

Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District
Board of Education – Regular Meeting Minutes
August 29, 2018 – Middle School

Present: Carolee Brakewood, President, Christopher Wolff, Vice President and Trustees Anne Capeci, Thomas Corbia and Lou Russo

Also Present: Dr. Edward A. Kliszus, Superintendent of Schools; Joseph Durney, Deputy Superintendent; Sandra Clohessy, School Business Administrator; and Cathy Maggi, District Clerk

Call to Order

Mrs. Brakewood called the meeting to order at 6:06 p.m. and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

President's Opening Remarks

Mrs. Brakewood talked about the summer coming to a close with teachers coming back the next day and students coming in next week. She also spoke about the work the custodians and buildings and grounds crews had completed in preparation of the opening the schools. There was a board retreat the previous day and she gave a staff update on saved positions with the retirements and resignations received since the budget passed in April. The board will also continue to speak with Senator Mayer and Assemblyman Otis as the board advocates for equitable state funding.

Public Comment

Mrs. Brakewood opened public comment noting Mr. Russo was on his way.

Nancy Donahue, Hobart Avenue, came to ask a question about re-registration and talked about a new group that the tax alliance group is now working with to work on re-registration. They have a petition signed by many for re-registration. She talked about other districts who are doing re-registration. They do not feel our current system is working and that they feel re-registration is important to the students who live in Port Chester.

Richard Hyman talked about what information is on the website regarding the capital project and has not seen new updates. He wanted to know if the bids have come in and the status of the high school.

Dr. Richard Buzin of Rye Brook came to thank the board for being the second of the five entities in the Town of Rye to pass a resolution to encourage our representatives Senator Mayor and Assemblyman Otis to look into changing state law regarding tax certioraris. He is also reaching out to the Westchester School Board Association

Peter Fineman, 46 Milton Court, made a suggestion regarding teaching runaway slave ads. Philipsburg Manor had a program where the New York Historical Society created a program for parents and teachers. He also suggested professionals, web sites and bringing people here to examine this issue.

Keith Morlino, Haines Boulevard, talked about the re-registration process.

Dom Cervi, Rye Brook, had read about the superintendent paying for his own insurance and wanted to know about what it cost the board.

Tizita Fekredengel, Smith Street, spoke about the bond, the closing of ELC and the effect it will have on JFK students and the overcrowding. They are looking for remedies on the overcrowding at JFK and the play areas.

Jody Helmle, 30 Austin Place, came and invited the board to the incoming kindergarten ice cream social. The back to school dance is on September 21st and she is hoping some members will attend.

Public Comment was closed.

Dr. Kliszus responded about re-registration and explained that re-registration is simply checking documents. In addition, we visit the homes with an investigator and send out first class mail to investigate "return to sender" letters. We also check al residency tips. By the Federal Law, students who are homeless have to be educated by us. There will be updates on the building projects soon on the website. There is going to be inconveniences with the building project and we ask people to be patient for the results that will

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add to beauty and efficiency. He also spoke about foundation aid and many of the reasons that were considered before ELC was closed. He also talked about the tax certioraris, which are a big concern with many districts. We will be talking to Senator Mayer about foundation aid and the Port Chester Schools. He noted that he cannot control what someone may have heard or read in the Westmore News about his personal insurance but noted that his insurance is his personal business and is not carried by the district. He thanked the PTA and all the events that they organize for our students and everything that they do.

Report From Superintendent

Request for Action

Upon motion by Mr. Wolff, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried (5-0), the resolutions were unanimously approved.

The Superintendent recommends action on the following matters. Resolved that

1. The following resolution for appointment to Instructional Support Services position of K-6 – Literacy Teacher be approved.

WHEREAS, the District desires to assign Heather Rinello, a tenured elementary tenure area teacher, to the position of K-6 – Literacy Teacher, which constitutes an Instructional Support Services (“ISS”) position within the meaning of Part 30 of the Regents Rules; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools deems Heather Rinello to be competent and qualified to perform these ISS services based upon her elementary teaching certification and more than three years of teaching experience in the elementary tenure area; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Part 30 of the Regents Rules and Section 3013 of the New York State Education Law, Heather Rinello shall continue to accrue seniority in the elementary tenure area while serving in this assignment that entails the performance of ISS services; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Heather Rinello is hereby assigned to the ISS position of K-6 – Literacy Teacher for the 2018-2019 school year, and thereafter, unless returned to a classroom teaching position in her tenure area of employment.

2. BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby appoints Megan Klatell, who possess a School Psychologist Certification that qualifies her for the Position, as a School Psychologist, to serve a four year probationary period in the School Psychologist tenure area, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022, at Step 4-Level 12, for the 2018-19 school year; and

WHEREAS, the District desires to assign Megan Klatell, to the position of Committee On Special Education (“CSE”) Chairperson, which constitutes an Instructional Support Services (“ISS”) position within the meaning of Part 30 of the Regents Rules; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent deems Megan Klatell to be competent and qualified to perform the duties of CSE Chairperson, based upon her School Psychologist Certification and more than three (3) years of experience in the school psychologist tenure area; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Part 30 of the Regents Rules and Section 3013 of the New York State Education Law, Megan Klatell shall accrue seniority in the school psychologist tenure area while performing the ISS services of CSE Chairperson;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Megan Klatell is assigned to the position of CSE Chairperson for the 2018-19 school year, and thereafter, unless reassigned to another position in her tenure area of employment.

3. Veronica Hernandez, Ossining, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Elementary Teacher, at Step 1-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. Hernandez received a B.A. Degree from Pace University. Ms. Hernandez received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment August 7, 2018. Her assignment will be at John F. Kennedy School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) - Initial Certification.

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4. Allison Kennelly, Irvington, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Elementary Teacher, at Step 6 -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. Kennelly received a B.A. Degree and a M.A. Degree from Hunter College. Ms. Kennelly received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment August 7, 2018. Her assignment will be at John F. Kennedy School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certifications are Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) - Professional Certification and Bilingual Education - Professional Extension.
5. Jessica DiGiorgi, Mount Vernon, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Elementary Teacher, at Step 2-Level 1 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022. Ms. DiGiorgi received a B.A. Degree from SUNY Cortland. Ms. DiGiorgi received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment August 19, 2015. Her assignment will be at Park Avenue School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certifications are Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) - Initial Certification and Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2) – Initial Certification.
6. Jessica Arroyo, Scarsdale, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Elementary Teacher, at Step 3 -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.* Mrs. Arroyo received a B.A. Degree from Iona College and a M.S.E. Degree from Lehman College. Ms. Arroyo received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment August 23, 2018. Her assignment will be at Park Avenue School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certifications are Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) - Professional Certification and Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2) - Initial Extension.

