as per the attached list. (Exhibit C-1)

BUSINESS

B-1 Financial Reports

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the following financial reports as recommended by the Finance Committee:

- a. Approve the following bills drawn on the current account in the total amount of **\$2,566,497.69** for Payroll, and materials received and/or services rendered, having been duly audited by the Business Administrator and submitted to the Board, be ratified by the Board.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-2 Termination of Out-of-District Placements

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the termination of out-of-district placement of the following student:

Student	Placement	As of Date
23009	East Mountain School	3/17/21

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-3 Transportation Agreement with the Educational Services Commission of Morris County

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the transportation services agreement between the Educational Services Commission of Morris County and the Glen Ridge Board of Education for the 2021-2022 school year.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-4 Submission and Acceptance of Grant Applications

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the submission of the 2021-2023 CRRSA ESSER II, Learning Acceleration and Mental Health Grant applications and the acceptance of the grant award funds as follows:

- ESSER II: \$567,319
- Learning Acceleration: \$36,407
- Mental Health: \$45,000

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-5 New Copper Gutter and Downspout System at Central School Bid Award

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Glen Ridge Board of Education advertised for bids for New Copper Gutter and Downspout System at Central School on March 3, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2021 the Board received bids for the Project, as follows:

Bidder	Base Bid
Alden Bailey	\$98,800

Frank Cyrwus Inc.	\$84,711
G. C. Dynatech Construction, LLC	\$92,000
RVT Construction, Inc.	\$190,000

WHEREAS, the lowest responsible bid for this Project was submitted by Frank Cyrwus, Inc. with a base bid in the amount of \$84,711; and the bid submitted is responsive in all material respects;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby awards the contract for the New Copper Gutter and Downspout System at Central School to Frank Cyrwus, Inc. for a total contract amount of \$84,711.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board President and Board Secretary are hereby authorized to execute such agreement.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-6 Professional Services Agreement with the Essex Regional Educational Services Commission

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the attached agreement with the Essex Regional Educational Services Commission for the 2020-2021 school year for the following services, as needed:

- a. CST Assessments and Evaluations (Exhibit B-6.a)
- b. Home Instruction Services (Exhibit B-6.b)

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-7 Tuition Contracts

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve tuition contracts for the 2020-2021 school year for students #30037 and #32014.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-8 Settlement Agreement

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the Settlement Agreement with H&S Construction & Mechanical, Inc. dated March 26, 2021.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-9 Donations

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, accept, with thanks, the following generous donations:

Donor	Item(s)	Value	Installation Included?	Exhibit
a. Glen Ridge Educational Foundation	Monetary donation for 5 additional seats in VHS Learning for the 2020-2021 School Year	\$1,625.00	n/a	B-9.a

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-10 Before/After Care Program Services

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve the following motion:

Having advertised and requested proposals from qualified firms and having received 6 responses, the Glen Ridge Board of Education hereby approves the proposal to provide Before/After Care Program Services submitted by AlphaBEST Education, Inc. on March 25, 2021 for the 2021-2022 and 2022-2023 school years.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

B-11 Financial Clerk from Northern Region Educational Services Commission

Moved: Mr. Campbell Seconded: Ms. Graham

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, move to approve a contract extension for a part time Financial Clerk at the Board Office from Northern Region Educational Services Commission from April 13, 2021 to June 30, 2021 at a cost of \$24 per hour.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

PUBLIC COMMENT

- Raymond Donnelly, resident, questioned why the parents were notified of the guest speaker for Linden Avenue School but the parents of Ridgewood Avenue School were not notified of the same speaker. Mr. Phillips said the speaker was on the topic of Ruby Bridges and stayed on topic. Mr. Phillips will follow up with the principals regarding notification.

ADJOURNMENT

Motioned to adjourn by Mr. Campbell. Mr. de Leeuw seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Bonnett	Boyle-Vellucci	Campbell	de Leeuw	Gottlieb	Graham	St. Auburn	Yaros-Ramos	Ginsburg
Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye	Aye

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Murphy, Board Secretary