

**Port Chester Public Schools
Port Chester, New York
Board of Education**

**July 3, 2018
Middle School – 5:45 p.m.**

The Superintendent recommends action on the following matters. Resolved that

1. Victoria Prashad, LaGrangeville, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as English Teacher, at Step 2-Level 6 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022, except to the extent required by Section 3012-d of the Education Law.* Ms. Prashad received a B.A. Degree and a M.A. Degree from SUNY at New Paltz. Ms. Prashad received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment June 29, 2018. Her assignment will be at the High School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is English Language Arts 7-12 - Initial Certification.
2. Dante Ceccarelli, Orange, Connecticut be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Science Teacher, at Step 2-Level 6 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022, except to the extent required by Section 3012-d of the Education Law*. Mr. Ceccarelli received a B.A. Degree from the University of Connecticut and a M.S. Degree from Southern Connecticut State University. Mr. Ceccarelli received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment June 29, 2018. His assignment will be at the High School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. His certification is Biology 7-12 – Conditional Initial Certification.

*** In order to be granted tenure, a classroom teacher must receive composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Education Law §3012-c and/or §3012-d of either effective or highly effective in at least 3 of the 4 preceding years. Further, if the classroom teacher receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period he/she shall not be eligible for tenure at that time, in which case the Board of Education, in its discretion, may extend the teacher’s probationary term for an additional year.**

3. The resignation of Ryan Scrudato, English Teacher at the High School, be accepted effective June 30, 2018.
4. Maggie Rende be approved for payment at the additional compensation rate of \$42 per hour for additional work performed during July and August 2018 in the District Offices in an amount not to exceed 35 days.
5. Gaylene Gasparini be approved for payment at the additional compensation rate of \$42 per hour for additional work performed during July and August 2018 in the District Offices in an amount not to exceed 25 days.
6. The following individuals be appointed to positions for the 2018 summer program:

Ayse Ruvolo	Special Education Summer School – Lead Teacher	\$42 per hour
Lori Ninzatti	Special Education Summer School – Speech Therapist	42 per hour
Lynn McTyre	Special Education Summer School Substitute Teacher	42 per hour
Nelson Diaz	Secondary Curriculum Writing Team – Step-Up Program	42 per hour
Victoria Prashad	Secondary Curriculum Writing Team – High School	42 per hour
Rigoberto Martinez	Secondary Curriculum Writing Team – Step-Up Program	42 per hour
Pepita Lopez	Summer Intake Testing and Supervision – Middle School	42 per hour
Thomas Moravick	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Marc Latasa	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Thomas Josephson	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Jeffrey Querfeld	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Peggy Conway	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Joseph Gilson	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Porfirio Gonzowitz	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
David Chepiga	Global History Curriculum Alignment Team – High School	42 per hour
Colleen Moore	New Entrant Screening Team – District	42 per hour
Adriana DiGiacomo	New Entrant Screening Team – District	42 per hour
Maria Laina Sileo	Balanced Literacy Curriculum Writing Team – District	42 per hour
Gladys Bencosme	Professional Training from the Center for Applied Linguistics – District	42 per hour
Sara Stio	Newcomer Curriculum Writing Team – High School	42 per hour

7. The following individual be appointed to positions for the 2018-2019 school year:

Paul Santavicca	Head Coach Varsity Football	7,752
John Cafaldo	Head Coach Varsity Soccer (Boys)	4,750
Danny Alvarado	Head Coach Varsity Soccer (Girls)	4,750
Cindy Martinez	Head Coach Varsity Cross Country (Boys & Girls)	3,499
Manuel Martinez	Head Coach Varsity Tennis (Girls)	3,000
Arthur Tiedemann	Head Coach Varsity Swim Team (Girls)	3,100
Colleen Cahill	Assistant Coach Swimming (Girls)	2,473
Amanda Blasi	Head Coach Varsity Cheerleading (Fall)	4,500
Vanessa Aspiazu	Assistant Head Coach Varsity Cheerleading (Fall)	3,035
Elsa Salmon	Head Coach Junior Varsity Cheerleading (Fall)	3,253
Mike Bruno	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Jonathan Plato	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Frank Girdauskas	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Zachary Taylor	Head Coach Junior Varsity Football	5,000
Mark Castellano	Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Football	3,751
Peter Bermudez	Head Coach Modified Football	4,251
Anthony Piccolino	Assistant Coach Modified Football	2,538
Bryan Suertegaray	Head Coach Junior Varsity Soccer (Boys)	3,490
Gareth Gibbs	Head Coach Junior Varsity Soccer (Girls)	3,490
Peter Bisceglia	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Boys)	3,001
Esteban Guijarro	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Boys)	3,001
Kathy Federici	Head Coach Varsity Volleyball	5,000
Jamie Florindi	Head Coach Junior Varsity Volleyball	3,498
Juanita Mitchell	Head Coach Modified Volleyball	3,128
Melissa Piccola	Assistant Coach Volleyball	2,473
Hank Birdsall	Assistant Coach Varsity Cross Country (Boys & Girls)	3,022
Sara Morabito	Head Coach Modified Cross Country (Boys & Girls)	3,001
Adam Kalman	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Girls)	3,001
Rebecca Mynio	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Girls)	3,001
Ricardo Alvarado	Assistant Coach Soccer (Girls)	2,473
Dan Davis	Fall Season Athletic Coordinator	4,000
Joseph Facciola	Head Coach Varsity Wrestling	5,751
Manuel Martinez	Head Coach Boys Varsity Basketball	6,375
Paul Santavicca	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	
Jonathan Plato	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	
Zachary Taylor	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	