*** 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.**
7. Ana Karla Arias, Peekskill, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as School Psychologist, at Step 1-Level 8 of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022. Mrs. Arias received a B.S. Degree and a M.S. Degree from Mercy College. Mrs. Arias received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment January 5, 2016. Her assignment will be at the Middle School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is School Psychologist - Provisional Certification.
8. Rose Pueraro, Scarsdale, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Teaching Assistant, at Step 3-Level 6 hours/day (B.A. Degree) of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022. Ms. Pueraro received a B.A. Degree from Iona College. Ms. Pueraro received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment November 9, 2016. Her assignment will be at Edison School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certifications are Teaching Assistant – Level I and Childhood Education (Grades 1-6) – Initial Certification.
9. Miriam Valdovinos, Port Chester, New York be approved for a four-year probationary appointment as Teaching Assistant, at Step 3-Level 6 hours/day (B.A. Degree) of the 2015-2019 Teachers Collectively Negotiated Agreement, effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2022. Mrs. Valdovinos received a B.A. Degree from the College of New Rochelle. Mrs. Valdovinos received NYS Fingerprint Clearance for Employment January 31, 2014. Her assignment will be at John F. Kennedy School and will include participation in designated school related organizational activities. Her certification is Teaching Assistant – Level I.
10. A Maternity Leave of Absence be granted to Kathryn Albero, Cortlandt Manor, New York, as Elementary Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through October 31, 2018. Mrs. Albero will use accumulated sick leave during the time her doctor attests to her inability to perform her duties due to pregnancy, delivery and self-care.

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If needed, the remainder of her Leave of Absence will be a Family Medical Leave without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks.

11. A Maternity Leave of Absence be granted to Jennifer Detlefs, West Harrison, New York, as Teaching Assistant at the Middle School, beginning approximately September 11, 2018 through November 9, 2018. Mrs. Detlefs will use accumulated sick leave during the time her doctor attests to her inability to perform her duties due to pregnancy, delivery and self-care. If needed, the remainder of her Leave of Absence will be a Family Medical Leave without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks.
12. A Maternity Leave of Absence be granted to Nicolle Strang, Mahopac, New York, as Elementary Teacher at the Middle School, beginning approximately September 11, 2018 through November 9, 2018. Mrs. Strang will use accumulated sick leave during the time her doctor attests to her inability to perform her duties due to pregnancy, delivery and self-care. If needed, the remainder of her Leave of Absence will be a Family Medical Leave without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks.
13. A Maternity Leave of Absence be granted to Elizabeth Florencio, Elmsford, New York, as Elementary Teacher at Park Avenue School, beginning approximately September 11, 2018 through November 9, 2018. Ms. Florencio will use accumulated sick leave during the time her doctor attests to her inability to perform her duties due to pregnancy, delivery and self-care. If needed, the remainder of her Leave of Absence will be a Family Medical Leave without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks.
14. A Maternity Leave of Absence be granted to Stacey Cafaldo, Mount Kisco, New York, as School Counselor at the High School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through January 4, 2019. Mrs. Cafaldo will use accumulated sick leave during the time her doctor attests to her inability to perform her duties due to pregnancy, delivery and self-care. If needed, the remainder of her Leave of Absence will be a Family Medical Leave without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks.
15. A Family Medical Leave of Absence be granted to Jennifer Mundo, Bronx, New York, as Elementary Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through October 31, 2018. This leave will be without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks. She will not advance in seniority nor will said leave be counted for longevity purposes.
16. A Family Medical Leave of Absence be granted to Katherine Hohman, New Rochelle, New York, as Science Teacher at the Middle School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through January 4, 2019. This leave will be without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks. She will not advance in seniority nor will said leave be counted for longevity purposes.
17. A Family Medical Leave of Absence be granted to Martha Sendoya, Queens Village, New York, as Spanish Teacher at the High School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through September 21, 2018. This leave will be without pay; but benefits will continue to a maximum of 12 weeks. She will not advance in seniority nor will said leave be counted for longevity purposes.
18. Michael Lupo, Port Chester, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute Teacher to replace Kathryn Albergo, Elementary Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through October 31, 2018 at an anticipated daily rate of \$125.
19. Alejandra Aguilera, Port Chester, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute Teacher to replace Jennifer Mundo, Elementary Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through October 31, 2018 at an anticipated daily rate of \$125.
20. Melody Rivera, Bronx, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute Teacher to replace Nicolle Strang at the Middle School, beginning approximately September 11, 2018 through November 9, 2018. There will be no change in her current rate of pay.

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21. Melinda Kettler, Port Chester, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute Teaching Assistant to replace Jennifer Detlefs at the Middle School, beginning approximately September 11, 2018 through November 9, 2018 at an anticipated daily rate of \$100.
22. Carly Bracken, Mahopac, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute School Counselor to replace Stacey Cafaldo at the High School, beginning approximately August 29, 2018 through January 4, 2019 at an anticipated daily rate of \$100. If this assignment continues past 20 working days, the daily rate will increase to \$125, and the daily rate will then increase to \$150 if this assignment continues past 60 working days.
23. The resignation of Michaela Collins, Art Teacher at the High School, be accepted effective August 9, 2018.
24. The resignation of Jennifer Mott, Social Worker at the Park Avenue School, be accepted effective July 31, 2018.
25. The resignation of Jennifer Villa, Teaching Assistant at John F. Kennedy School, be accepted effective August 31, 2018.
26. The resignation of Jennifer Rodriguez, Elementary Teacher at John F. Kennedy School, be accepted effective August 31, 2018.
27. Janet Garcia, Port Chester, New York, be approved as a Long Term Substitute Teaching Assistant to replace Jennifer Villa at John F. Kennedy School, beginning approximately August 30, 2018 through September 21, 2018 at an anticipated daily rate of \$75.

28. The resignation of Ricardo Alvarado as Girls Assistant Soccer Coach effective August 17, 2018.
29. The resignation of Sara Morabito as Head Coach Modified Cross Country (Boys & Girls) effective August 10, 2018.

