

Board of Education

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, October 17, 2011 – 6:30 p.m.

Waterbury Arts Magnet School's Atrium, 16 South Elm Street, Waterbury, CT

A G E N D A

- 1. *Silent Prayer***
- 2. *Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag***
- 3. *Roll Call***
- 4. *Communications***
- 5. *Public Addresses the Board:*** All speakers are encouraged to submit prepared written statements to the Commissioners. Comments shall be limited to a maximum of three minutes. The Chairman will disallow a speaker from continuing to speak if slanderous or defamatory remarks are made. There will be no responses this evening to any questions or concerns raised; they will be referred to the Administration for review and response.
- 6. *Superintendent's Report***
- 7. *President's Comments***
- 8. *Consent Calendar***
 - 8.1 *Committee of the Whole:* Request approval for Waterbury Public Schools to participate in the Waterbury AmeriCorps Program with NVCC.
 - 8.2 *Committee on Grants:* Request approval to apply for the State Department of Education Quality Enhancement Grant for the School Readiness Program.
 - 8.3 *Committee on Grants:* Request approval to apply for the CT Community Foundation Grant for the School Readiness Program.
 - 8.4 *Committee on School Personnel:* Request approval of the job specifications for the position of Data Clerk for the STEM After School Program.
 - 8.5 *Committee on School Activities:* Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments.
 - 8.6 *Committee on School Activities:* Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests.
 - 8.7 *Committee on School Activities:* Request permission be granted to Nancy Silva, Chase School, and 13 chaperones to take 125 students to Old Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, MA on October 28, 2011.

- 8.8 *Committee on School Activities:* Request permission be granted to Trevira Boatright, KHS, and one chaperone to take 21 students to Philadelphia, PA from November 18 through 20, 2011 to attend the DECA North Atlantic Regional Leadership Conference.
- 8.9 *Committee on School Activities:* Request permission be granted to Michele Walker, CHS, and four chaperones to take 55 students to Salem, MA on October 31, 2011 to visit Salem Village.
- 8.10 *Committee on School Activities:* Request permission be granted to Ms. King Johnson/Mr. K. Ondrush, WAMS, and four chaperones to take 20 students to Costa Rica from April 5 through 14, 2011.
- 8.11 *Committee on School Activities:* Request permission be granted to Debbie Benjamin, WAMS, and four chaperones to take 45 students to Harlem, NY on November 10, 2011 to visit a recording studio, Source Magazine, and HOT 93 Radio Station.

9. *Items Removed from Consent Calendar*

10. *Committee of the Whole*

- 10.1 Request approval of an amendment to the Employment Agreement with Dr. Kathleen Ouellette.

11. *Superintendent's Notification to the Board*

- 11.1 Grant funded appointments:
Fucito, Louis – Part Time Accountant II, 19 hours per week @ \$20.48 p/hour, non-union, no benefits.
- 11.2 After-school Detention Program appointments, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:
NEMS – Lisa Mason (Tuesday), Jim Hurdle (Thursday)
WMS – Donna Bryk
WSMS – Anne Belfiore, Lori DiTillo
CHS – Nikoleta Kollchaku
KHS – Larry Feola
WAMS – Joe Finn
- 11.3 Middle School Credit Retrieval Program appointments, subject to student enrollment, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:
NEMS
Lead Teacher: Jodi Sarlo
Reading Teachers: Beth Longo-Bell, Catherine Leogrande
Math Teachers: Marnie Lopriore, Geralyn Mastrianni

WMS

Lead Teacher: Dana Jannetty
Reading Teachers: Debra DeVito, Sharyn Ogrodnik
Math Teacher: Marguerite Pesce

WSMS

Lead Teacher: Lori DiTillo
Reading Teacher: Doris Mancini
Math Teachers: Kimberly Carlone, Lori Ann Trumbley

11.4 Maloney Magnet School's After School Reading Program appointments, Tuesday & Thursday, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:

Donna Cullen- Admin (Thurs.)	Diane Bakewell- Admin. (Tues.)
<u>Teachers:</u> Susan Maloney	Joanne Riback
Siobhan Kalnins	Domenica Zurlo
Terri Daly	Margaret Palomba
Barbara Moulthrop	Patricia Yurchyk
Stacey Gittings	Robert Lopez
Jennifer Calabrese	Andrew Dunn
<u>Substitutes:</u> Judith Sidella	Katie Pino

11.5 State Department of Education After School Program Grant appointments, maximum of 10 hours per week, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately.

North End (STEM)

Michael LoRusso, Administrator
Grace Halloran, Teacher
Miriam Wilson, Teacher
Yvonne Bourque, Teacher
David Habersang, Teacher
Charles Vaughan, Teacher
Jason Martinez, Teacher
Mary Colgan, Teacher
Leslie DePaulo, Para
Carole Maloney, Para
Robin Andrikis, Para
Nydia Solla, Sub

Bunker Hill

Andrew Gwiazdoski, Lead Teacher
Vanessa Salvador, Teacher
Steven Cruess, Teacher
Michael Labagh, Sub
Kelly Burke, Sub
Susan Groppi, Sub
Howard Rochon, Sub
Sonya Fleming, Sub

11.6 Wilson Family Resource Center's Books & Basketball Program appointments, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:

Reho, Jessica – FRC Coordinator, M – Thur, 42.5 total hours.
Fengler, Kelly – Teacher, M – Thur, 34 total hours.
Fisher, Deborah – Paraprofessional, M – Thur, 34 total hours.
Quinones, Leocadia – Teacher, M/W, 18 total hours.
Perrelli, Andrea – Teacher, T/TH, 16 total hours.

11.7 21st Century After School Program Grant appointments, salary according to individual's contract, effective immediately:

Sprague School

Karen Hanna

Washington School

Maria Jimenez

Lori Kramarz

Laura Reed

Patty Ferrare

Raquel Barbosa

Alicia Schiavo

Jay Lanouette

Justine Levasseur (sub)

11.8 Retirements:

Howell, Deborah – Elementary Math Coach, Rotella, effective 12/31/11.

Perugini, Margaret – Reading Teacher, Hopeville, effective 10/01/11.

11.9 Resignations:

Chamis, John – Technology Teacher, Duggan, effective 11/01/11.

12. Unfinished Business of Preceding Meeting Only

13. Other Unfinished, New, and Miscellaneous Business

14. Adjournment