

OFFICIAL MINUTES
Tuckerton Borough Board of Education Meeting
Regular Meeting
October 25, 2021

MASKS ARE REQUIRED

CALL TO ORDER AND FLAG SALUTE:

The regular meeting of the Tuckerton Borough Board of Education was called to order by Trisha Horner, Board President, Tuckerton Borough School District, at 5:00 PM (in person)

ROLL CALL AND SUNSHINE STATEMENT:

The following members were present:

Mrs. Horner, Mrs. Gioiello, Mrs. McMunn, Mr. Colapietro, Mr. Way,

Total: 5 Present 1-Absent, Ms. Quintenz

Janet Gangemi, Superintendent/SBA-Present

Mary Seidenfaden, Board Secretary-Present

SUNSHINE STATEMENT: "This is the Regular meeting of the Tuckerton Board of Education", notice which was advertised with the Asbury Park Press on November 18, 2020, and sent to the Tuckerton Borough Municipal Clerk on November 23, 2020".

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion to approve the Regular meeting minutes, September 27, 2021 was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way.

5-Aye 1 Absent: Ms. Quintenz

Motion to approve the Executive meeting minutes, September 27, 2021 was made by Mr. Way and seconded by Mr. Colapietro

5-Aye 1 Absent: Ms. Quintenz

Motion to approve the Special meeting minutes, October 12, 2021 was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Way

5-Aye 1 Absent: Ms. Quintenz

Motion to approve the Special meeting Executive minutes, October 12, 2021 was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Colapietro

5-Aye 1 Absent: Ms. Quintenz

ENROLLMENT:

Out of District	4	2-Pine	22
MD Kirby	6	2-Zweemer	21
PS-Ballin	10	3-Leonard	18
PS-King	11	3-Mahr	16
PS-Powers	11	4-Coppolino	13
PS-Zafonte	11	4-Stambaugh	15
MD-Gleason	4	5-Cerullo	17
K-Gormley	20	5-Oliver	17
K-Steele	18	6-Bowen	19
1-Cirulli	17	6-Ventresca	19
1-Meany	17	Total	306

FIRE DRILL: 10/1/2021

SECURITY: SHELTER IN PLACE: N/A

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT-Mrs. Siobhan Grayson

HIB REPORT: no new incidents-Mrs. Janet Gangemi

REGIONALIZATION UPDATE: - Mrs. Janet Gangemi,

Feasibility meeting presentation was held at Pinelands Regional School District

PUBLIC: Pat Johnson, reporter for the Sandpaper, regarding regionalization. Mrs. Johnson did not understand the power point presentation at Pinelands, each district has debt service. Also, the new board will have 9 members.

Mrs. Ventresca spoke and thanked Mr. Way for being at the Pinelands Meeting.

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT-Mrs. Janet Gangemi

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Recommend motion to go into Executive Session, was made by Mrs. Gioiello, seconded by Mr. Colapietro

ALL IN FAVOR: 5 Aye

Recommend motion to go back into Regular Session was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Colapietro

ALL IN FAVOR: 5 Aye

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. Letter from Community Disaster Loans are Forgiven 9 years after Superstorm Sandy.

Mrs. Gangemi added that there is a \$40,000.00 forgiveness loan.

PERSONNEL:

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mrs. McMunn and carried THAT: approval to hire Marian Smith as a part time Business Administrator, 8 days per month @ a rate of \$450.00 per day, to include attendance at Board of Education meetings.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mrs. Gioiello and carried THAT: approval to hire Rebecca Sprague as a fulltime custodian, at the salary of \$30,500.00, pro-rated for the remainder of the 2021-2022 school year.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mrs. McMunn and carried THAT: approval to accept the retirement of Petra LaMonica, from her teaching position, effective January 1, 2022. No cost to the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval for Allyson Kohler to be out on a medical leave effective October 18, 2021 through January 31, 2022.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval for Donna Hickman to be a substitute teacher at the rate of \$125.00 per day, and an instructional aide substitute at \$16.56 per hour, for the remainder of the 2021-2022 school year.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

MISCELLANEOUS:

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Colapietro and carried THAT: approval for Lisa Lucariello to attend a virtual workshop on November 12, 2021, "Working with Difficult Children and Adolescents: Managing Perceived Feelings of Weakness and Failure". Cost to the Board of Education is \$60.00.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mrs. McMunn and carried THAT: approval for Amelia Paszkewicz to host a “Pink Out” on Thursday, October 28, 2021, in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness month. No cost to the Board of Education.