30. The following individuals be appointed to positions for the 2018 summer program:

Maureen Mott	Training from HMH – Introduction to Journeys Curriculum Team – District	\$42 per hour
Christine Galindo	Training from HMH – Introduction to Journeys Curriculum Team – District	42 per hour
Jessica Arroyo	Training from HMH – Introduction to Journeys Curriculum Team – District	42 per hour
Nelson Diaz	Mentor Training	42 per hour
Erika DelRe	Mentor Training	42 per hour
Joseph Gilson	Mentor Training	42 per hour
Jeanine Maiolini	Mentor Training	42 per hour
Diana Berrios	Mentor Training	42 per hour

31. The following individuals be appointed to positions for the 2018-2019 school year:

Maria Recchia	Mentor – High School – on an as needed basis	\$1,000
Estrella Marziani	Mentor – High School – on an as needed basis	1,000
Maxwell Guido	Mentor – High School – on an as needed basis	1,000
Deborah Pelletier	French Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Olvin Caba	Spanish Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Sara Stio	English Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Nelson Diaz	English Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Krysten Puzzo	Italian Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Erika Perez	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Renee Aubry	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Manuel Martinez	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Maria Recchia	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Katie Barnett	Art Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
April Dessereau	Art Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868

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Patricia Donnelly	Special Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	\$6,868
Nitai Penate	Special Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Ayse Ruvolo	Special Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Natalie Tejada	Special Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Lucia Ferrante	Special Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School (Every Other Day)	3,434
Michael Stabile	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School (Every Other Day)	3,434
Jackie Bisignano	Physical Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Corey Crane	Physical Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Joseph Facciola	Physical Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Gareth Gibbs	Physical Education Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Joseph Fontana	Science Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Craig Holcomb	Health Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Marc Latasa	Social Studies Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Jeffrey Kravitz	Social Studies Teacher – 6th Period – High School	6,868
Chris Kazim	Special Education Evaluations – 6 th Period – High School	6,868
Stephanie Figliomeni	Special Education Evaluations – 6 th Period – Middle School	7,000
Jeannie Iantorno	Special Education Evaluations – 6 th Period – Middle School	7,000
Joseph Gilson	Social Studies Department Chairperson – High School	2,756
Maria Recchia	Science Department Chairperson – High School	2,756
Jackie Bisignano	Physical Education Department Chairperson – High School	2,270
Alexander Lepas	Mathematics Department Chairperson – High School	2,756
Ayse Ruvolo	Special Education Department Co-Chairperson – High School	1,378
Chris Kazim	Special Education Department Co-Chairperson – High School	1,378
Nelson Diaz	English Department Chairperson – High School	2,756
Caryn Rodman	World Language Department Chairperson – High School	2,270
Karin Miletti	English as a New Language Department Chairperson – High School	2,270
Vanessa Clay-Williams	Guidance Department Chairperson – High School	2,270
Vanessa Clay-Williams	Guidance Counselor Stipend – High School	4,409
Ken Kraut	Music Department Chairperson – Middle School	2,756
Pepita Lopez	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Teresa Florindi	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Kevin Hanlon	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Jeannie Iantorno	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Anthony Piccolino	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Laurie Halstead	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Rebecca Mynio	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Peter Bisceglia	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Sara Morabito	Academy Leader – Middle School	2,756
Katherine Smook	Guidance Counselor Stipend – Middle School	4,409
Michael Ortiz	Guidance Counselor Stipend – Middle School	4,409
Jenna Garguilo	Head Coach Modified Cross Country (Boys & Girls)	3,001
Candace Munoz	Head Coach Modified Cheerleading (Fall)	3,142
Joseph Gilson	Extended Essay Advisor – High School	42 per hour
Joseph Gilson	Extended Essay Tutor – High School	42 per hour
Estrella Marziani	CAS Advisor – High School	42 per hour
Aferdita Osmani	CAS Advisor – High School	42 per hour
Kathy Federici	After School Pioneer League Supervision - District	42 per hour
Sharla Kaufman	After School Pioneer League Supervision - District	42 per hour
David Sheridan	After School Pioneer League Supervision - District	42 per hour
Christopher Wagner	After School Pioneer League Supervision - District	42 per hour
Michael Bonanno	Physical Education Teacher – Athletic Trainer	42 per hour
David Sheridan	Physical Education Teacher – Athletic Trainer	42 per hour

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Kathy Federici	CPR/AED/First Aid Courses Teacher – District	\$42 per hour
Peter Bermudez	Translator – District	42 per hour
Estrella Marziani	Translator – District	42 per hour
Lianet Lopez	Translator – District	42 per hour
Diana Inga-Marino	Translator – District	42 per hour
Peter Bisceglia	Breakfast Program Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Anthony Piccolino	Breakfast Program Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Esteban Guijarro	Breakfast Program Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Adam Kalman	Breakfast Program Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Holly Fannon	Breakfast Program Substitute Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Felicia Knox	Breakfast Program Monitor – Middle School	23 per hour
Sharla Kaufman	Vocational Service Coordinator – Middle School	42 per hour
Brooke Magnotta	Vocational Service Coordinator – Middle School	42 per hour
Carmen Vera McStay	504 Committee Chairperson – Edison School	1,000
Veronica Ruiz	CSE Sub Committee Chairperson – Park Avenue School	1,000
Lourdes Colon	504 Committee Chairperson – Park Avenue School	1,000
Mayra Estrella	CSE Sub Committee Chairperson – John F. Kennedy School	1,000
Mayra Estrella	504 Committee Chairperson – John F. Kennedy School	1,000
Laurie Halstead	504 Committee Chairperson – Middle School	2,000
Jessica Goldstein	CSE Sub Committee Chairperson – Middle School	2,000
Ayse Ruvolo	CSE Sub Committee Chairperson – High School (2 Positions)	4,000
Ana Ford	CSE Sub Committee Chairperson – High School (2 Positions)	4,000
Ayse Ruvolo	504 Committee Co-Chairperson – High School	1,000
Ana Ford	504 Committee Co-Chairperson – High School	1,000
Megan Klatell	CPSE/CSE Committee Chairperson – District	5,000
Jennifer Iasillo	Assistive Technology Facilitator – District	2,000
Beverly Pankow	Assistive Technology Facilitator – District	2,000
Jeannette Sanderson	ELA Academic Learning Specialist – Middle School	923
Melissa Pennino	Mathematics Academic Learning Specialist – Middle School	923
Chezdis Sanchez-Bors	Science Academic Learning Specialist – Middle School	923
Chris Halstead	Social Studies Academic Learning Specialist – Middle School	923
Allison Silverman	Unified Arts Coordinator – Middle School	460
Stephanie Figliomeni	Yearbook Co-Advisor – Middle School	1,250
Julie Dore	Yearbook Co-Advisor – Middle School	1,250
Laurie Halstead	Student Council Co-Advisor – Middle School	587.50
Jeannie Iantorno	Student Council Co-Advisor – Middle School	587.50
Suzanne Berlingo	National Junior Honor Society Advisor – Middle School	581
Ken Kraut	Band (Parade) Director – Middle School	755
Linda McDermott	Band (Parade) Director – Middle School	755
Mark Zizolfo	Drama Co-Director – Middle School	1,125
Renee McCaine-Taylor	Drama Co-Director – Middle School	1,125
Mark Zizolfo	Show Choir Director – Middle School	1,001
Ken Kraut	Stage Band Director – Middle School	1,239
Teresa Florindi	Ram Page Advisor – Middle School	1,274
Anthony Piccolino	G. O. Fund Treasurer – Middle School	2,269
Allison Silverman	Garden Coordinator – Middle School	3,000
Jamie Rubino	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – John F. Kennedy School	42 per hour
Colleen Moore	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – John F. Kennedy School	42 per hour
Jenny Maldonado	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – Park Avenue School	42 per hour
Claudia Levy	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – King Street School	42 per hour
Robin Bivona	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – Edison School	42 per hour
Karin Milette	ELL Data & NYSESLAT Coordinator – High School	42 per hour