8. The following people be approved to be a Mentor on an as needed basis for the 2018-2019 school year. If needed the stipend will be \$1,000:

Donna Murphy – King Street School Nelson Diaz – High School Andrea Davis – High School

9. The following people be approved to be a participant in CSE/CPSE summer meetings for the district on an as needed basis. If needed, the stipend will be \$42 per hour:

General Education Teachers (Elementary and Secondary)

Lindsay Macri Lori Huhne Patricia Johnson Mary Durney Sara Stio
 Maria O'Brien Cynthia Casterella Robin Bivona Karen Provenzano

Special Education Teachers (Elementary and Secondary)

Janine Skelly Lourdes Colon Kristin Remy Renee McCaine-Taylor
 Jeannie Iantorno Laurie Halstead

Psychologist – Mayra Estrella

Speech Therapist – Jennifer Iasillo

10. The following individuals be appointed to provide consultant services for the High School Band for the 2018-2019 school year:

Gregory Guarino	Percussion Technician	\$3,000
Thomas Vandergrift	Color Guard Technician	2,500
Maria White	Color Guard and Winter Guard Caption Head	3,500
William Sandoval	Color Guard Technician	1,200
Jackie Lambert	Color Guard Technician	800
David Pynch	Hornline and Jazz Band Technician	2,400
Anthony Masi	Hornline Technician	4,600
Douglas Chew	Pit Technician	2,400
Demil Ficklin	Percussion Technician	2,000

11. The termination of Joseph Valdovinos, Senior Office Assistant (Spanish Speaking) at the High School be effective July 6, 2018.

12. The resignation of Paola Grimaldo-Camps, Lunch Monitor, at Thomas A. Edison School be effective June 22, 2018.

13. The resignation of Daisy Vasquez, Teacher Aide, at Thomas A. Edison School be effective June 22, 2018.

14. The resignation of Marianne Hedges, Lunch Monitor, at King Street School, be effective June 22, 2018.

15. Bridget Gasparino, Port Chester, New York be appointed as clerical support at the Port Chester Middle School Main Office for 20 days (July-August) at an hourly rate of \$19.62 per hour.

16. Philip Mutino, Rye Brook, New York be appointed as Data Entry-Curriculum Office, June 27 to August 31, 2018, Monday to Friday, 44 days-7.5 hours/day at an hourly rate of \$23.01 per hour.

17. Summer hours be granted for the following 10-month employees at their contracted daily/hourly rate of pay:
 - Yasmine Orozco- John F. Kennedy Elementary School (not to exceed 10 days)
 - Diana Montero-Heyert – John F. Kennedy Elementary School (not to exceed 10 days)
 - Elizabeth DeMarco-Burns – Port Chester High School Guidance (not to exceed 20 days)

18. The following individual(s) be appointed to Registered Professional Nurse (School) positions for Central Registration in August 2018 at their contracted daily/hourly rate of pay or Step 1 if new hire, effective August 20, 21, 22, 2018: Grace Young

19. The following individual(s) be appointed to Teacher Aide position(s) for the 2018 Summer Special Education Program at the Port Chester Middle School at their contracted daily/hourly rate of pay or Step 1 if new or out-of-title hire, effective July 1, 2018 – August 31, 2018: Maria Rosario

20. The following individual(s) be approved as Cleaner Substitute(s) at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019. All have received NYS Fingerprint Clearance or are grandfathered: Daniel La Bella

21. The Budget Transfer in the amount of \$43,794.44 Schedule #14, dated June 28, 2018, be approved for the 2017-2018 school year.

22. Warrants #34, including in-between checks, dated May 25, 2018, be approved:

General Fund	\$561,502.80
Federal Fund	220,018.37
Cafeteria Fund	152,839.47
Trust & Agency Fund	926,550.00
Capital Fund	177,871.25

23. Warrant #37, including in-between checks, dated June 28, 2018, be approved:

General Fund	\$1,448,017.03
Federal Fund	20,868.18
Cafeteria Fund	220,579.47
Trust & Agency Fund	2,545,860.66

24. The following payrolls be approved:

General Fund – June 15, 2018	\$78,615.00
General Fund – June 22, 2018	6,554,315.43
Federal Fund – June 15, 2018	2,250.00
Federal Fund – June 22, 2018	302,195.54