

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

**July 2, 2019  
High School – 7:00 p.m.**

**The Superintendent recommends action on the following matters. Resolved that**

1. Jessica Hernandez, New Rochelle, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Elementary Teacher, at Step 2-Level 6 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2023, except to the extent required by Section 3012-d of the Education Law\*. Ms. Hernandez received a B.A. Degree from Lehman College and an M.P.S. Degree from Manhattanville College. Ms. Hernandez received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment June 27, 2019. Her assignment will be at King Street School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) – Initial Certification.
2. Amanda Heyde, Harrison, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Physical Education Teacher, at Step 6-Level 6 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2023, except to the extent required by Section 3012-d of the Education Law\*. Ms. Heyde received a B.S. Degree and an M.S. Degree from Hofstra University. Ms. Heyde received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment June 27, 2019. Her assignment will be at the Middle School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certifications are Physical Education – Professional Certification and Health Education – Professional 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. Dania Paula, Bronx, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as School Psychologist, at Step 3-Level 8 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2023. Ms. Paula received a B.A. Degree from Binghamton University and an M.S.E. Degree from Long Island University. Ms. Paula received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment June 28, 2019. Her assignment will be at the High School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is School Psychologist - Provisional Certification.
4. The retirement of Gerald Washington, Teaching Assistant at the Middle School, be accepted effective June 30, 2019. Mr. Washington will have served the District for 31 1/2 years. We wish Reverend the best of good luck and a happy and healthy retirement.
5. The resignation of Francisco Sandoval, Social Studies Teacher at the Middle School, be accepted effective June 30, 2019.
6. The resignation of Paul Albert, Science Teacher at the High School, be accepted effective August 31, 2019.
7. The resignation of Gina Samaniego, Special Education Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, be accepted effective August 31, 2019.
8. The services of Ramon Torres, Foreign Languages Teacher at the High School, be terminated effective August 4, 2019.

9. The following individuals be appointed to positions for the 2018-2019 school year and/or summer 2019:

Marah Bates	Balanced Literacy Curriculum Writing Team – Elementary Schools	\$42 per hour
Jessica DiGiorgi	50:50 Summer Dual Language Program Curriculum Writing Team – District	42 per hour
Jeffrey Kravitz	Secondary Social Studies Curriculum Development – High School – at 6/18/19 meeting be rescinded	
Kevin Clark	Secondary Social Studies Curriculum Development – High School	42 per hour

10. The following individuals be appointed to positions for the 2019 summer program:

Peter Bisceglia	Special Education Summer School Teacher-appointment at the 5/28/19 meeting be rescinded	
Ayse Ruvolo	Special Education Summer School Lead Teacher-appointment at the 5/28/19 meeting be rescinded	
Gladys Bencosme	Special Education Summer School Teacher	\$42 per hour
Cynthia Ponce	Special Education Summer School Teacher	42 per hour
Kristin Remy	Special Education Summer School Teacher	42 per hour
Fatima Woods	Special Education Summer School Teaching Assistant - Substitute	42 per hour
Kelly Brucale	Special Education Summer School Teacher - Substitute	42 per hour
Peter Bisceglia	Special Education Summer School Lead Teacher	42 per hour
Vanessa Aspiazu	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jennifer Carriero	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Cynthia Casterella	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Adriana DiGiacomo	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Mary Durney	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Maria Genovese	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Patti Johnson	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Lindsay Macri	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jasmin Martinez	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Karen Provenzano	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Virginia Ellis	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Maria Figura	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Joseph Gilson	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jenna Reynolds	General Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Kelly Brucale	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jaimi Kennedy	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Cynthia Ponce	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Vanessa Vargas	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Stephanie Figliomeni	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jessica Goldstein	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jeannie Iantorno	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Candace Munoz	Special Education Teacher - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Jennifer Iasillo	Speech Therapist – CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Maryam Castro	Social Worker – CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Heidi Marroquin	Social Worker – CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Amy Aristy	Social Worker – CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Mayra Estrella	School Psychologist - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Ana Arias	School Psychologist - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour
Dania Paula	School Psychologist - CSE/CPSE summer meetings	42 per hour