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Joyce Mannel	NYSESLAT Administration Assistant – High School	\$42 per hour
Brian Knudsen	NYSESLAT Administration Assistant – High School	42 per hour
Sandra Savel	NYSESLAT Administration Assistant – High School	42 per hour
Olivia Antonopoulos	NYSESLAT Administration Assistant – High School	42 per hour
Katie Zappone	NYSESLAT Administration Assistant – High School	42 per hour
Jessica Goldstein	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Katherine Hurtado	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Daniella Roman	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Kevin Hanlon	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Pepita Lopez	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Lynn McTyre	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Juanita Mitchell	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Melissa Pennino	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Sari Neckman	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Anthony Piccolino	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Chezdis Sanchez	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Paul Santavicca	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Danielle Scicutella	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Arthur Tiedemann	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Mark Zizolfo	Academic Intervention Specialist – 6th Period – Middle School	3,500
Tyrone Berrie	6th Period – Physical Education – Middle School	7,000
Jean Marie Guzman	6th Period – Home Language Arts – Middle School	7,000
Kathy Federici	6th Period – Physical Education – Middle School	7,000
Maria Figura	6th Period – Italian – Middle School	7,000
Melissa Piccola	6th Period – Physical Education – Middle School	7,000
Heather Temple	6th Period – Home Language Arts – Middle School	7,000
Aaron Warren	6th Period – Mathematics – Middle School	7,000
Esteban Guizarro	6th Period – English Native Language – Middle School	7,000
Jaime Rufo	6th Period – Science – Middle School	7,000
Allison Silverman	6th Period – Family Consumer – Middle School	7,000
Sharla Kaufman	6th Period – Special Education – Middle School	7,000
Brooke Magnotta	6th Period – Special Education – Middle School	7,000
Renee McCaine-Taylor	6th Period – Special Education – Middle School	7,000
Johnna Sarcone	6th Period – Special Education – Middle School	7,000
Suzanne Berlingo	6th Period – Special Education – Middle School	7,000

32. The following individuals be appointed to provide consultant services for the High School Band for the 2018-2019 school year:
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| Chris Romero | Percussion Technician | \$900 |
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33. The following individuals be approved to serve as Substitute Teachers/Teacher Assistants/Tutors/Interns/Student Teachers/Volunteers on an as-needed basis for the 2018-2019 school year. They are either Fingerprint Cleared, “Grandfathered” in or on a twenty-day emergency basis:

Chakula Corry	Jaclyn Friedman	Lisa Alexander	Carol Annett
Alejandra Aguilara	Nicolas Arcuri	Victor Aviles	Melissa Mancilla
Jonathan Ayora	Bruce Marziani	Joseph Basso	Jennifer Puja
Sadie Bauerlein	Mary Romanello	Cathy Theodore	Ronald Weckessar
Janet Bellantoni	Patricia Broderick	Brendan Burke	Patricia Cabrera
Vinh Cam	Richard Soriano	Amanda Carter	Tatiana Diaz-Wayne
Astrid Vargas Hernandez	Alexandra Funk	Nicole Wuersching	Michael Celestino
Ruth Anne Cosgrove	Emely Gomez	Carol Costa	Susan Covino
Lindsay Lee	Joseph Frary	Joseph DeRuvo	David Desmond
Jason Dorsey	Alexus Murillo	Nancy Escalante	Cheryl Farbstein

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Phil Gambino	Paul Gettler	Joan Goldsmith	Hari Golden-Low
Eric Gooden	Lita Gottesman	Laura Gottlieb	Junith Grant
Ebony Washington	Cicely Greaves	Sylvia Egana	Jeannie Oliva-Rivera
Perry Jacobs	Brent Johnson	Lesia Kmetyk	Melinda Kettler
Felicia Knox	Donna LaBella	Eunice Lanfranchi	Aaron Levine
Harold Levine	David Litzky	Tammy Livingston	Mimoza Lleshaj
Nicholas Marcin	Chyna Marino	John Martin	Susan Metichecchia
Kristin Mitchell	Sami Mobarek	Kimberly Monter	Celeste Morabito
Olivia O'Brien	Rosa Maria Pansarella	Vitaly Polikoff	Adriana Paulucci
Melissa Punturiero	Taylor Quinn	Cynthia Reid	Denise Rigano
Marilena Rinaldi	Fran Ruello	Judith Russell	Clara Salazar
Deborah Sanguineti	Brian Scoli	Melissa Serrano	George Shepard
Yvette Solis	Robert Stacker	Robert Stattel	Michael Stobsky
Joseph Swick	Wendi Tandlich	Kimberly Tartaglia	Zachary Taylor
Tina Tedesco	Susan Thornton-Smith	Angela Tino	Thomas Ward
Robert Wynn	Grace Young	Ken VanVlack	Sylvia Williams
Brenda Burke	Maryann DiLeo	Maria Figura	Sharla Kaufman
Sheila Menegazzo	Melissa Piccola	Larissa Torres	Fatima Woods
Monique Vincent	Andrea Carriere	Beverly McAllister	Damon Piselli
Timothy Rood	Adriana Zapata	Frederick Markowitz	Airam Bello
Zaida Bello	Jasmin Martinez	Larry Buford	Michael Castellano
Erika Neri	Kathy Shannonhouse	Kathleen Franke	Jenna Garguilo
Barbara Graham	Emily Laguardia	Heather Temple	Jessica Goldstein
Jessika Charvis	Nina LaMarch	Amy Venusio	Isaac Gross
Corie Solnik-Botticelli	Crystal Young	Sharon Keller	Marvin DeLeon
Tricia Burns	Dhokela Yzeiraj	Nicole DeLio	Madeline Klein
Amy Silver	Kathleen Lecce	Eric Rios	Kiah Thomas
Genevieve Adabelle	Catherine Dandry	Dulce Rosario Angel	Perla Funes
Kyle Ackley	Michael Allen	Carolann Zilliox	Olga Marino
Marie Nahabakomeye	John Terracciano	Norma Marchand	Jannel Pacheco
Tiffany Morales	Melissa Martini	Erika Rodrigues Roncancio	Rosanna Bautista