ALL IN FAVOR:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Colapietro and carried THAT: approval for Susan Sauer to attend “CPR-BLS Provider Course” (CPR-cardio pulmonary resuscitation, BLS-basic life support) on Thursday, October, 28, 2021 at the Life Support Training Center in Manahawkin. Cost for the training is \$75.00, cost for a substitute nurse, \$200.00, total cost to the Board of Education is \$275.00.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. McMunn and seconded by Mr. Colapietro and carried THAT: approval for Brian Mathis to attend a workshop for NJ School Board Association Pest Management certification, November 5, 2021. Cost to the Board of Education is mileage only, 104 miles round trip, total \$32.24.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mrs. Gioiello and carried THAT: approval for Jodi Ventresca to be the “Yearbook Advisor” for the 2021-2022 school year. Cost to the Board of Education is the stipend payment of \$500.00.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval for Barbarann Powers to do the Emergent Home Instruction. Cost to the Board of Education is \$40.00 per hour, 10 hours per week.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mrs. McMunn and carried THAT: approval for the following staff to fill the positions for After Hours Academic Assistance: Cost to the Board of Education is the contractual rate of \$40.00 per hour.

- a. Kindergarten and First Grade, shared : Sandra Gormley and Amanda Cirulli
- b. Grade 2, Maureen Gunzenhauser
- c. Grade 3, Kelly Leonard
- d. Grade 4, Karl Ubelhoer
- e. Grade 5, Phil Cerullo
- f. Grade 6, Jodi Ventresca

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye 5-Aye

SCHOOL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of Preferred Home Health Care and Nursing Services, for a substitute nurse for the 2021-2022 school year. Cost to the Board of Education is \$57.00 per hour.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye 5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of the 2021-2022 Transportation Jointure Agreement with Pinelands Regional School District. Cost to the Board of Education is \$92,046.00.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye 5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of the proposal from Partners in Learning for BCBA, (Board Certified Behavior Analyst). Cost to the Board of Education is \$140.00 per hour or \$170.00 per hour dependent on which BCBA is available.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye 5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mrs. McMunn and carried THAT: approval of ARP (American Rescue Plan) grant application as follows:

- ESSER \$534,914.00
- Accelerated Learning Coaching and Educator Support 50,000.00
- Evidence-Based Summer Learning and Enrichment 40,000.00
- Evidence-Based Comprehensive Beyond the School Day Activities 40,000.00
- NJTSS Mental Health Support Staffing Grant 45,000.00

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of the Virtual or Remote Instruction Plan for the 2021-2022 school year. No cost to the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. McMunn and seconded by Mr. Colapietro and carried THAT: approval of the QSAC DPR (District Performance Review). No cost to the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of the Health & Safety Evaluation of School buildings Checklist Statement of Assurance for the 2021-2022 school year. No cost to the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. Gioiello and seconded by Mr. Colapietro and carried THAT: approval of the ARP (American Rescue Plan) IDEA Grant in the amount of :

- Basic \$17,598.00
- Preschool 1,496.00

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mr. Colapietro and seconded by Mr. Way and carried THAT: approval of the payment list for **October 2021**, in the amount of **\$214,859.93 which includes the November Healthcare payment, \$90,408.00.**

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, motion was made by Mrs. McMunn and seconded by Mrs. Gioiello and carried THAT: approval of statement of no over expenditure as required in N.J.A.C.6A:22-2.11 of any line item in the 2021-2022 budget as evidenced by the latest Budget Report.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mrs. Horner-Aye, Mrs. McMunn-Aye, Mrs. Gioiello-Aye, Mr. Colapietro-Aye, Mr. Way- Aye
5-Aye

PUBLIC-Mrs. Horner asked the Public for any questions.
No Public spoke.

On the recommendation motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Way and seconded by Mr. Colapietro
All in Favor-5 Aye

Respectfully submitted by Mrs. Janet Gangemi, Superintendent/SBA