11. The following individual be appointed to positions for the 2019-2020 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
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
Candace Munoz	Head Coach Modified Cheerleading (Fall)	3,142
Brandon Trager	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Jonathan Plato	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Frank Girdauskas	Assistant Coach Varsity Football	5,000
Mark Castellano	Head Coach Junior Varsity Football	5,000
Zachary Taylor	Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Football	3,751
Anthony Piccolino	Head Coach Modified Football	4,251
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
Jenna Reynolds	Head Coach Modified Cross Country (Boys & Girls)	3,001
Adam Kalman	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Girls)	3,001
Nicolle Strang	Head Coach Modified Soccer (Girls)	3,001
Dan Davis	Fall Season Athletic Coordinator	4,000
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	
Brandon Trager	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	
Mark Castellano	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	
Frank Girdauskas	Summer Strength and Conditioning Co-Supervisor - sharing stipend of \$3,200	
Amanda Blasi	Summer Tumbling/Stunt Safety Trainer	42 per hour
Amanda Blasi	Open Mats Tumbling Instructor – District	42 per hour

12. The following individuals be appointed to provide consultant services for the High School Band for the 2019-2020 school year:

Kevin Bell	Hornline Technician	\$ 900
Brian Dowery	Hornline Technician	900
Tim Gallagher	Pit Technician	2,000

13. BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby approves the terms of and authorizes its President to sign a Terms of Employment Agreement dated July 2, 2019, for Lisa Zareski, to serve as the School District Treasurer, effective July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. A copy of said Agreement, as presented to the Board at this meeting, shall be incorporated by reference within the minutes of this meeting.

14. Karen Stallings, Danbury, Connecticut, having performed her duties in a competent, efficient and satisfactory manner be granted permanent status as Office Assistant (Auto-Sys), effective July 1, 2019. Her assignment will remain in Buildings and Grounds.

15. Phil Mutino, Rye Brook, New York be appointed as Data Entry-Curriculum Office, July 1 to August 31, 2019, 44 days-7.5 Hours/Day at an hourly rate of \$23.87 per hour.

16. The termination of Jessica Rivera, part-time School Monitor at John F. Kennedy School be effective the end of business on June 21, 2019.

17. The termination of Shabiha Tayyeba, part-time School Monitor at King Street School be effective the end of business on June 21, 2019.

18. The following individual(s) be approved as Cleaner Substitute(s) at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective July 1, 2019-August 30, 2019. All have received NYS Fingerprint Clearance or are grandfathered.

Danny Davis	Giovanni Lemmo
James Searless	Jarren Gooden
Michael Fiorino	Eric Gooden
David Yanez Lopez	

19. The following individuals be approved as Clerical, Teacher Aide, School Monitor or Breakfast Monitor Substitutes at a rate of \$12/hour. Said appointees may also serve as long-term substitutes, if and when required, at Step 1 of the Teacher Aide or Typist CSEA pay scales. All have received NYS Fingerprint Clearance or are grandfathered.

Ana Linares-Sotolongo (effective July 1, 2019)
Joseph Fiumara (Effective June 24, 2019)

20. The Budget Transfer in the amount of \$829,112.27, Schedule #15, dated June 27, 2019, be approved for the 2018-2019 school year.

21. The Board of Education accepts the following warrants:

	<u>WARRANT #26</u> <u>05/23/19</u>	<u>WARRANT #27</u> <u>07/07/19</u>	<u>WARRANT #28</u> <u>07/07/19</u>	<u>WARRANT #29</u> <u>06/21/19</u>	<u>WIRE</u> <u>TRANSFERS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
GENERAL FUND	1,629,110.71	(4,350.00)	1,137,739.34	1,796,953.06	2,034,905.28	6,594,358.39
SPECIAL AID	55,724.32	-	264,781.36	48,780.47	-	369,286.15
CAFETERIA FUND	546,106.49	-	4,948.47	408,118.16	-	959,173.12
TRUST & AGENCY	941,657.73	10,000.23	890,083.26	54,016.44	-	1,895,757.66
CAPITAL FUND	807,671.91	-	868,481.55	919,914.73	-	2,596,068.19
	<u>3,980,271.16</u>	<u>5,650.23</u>	<u>3,166,033.98</u>	<u>3,227,782.86</u>	<u>2,034,905.28</u>	<u>12,414,643.51</u>

22. The Board of Education accepts the following payrolls:

	<u>PAYROLL</u> <u>DATE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>PAYROLL</u>
GENERAL FUND	06/07/19	\$ 2,145,837.09
	06/14/19	\$ 77,990.00
	06/26/19	\$ 6,552,784.87
CAFETERIA	06/07/19	\$ 5,438.97
	06/14/19	\$ -
	06/26/19	\$ 5,189.84
SPECIAL AID	06/07/19	\$ 89,143.62
	06/14/19	\$ 2,250.00
	06/26/19	\$ 289,503.96