34. The following individual(s) be appointed Athletic Event Supervisor(s) for the 2018-2019 school year at a stipend of \$50 per school event and/or \$25 per hour for Tournaments, providing the individual is not a member of the coaching staff for the particular event:

Dan Davis	Renee Aubry	Daphne Foust	Robert Stacker
Lawrence Hollinger	Jose Marrero	Laurie MacAllister	John Cafaldo
Sandra Ordonez	Janelle Carroll	Mark Mood	Ed Sundheim
Hank Birdsall	Michael Desharnais	Mark Rivera	Jeffrey Tascio
Jasmin Martinez	Jeanine Maiolini	Joseph Facciola	Gareth Gibbs
Jonathan Plato	Carlos Gomez	Nicholas Mancuso	Thomas Josephson

35. After 32 years with the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District, the retirement of Sandra Iasillo, Teacher Aide, Thomas A. Edison School, be accepted effective on August 31, 2018.
36. The resignation of Louis Perea, Hall Monitor, Port Chester Middle School be effective August 31, 2018.
37. The resignation of Michelle Ramirez, Secretary to School Principal (Spanish Speaking), Thomas A. Edison School be effective August 31, 2018.
38. The resignation of Brody Davis, Teacher Aide, John F. Kennedy School be effective August 31, 2018.

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39. A Leave of Absence be granted to Michael Lupo, Teacher Aide, (10 months/6 hours a day), John F. Kennedy School be effective September 1, 2018-November 1, 2018, without pay or benefits.
40. Summer hours be granted for the following 10-month employees at their contracted daily/hourly rate of pay:
Suey Pilke- Port Chester Middle School- (4 days)
Diana Montero-Heyert-John F. Kennedy School (4days)
Yasmin Orozco- Port Chester High School (4 days)
41. The following employees be appointed as Breakfast Monitors at a rate of \$23/hour effective Sept 1 2018- June 30, 2019:
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| Irma Espejo (King Street School) | L. Erica Battle (John F. Kennedy School) |
| Carla O’Brien (Park Ave School) | Mark Rivera (Port Chester Middle School) |
| Jose Escobar (John F. Kennedy School) | Ana Caceros (John F. Kennedy School) |
| Teresa Siguenza-Duran (John F. Kennedy School) | Sandra Villanova (King Street School) |
| Rosa Villaviciencio (Thomas A. Edison School) | Betsy Pacheco (Thomas A. Edison School) |
40. Alma Cacho, Port Chester, New York, be approved for a probationary appointment as Lunch Monitor, 10-months, 3-hours/day, at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective September 1, 2018. Her assignment will be Thomas A. Edison School. Ms. Cacho is NYS Fingerprint cleared.
41. Jose Escobar, Port Chester, New York, be approved for a probationary appointment as Lunch Monitor, 10-months, 3-hours/day at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective September 1, 2018. His assignment will be John F. Kennedy School. Mr. Escobar is NYS Fingerprint cleared.
42. Sandra Villanova, Port Chester, New York, be approved for a probationary appointment as Lunch Monitor, 10-months, 3-hours/day at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective September 1, 2018. Her assignment will be King Street School. Mrs. Villanova is NYS Fingerprint cleared.
43. Evelyn Mendoza, Port Chester, New York, be approved for a probationary appointment as Lunch Monitor, 10-months, 3-hours/day at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective September 1, 2018. Her assignment will be John F. Kennedy School. Ms. Mendoza is NYS Fingerprint cleared.
44. The following individual(s) be approved as Clerical, Teacher Aide, Lunch Monitor, Hall Monitor or Breakfast Monitor Substitutes at a rate of \$12/hour effective September 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019. All have received NYS Fingerprint Clearance or are grandfathered.
Kathryne Milliken
45. The following individual(s) be approved as Cleaner Substitute(s) at a rate of \$12.00/hour effective September 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019. All have received NYS Fingerprint Clearance or are grandfathered.
Jarren Gooden
46. The Budget Transfer in the amount of \$4,725.04, Schedule #2, dated August 20, 2018, be approved for the 2018-2019 school year.
47. The following warrants be approved:

	WARRANT #3 08/03/18	WARRANT #4 08/17/18	TOTAL
GENERAL FUND	1,664,335.12	987,795.05	2,652,130.17
SPECIAL AID	51,313.95	161,791.88	213,105.83
CAFETERIA FUND	2,791.53	2,200.00	4,991.53
TRUST & AGENCY	149,356.60	22,373.04	171,729.64
CAPITAL FUND	128,651.36	66,534.62	195,185.98
	1,996,448.56	1,240,694.59	3,237,143.15

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48. The following payrolls be approved:

	PAYROLL DATE	TOTAL PAYROLL
GENERAL FUND	08/03/18	\$ 329,353.25
	08/17/18	\$ 315,425.68
CAFETERIA	08/03/18	\$ 1,338.23
	08/17/18	\$ 1,338.23
SPECIAL AID	08/03/18	\$ 56,385.47
	08/17/18	\$ 51,649.42

Bond Construction Update

Will Recce gave an update on the bond construction and project status.

Public Hearing

A Public Hearing was held on the District-wide School Safety Plan. It was opened by Mrs. Capeci and seconded by Mr. Corbia, and was unanimously approved. People were invited to come to the microphone to make a comment. Hearing completed, there was a motion by Mrs. Capeci and seconded by Mr. Corbia, and it was unanimously approved for the Public Hearing to be closed.

Acceptance of Donations

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci and seconded by Mr. Corbia and carried (5-0), the donation of art supplies from Sarah Cecil valued at \$250 for use at the High School was accepted unanimously.

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci and seconded by Mr. Corbia and carried (5-0), the donation of \$1,000 to help upgrade the audio visual equipment at the High School from Triton International was accepted unanimously.

Action Items:

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Wolff and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

A. RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District adopt the 2018-2019 District Goals:

2018-2019 District Goals

**Goals reflect ongoing initiatives*

Goal 1 – Implement research-based PreK-12 supports and programs (such as the expansion of the International Baccalaureate program into the middle and elementary school levels) for all students to increase their post high school career and study options.

Goal 2 – Focus on district-wide instructional initiatives that recognize literacy as the foundation for all subject areas and that all educators are teachers of reading and writing.

Goal 3 – Facilitate student growth and achievement through professional development that improves instructional practices and student engagement, and promotes critical thinking.

Goal 4 – Advocate for the equitable funding of Foundation Aid, which is controlled by lawmakers, State Educational Department leadership, and the Board of Regents.

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Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Wolff and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- B. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District adopt the following 2018-2019 Committee Members:

Village of Port Chester	Anne and Tom
Village of Rye Brook	Lou and Chris
Town of Rye	Carolee and Lou
Blind Brook – Rye UFSD	Chris and Tom
Community Partners - NAACP/Open Door/Tamarack Tower/Carver Center/PC Council for the Arts/One World/Steer for Student Athletes/After School Programming	Carolee and Lou
PTA/O Presidents' Council	Carolee and Lou
Wellness	Carolee and Tom as available (noon preferred)
Policy	Carolee and Tom (11:30 am preferred)
Curriculum	Anne and Chris (noon preferred)
Negotiations	Carolee and Lou

Upon motion by Mr. Wolff, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- C. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District hereby approves the terms of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), for the 2018-2019 school year, between the Port Chester Middle School and SER of Westchester, Inc. as presented to the Board at this meeting.

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- D. WHEREAS**, the current processing of judicial tax certiorari proceedings involving commercial properties has resulted in the refund of millions of dollars by local municipalities in the Town of Rye during a single fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, At least three of these governmental entities in the Town of Rye found it necessary to borrow large sums of money through the issuance of municipal obligations to pay these claims, and

WHEREAS, New York State law severely restricts these entities' ability to budget for these payouts, creating substantial financial stress on these governments by diverting monies from use for their governmental purposes, and

WHEREAS, the courts have allowed the accumulation of four or more years of case filings to amass for each such commercial filing before their ultimate resolution,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Port Chester-Rye UFSD calls on our State Assembly and State Senate representatives to address these inequities, and limit the damage that is currently done to school districts and municipalities by way of the current system by proposing new legislation that calls for resolution or proceeding to trial in such cases in the same fiscal year as the filing of the proceedings and interest free payouts of judgments and settlements over a period of three years.

Upon motion by Mr. Wolff, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- E. RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Board of Education hereby creates the 1.0 FTE position of K-6 – Literacy Teacher, an Instructional Support Services position within the meaning of Part 30 of the Rules of the Board of Regents.

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Board of Education hereby creates the 1.0 FTE position of CSE Chairperson, an Instructional Support Services position within the meaning of Part 30 of the Rules of the Board of Regents.

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Upon motion by Mr. Wolff, seconded by Mrs. Capeci and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- F. BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board hereby authorizes the Board of Education President and Superintendent of Schools to execute an Agreement in lieu of an appointment to probation, dated August 13, 2018, on behalf of the School District, with Megan Klatell, who possesses a School Psychologist Certificate, whereby Megan Klatell shall perform services as Committee on Special Education Chairperson for the School District on a contractual, non-tenure-bearing basis, for the period commencing August 14, 2018 and terminating on August 31, 2018. A copy of said Agreement, as presented to the Board at this meeting, shall be incorporated by reference within the minutes of this meeting.

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- G. WHEREAS**, a 30 day public comment period will commence upon this resolution taking effect, and subsequently a public forum will be held to capture public feedback on the plan

WHEREAS, aligned with Board of Education Policy 8130, School Safety Plans and Teams, adopted by the Board of Education March 2018 and Board of Education Policy 8130-R, Emergency Plans Regulation, adopted by the Board of Education in August 2003, the District-Wide School Safety Plan is designed to prevent or minimize the effects of violent incidents and emergencies and to facilitate the coordination of schools and school districts with local and county resources in the event of such incidents or emergencies.

WHEREAS, the District-Wide School Safety Plan is to be adopted by the Board of Education annually as per Education Law 807 and 2801-a, and Commissioner’s Regulation 155.17

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Public School District hereby approves the District-Wide School Safety Plan; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee to submit the District Emergency Response Plan to the New York State Education Department for review and approval through the NYSED online Business Portal.

RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect immediately.

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- H. BE IT RESOLVED**, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board hereby approves the terms of a Supplemental Memorandum of Agreement (“SMOA”) between the District and the Port Chester Teachers’ Association, dated August 29, 2018. A copy of said SMOA, as presented to the Board at this meeting, shall be incorporated by reference within the minutes of this meeting.

Upon motion by Mrs. Capeci, seconded by Mr. Russo and carried, the resolution was unanimously approved (5-0):

- I. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District approve the following rental/lease agreements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the president of the Board / Superintendent of Schools / Purchasing Agent is authorized to execute related agreements.

Lessor / Renter	Lessee / Rentee	Function / Facility	Amount	Term	Fund
State University of New York at Purchase (SUNY Purchase)	Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District	Athletic Facilities and related supervision and security services	Various	2018-2019	General

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Consent Agenda:

Upon motion by Mr. Wolff, seconded by Mrs. Capeci and carried, resolutions a-i of the consent agenda were unanimously approved (5-0):

- A. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District approve the attendance to the following conferences as noted below:

	Name	Conference	Date	Amount	Funded
1	Melissa Pennino	Math Chairs Collegial Circle	10/12/18, 12/12/18, 4/24/19 and 6/3/19	\$688.00 + applicable tips and taxes	General Fund
2	Diantha Barone	Women Leaders in Education at Columbia University	October 4 – 5, 2018	\$945.51 + applicable tips and taxes	General Fund

- B. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District hereby approves the Homestead and Non-Homestead tax rates below for the 2018-2019 school year as determined by the Tax Collector of the Town of Rye. The tax levy collected as a result of the rates is in compliance with the New York State Tax Levy Cap.

Homestead: 15.992189
Non-Homestead: 22.42483

- C. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District approve the revision to Resolution F approved on August 1, 2018 to reflect actual total Grant Fund expenses of \$1,645.28 for Felipe Orozco to attend the English as a New Language (ENL) Intensive Instructional Institute from August 21-23, 2018.
- D. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District, at its discretion and in the best interest of the District, elects to forgo the written quote and bid requirements in keeping with Policy 6700R – Purchasing Regulation and approve the contracted services agreements / memorandums of agreement for the following 2018-2019 school year professional service procurements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the president of the Board / Superintendent of Schools / Purchasing Agent is authorized to execute related contracts.

	Vendor	Function	Rate	Not to Exceed	Fund
1	Madeline Sanchez	Language Acquisition Coaching & PD for Corpus/Christi Holy Rosary staff	\$1,500/day	\$6,000	Title III
2	Sutherland Consulting	Homeless Liaison Services	\$50/Hour	\$42,000	Title I
3	Sutherland Consulting	EPIC Parental Program	\$50/Hour	\$25,000	Title III
4	Port Chester Carver Center	HS Teen Youth Program	\$75/student	\$15,000	McKinney Vento
5	Music Conservatory of Westchester	Music Therapy	\$125/visit	\$12,500	IDEA 611
6	Family Services of Westchester	District-wide Social Workers Family Strengthening Worker District-wide Social Workers Family Strengthening Worker Bilingual Family Liaison, Bienvenidos Newcomer Program	Flat rate of \$198,985	\$200,000	Title Grant Funds & IDEA 611 Funds

- E. RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District award the following competitive bids as noted below:

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Award To	Description	Amount	Basis for Award
Contract # 1 General Contractor Worth Construction Co., Inc. .	King Street ES Addition & Alterations capital bond projects	\$6,778,793	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 2 Plumbing Contractor Southeast Mechanical Corp.		\$390,480	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 3 Mechanical Contractor Southeast Mechanical Corp.		\$734,360	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 4 Site Contractor Talt Electric		\$1,090,000	Tabulation of Bid

Award To	Description	Amount	Basis for Award
Contract # 1 General Contractor Worth Construction Co., Inc. .	John F. Kennedy ES Addition & Alterations capital bond projects	\$9,182,350	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 2 Plumbing Contractor Southeast Mechanical Corp.		\$788,850	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 3 Mechanical Contractor Southeast Mechanical Corp.		\$1,020,350	Tabulation of Bid
Contract # 4 Site Contractor Talt Electric		\$1,107,800	Tabulation of Bid

F. RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approve the following Transportation Contracts for the 2018-2019 school year as noted below.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the President of the Board of Education is authorized to execute said contracts. The number of children, buses, vans, monitors, or cost approved in each contract is subject to change in accordance with New York State Education Law and Commissioner’s Regulations.

TLC Transportation Yonkers, NY	In an amount not to exceed \$1,016,010
<p>Transportation of Port Chester - Rye Union Free School District students as follows: One student to Montfort Academy in an amount not to exceed \$31,760, four students and two monitor to Mt. Pleasant/Valhalla/Pleasantville schools in an amount not to exceed \$120,880; six students and three monitor to Dobbs Ferry/Irvington/Hastings schools in an amount not to exceed \$126,080, one student and one monitor to Eastchester schools in an amount not to exceed \$46,980, one wheelchair student, three students and one monitor to Putnam Northern Westchester BOCES Pinesbridge/Walden in an amount not to exceed \$50,400; sixteen students and three monitors to Southern Westchester Boces Rye Lake Campus in an amount not to exceed \$125,820; one wheelchair student and one monitor to John A. Coleman, White Plains in an amount not to exceed \$45,180, one student to Rocheambau High School in White Plains in an amount not to exceed \$31,320 two student and one monitor to Pocantico Hills schools in an amount not to exceed \$43,560; four wheelchair students, seven students, and 2 monitors to Tappan Hill Elementary School in an amount not to exceed \$109,800; three students and one monitor to St. Matthews in an amount not to exceed \$43,560; one wheelchair student, one student and two monitor to United Cerebral Palsy of Westchester in an amount not to exceed \$60,860; one student to Westchester Exceptional Children in an amount not to exceed \$48,810; one student to Rye School of Leadership in an amount not to exceed \$28,900; three students to The Masters School in an amount not to exceed \$17,860; IDT BOCES (number of students vary according to need) in an amount not to exceed \$10,000; Port Chester Hourly (estimated) in an amount not to exceed \$15,000; and St. Vincent’s (number of students vary according to need) in an amount not to exceed \$26,280.</p>	

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One student to The Hackley School not to exceed \$32,960.	
All County Transportation Yonkers, NY	In an amount not to exceed \$373,400
Transportation of Port Chester - Rye Union Free School District students as follows: Five students and two monitors to Clear View School in an amount not to exceed \$50,000; one students and one monitor to New York School for the Deaf in an amount not to exceed \$36,400; four wheelchair students, seven students and three monitors to Port Chester Schools in an amount not to exceed \$192,000; and two student and one monitor to Mamaroneck Avenue School, Mamaroneck, in an amount not to exceed \$60,000, one student to Putnam Northern Westchester BOCES Walter Panas High School in an amount not to exceed \$35,000	
Southern Westchester BOCES Transportation	In an amount not to exceed \$8,520
Transportation of Port Chester - Rye Union Free School District students from SW BOCES Rye Lake Campus to SW BOCES Tech Center Valhalla or from SW BOCES Tech Center Valhalla to SW BOCES Rye Lake Campus in an amount not to exceed \$8,520 (estimated).	
Super Wheels, Inc. Yonkers, NY	In an amount not to exceed \$154,167
Transportation of Port Chester - Rye Union Free School District students as follows: One student and one monitor to Children’s Village in an amount not to exceed \$36,600; one student and one monitor to Ridgeway Nursery School-Kindergarten, White Plain’s in an amount not to exceed \$38,700, one student to Sacred Heart School, Hartsdale, NY in an amount not to exceed \$33,300, one student and one monitor to Villa Maria School, Stamford, CT in an amount not to exceed \$45, 567.	
Susan Neithardt, Port Chester, New York	In an amount not to exceed \$3,500
Transportation of Port Chester – Rye Union Free School District student by Susan Neithardt, Port Chester, New York (parent) as follows: One Special Education student residing with said parent at 114 Breckenridge Avenue, Port Chester, New York to Byram Hills High School in an amount not to exceed \$3,500.	
County Coach Corporation Rye, NY	In an amount not to exceed \$1,441,949
Transportation of Three hundred Eighty Five Port Chester - Rye Union Free School District students with eight monitors to, Brunswick Elementary and High School, Resurrection Grammar and Middle Schools, Greenwich Catholic, Ursuline, Iona Preparatory High School, Iona Grammar, Greenwich Academy, Sacred Heart, Maria Regina, Trinity Catholic, Salesian High School, Holy Child, German School, Rye Country Day, Windward School, Stanwich School, Saints John and Paul, Whitby School, Eagle Hill School, French American School (Mamaroneck & Larchmont), Occupational Education (Valhalla BOCES), and all Port Chester Public Schools in an amount not to exceed \$1,441,949.	

G. RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District approve the recommendation of the Committee on Special Education (CSE) designating the placement of these children within the District and/or out-of-District and transportation as needed for the 2018-19 school year. The file numbers of the children are as follows:

65520	65520	61371	61515	64255	61903	9897094	63372	9896978	9896009
61706	64105	61434	9896131	64432	61987	9897295	63544	63386	65327
64303	66111	61873	9897669	65786	64271	65653	63694	62772	9894619
65520	9894699	61987	9898013	66118	65118	66063	63855	63966	61784
8000234	9898445	62465	9898436	66285	65243	66101	63880	66078	63776
9896548	62054	62510	9898528	64453	66028	9892686	64402	9898286	64105
64453	66586	62623	61111	64919	9895690	9892934	64409	62859	64396
65983	9897094	65220	61491	65234	9895699	9895678	64412	64314	65127
64432	64450	66011	61830	9897968	9896420	9895957	65918	64490	65202
65177	65316	66015	61844	63895	9896826	9896054	9893905	64531	65775
66285	61504	66541	61971	9896406	9897592	9896385	9895742	64535	64251
64154	61589	9893725	62849	9896448	9898277	9896439	63025	65482	65116

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65568	62512	9897307	65559	9896823	9898393	9897474	63484	66734	66310
66063	9895210	9898133	9893164	9897380	9898650	9897554	63649	62269	66372
66372	61377	61464	9893627	9897948	9898721	65568	63735	63339	62734
66672	64275	62260	9895947	9898722	61296	66111	64442	64263	63485
9898445	66111	62282	9896501	61022	61468	9895343	65654	64302	64453
64186	62369	62440	9896861	61077	61721	61728	9894057	64456	64857
9897094	9892387	63776	9897036	61098	61743	61746	9895676	65068	65124
64543	9893452	63778	9897360	61320	61769	61763	62108	65815	65316
65520	9893651	63782	63685	61656	63128	61799	62204	65842	9894694
9893579	9894495	63816	64434	62917	63527	61840	63066	61491	9894857
9895210	9896017	63898	64452	63257	63645	63966	63300	61665	9897525
9898445	9898009	9895210	64455	64105	64154	64057	64070	64425	62117
61386	65326	9898715	64457	9895062	9895013	64320	61829	9894857	63025
62233	9894694	61891	64736	9895234	9898814	65671	62156	9898447	63052
9895285	9895210	62123	65157	9895310	62478	61086	62346	61602	63875
9895352	9896310	62636	65195	9895658	66586	61624	62797	62369	64091
9895610	62112	64186	65253	9896737	9894952	64453	62935	62966	64442
9897956	62599	64469	65815	9897124	9895688	65873	62951	63569	64901
9898191	63776	65326	65842	9897256	9896025	8000088	63839	63816	62449
64857	64396	66130	65961	9898056	9896538	9895199	63840	9895660	64456
65602	64469	61359	66672	9898057	9897443	9895283	64642	63255	65454
9895279	64514	61440	9896445	65234	9897504	9896668	64857	63545	62732
9896331	65425	65567	9897361	9894865	9897525	9898431	65970	64452	65234
9897104	66130	66236	9897968	9896150	61076	62247	66130	64803	9897094
9898540	9892410	8000234	63255	62158	61086	62732	9895716	65378	66372
9898599	9895290	9893201	64256	62535	61113	62887	9897414	65961	66372
62255	9896719	9896134	64274	62607	61130	63024	9897523	9898740	65559
63257	9897309	9896375	64315	62874	61204	63176	9897640	62054	65567
65520	9897388	9896548	64394	9894043	64246	63426	61305	64450	66372
9895854	9898780	61073	65177	9894857	65251	63551	61306	65775	9898208
9896441	9898822	61104	65378	9894947	65563	64105	62051	9893201	9896658
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9896978	63768	64901	9898551	64097	64183	63548	62827	62857
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9896050	9895179	9897573	65169	62599	66044	9896705	9897124	63203
9896667	9895666	9898065	65202	9892438	9892410	9897979	64186	63257
9897958	9895679	9898200	62203	9897195	9895750	61170	62369	64452

H. **RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District approve the recommendation of the Committee on Preschool Special Education (CPSE) designating the placement of these children within the District and/or out-of-District and transportation as needed for 2018-19 school year. The file numbers of the children are as follows:

66380	66502	66238	66320	65749	66183	66070	66320	66224	66771
66504	66508	66720	66360	65750	65296	66103	66363	66504	66248
66619	65967	65967	66042	65813	66242	66082	66204	66506	66564
66647	66502	66184	66159	66570	66589	66154	66152	66507	
66676	66508	66239	66566	65656	66730	66158	66503	66644	
65967	66502	66225	66729	66210	66777	66198	65817	66676	

I. **RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Port Chester-Rye Union Free School District authorize the School District Treasurer to complete budgetary transfers and pay bill schedules and payrolls for all funds. Said transactions will be approved by the Board of Education at the first available board meeting.

Board of Education Roundtable/Discussion

Mr. Corbia received information from Mayor Falanka regarding immunizations for our students. Mr. Corbia inquired about Mr. Renda having surgery and Dr. Kliszus responded that Mr. Renda was doing well and was still on top of the various projects with Mr. Lunde filling in. Mr. Corbia also asked about receiving information on class sizes for the district. He also made an inquiry about Rico Dos Angelos who wanted to rent space for Martial Arts. He also spoke about re-registration at New Rochelle, which the state is now allowing them to do and it is being called a residency verification. He is also hoping that we could reach out to Mr. Vitagliano regarding a fairer way to fund schools and communities via taxes.

Mrs. Capeci talked about the board retreat that was held last night and thought it should be held in January. She did not attend and felt that there needed to be a healing process and would like everything to be transparent.

Mr. Wolff agreed that the whole board should meet again in January or February. Mr. Russo said that part of the healing process is to talk and there should definitely be another meeting. Mrs. Capeci then said that there are so many things that bring us together and that we can do good things for the district. Mr. Corbia thinks that a third party should come in and guide us at the board retreat. Mr. Russo mentioned the fall sport season will be starting and encouraged everyone to come out and support the teams. He wished everyone a great new school year. Mr. Wolff mentioned that Port Chester High School has been reported by the U.S. News and Report as ranking in the top 11% in New York State. Let us have a good year and support our schools by attending events. Dr. Kliszus said it is going to be a great year and Mrs. Brakewood said to enjoy the last few days of summer and Labor Day weekend. She thought that the board retreat was valuable. Mrs. Capeci wished everyone happy holidays for Yom Kippur.

The next board meeting will be held at the Middle School at 7 p.m. on September 25th.

There being no further business at 8:22 p.m., upon motion by Mrs. Wolff, seconded by Mr. Corbia and carried (5-0), the Board adjourned the meeting.