

**HASBROUCK HEIGHTS BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR
MEETING MINUTES THURSDAY,
August 24, 2023
7:30pm**

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Thursday, August 24, 2023, in the High School Media Center, 365 Boulevard, Hasbrouck Heights, New Jersey. The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Board President, Mrs. Cintron.

Mrs. Cintron read the following statement:

The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon.

Pursuant to the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act, Public Law 1975, Chapter 231, the Board Secretary caused notices of this meeting to be given to the public and the press on August 7, 2023.

Said notice was posted at the Hasbrouck Heights Municipal Building, Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education Office, Hasbrouck Heights Middle and High School, Euclid Elementary School, Lincoln Elementary School, and Hasbrouck Heights School District Website.

Notice of said meeting was published under legal notice in The Record.

Roll call was taken and the following members responded to their names:

Roll call:

Mrs. Cintron	Mrs. Krommenhoek	Ms. Russo
Mr. DeLorenzo - absent	Mr. Mullins - absent	Mrs. Sausa - absent
Mrs. Ferdinand	Mrs. Ramos	Mrs. Terranova

Also Present: Mr. Polizzi, Ms. Kleen, Mr. Brown

Mrs. Cintron led the Board in the flag salute.

PRESENTATIONS: None

Public Discussion on Agenda Resolutions:

Mrs. Cintron read the following statement:

Residents are requested to state their names, addresses and subject matter. Issues raised by Residents are requested to state their names, addresses and subject matter. Issues raised by members of the public may or may not be responded to by the Board. All comments will be considered and a response will be forthcoming if and when appropriate. The Board asks that

members of the public be courteous and mindful of the rights of other individuals when speaking. Specifically, comments regarding students and employees of the District are discouraged and will not be responded to by the Board. Students and employees have specific legal rights afforded by the laws of New Jersey. The Board bears no responsibility nor will it be liable for any comments made by members of the public. Members of the public should consider their comments in light of the legal rights of those affected or identified in their comments and be aware that they are legally responsible and liable for their comments.

A resident asked about the additional work needed at the cafeteria.

Approval of Minutes - July 27, 2023

(On file in the business office) – moved by J. Ferdinand, seconded by N. Russo

Roll Call:

Ayes: Mrs. Cintron
Mrs. Ferdinand, Mrs. Krommenhoek,
Mrs. Ramos, Mrs. Terranova, Mrs. Russo
Abstains: None
Nays: None
Absent: Mr. DeLorenzo, Mr. Mullins, Mrs. Sausa
Minutes Approved

Correspondence/Report of School Business Administrator/Board Secretary:

None

Report of the Board President:

Report of the Interim Superintendent:

Committee Reports – (On file in the business office)

Education Committee
Special Education
Technology
Facilities
Recreation
Finance
Personnel
Policy

Labor Relations/Negotiations Committee – None

NJ/BCSBA – None

Borough Council Liaison – None

Faculty Liaison – None

PTA Liaison – None

PRESENTATIONS/AWARDS – Mr. Barchini and Mrs. Vetrano presented test results.

EDUCATION/CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

RESOLUTIONS:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Russo, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand, all in favor.

E08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept Monthly Discipline Report:

HS - 0

MS - 0

LS - 0

ES - 0

E08-02-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept Monthly Superintendent HIB Report and approve the actions recommended by the Superintendent for the following incidents: (if applicable)

HS - 0

MS - 0

ES - 0

LS - 0

E08-03-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

The monthly district calendar

E08-04-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve structured Professional Development for staff at Euclid and Lincoln Schools for

ELA from the Teachers College Reading and Writing - Paid with ESEA Title II funds - \$25,500.00.

E08-05-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve structured Professional Development for Math teachers on NJSLs and best practices for grade 7, Algebra I, and Geometry I - paid with ESEA Title II funds - \$2,448.59.

E08-06-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the Elementary School Handbook/Code of Conduct (Attachment A).

E08-07-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Lincoln School to host the Bergen County consortium for Teachers of the Gifted on October 18, 2023, at no cost to the district.

E08-08-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve J. Colangelo, C. Capozzi, E. Caputo, E. LaTorre and K. Young to attend the Reach the World Annual Benefit on September 26, 2023, at no cost to the district - evening event.

E08-09-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the High School Student Handbook (Attachment B).

E08-10-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the Middle School Student Handbook (Attachment C).

E08-11-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the revised job description for Supervisor of Instruction and Program Pre-K - 6 (change from Pre-K - 5) - (Attachment D).

SPECIAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Terranova, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand, all in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

S08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #6939 at a cost of \$63,000.00.

S08-02-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #485 at a cost of \$20,520.00.

S08-03-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #1003067 at a cost of \$78,390.00.

S08-04-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #1001267 at a cost of \$78,390.00.

S08-05-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #1000981 at a cost of \$63,900.00.

S08-06-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #5375 at a cost of \$63,900.00.

S08-07-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve a contract with BCSS for student #7006 at a cost of \$63,900.00.

(Withdrawn)S08-08-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Amend resolution P06-12-23 for the following:

Lisa Ciraco - additional 50 Summer hours @ \$90.42 per hour

Frank Avella - additional 30 Summer hours @ \$63.75 per hour

Katie Baptista - additional 6 Summer hours @ \$89.69 per hour

S08-09-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve BCSS Avt. Services to provide Auditory Verbal Technique Services for student #1001241 once per week, not to exceed \$5,775.

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTIONS:

None

FACILITIES COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Ferdinand, seconded by Mrs. Russo, all in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

B08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Monthly Facilities Calendar

RECREATION COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Krommenhoek, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand, all in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

R08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the monthly Field Trip Calendar

R08-02-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024

school year:

Approve Parents for Athletes to hang small banners (athletes names/portrait) at Depken Field, Hitchcock Field and Gyms.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Ramos, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand, all in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

F08-01-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education pursuant to NJAC 6A:23-2.11-4 and upon consultation with district officials, certifies that to the best of its knowledge, no major account of funds have been over expended in violation of NJAC 6A:23-2.11(a) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's needs.

F08-02-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the actual payroll for the month of June in the amount of \$2,298,454.52 and that the President of the Board and the School Business Administrator are hereby authorized to sign warrants up to and including the above.

F08-03-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the estimated payroll for the month of August at \$1,000,000 and that the President of the Board and the School Business Administrator are hereby authorized to sign warrants up to and including the above \$1,000,000.

F08-04-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year: (Attachment E)

Bills List for the Month of May

Fund 10	General Fund	\$ 4,209,283.50
Fund 20	Special Revenue	\$ 237,144.45
Fund 60	Enterprise	\$ 103,503.55
Fund 95	Student Activity	\$ 52,672.21
Total:		\$ 4,602,603.71
Fund 95	Voided Checks	\$ 4,886.55

F08-05-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following reports in accordance with NJAC 6A:23-2.11 (a) and NJAC 6A:23-2. 11 (b).

Board Secretary's Report

Cash Report

Monthly Fund Transfer Report

July (Attachment F)

F08-06-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Authorize the Business Administrator to withdraw \$54,000 from the Maintenance Reserve account and add it to the 2023-2024 appropriations. The money is needed for paving improvements at Euclid School and a minor asbestos floor abatement in the High School.

F08-07-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the following fundraisers:

Yearbook Class - Reusable Bag Sale - 9/1/23 - 6/30/24

Junior Class - Cheesecake Sale - 9/1/23 - 10/30/23

Sophomore Class - Frozen Cookie Dough Sale - 10/1/23 - 11/13/23

Athletic Department Teams - Apparel Sales - 9/1/23 - 6/30/24

Girls Soccer Fundraiser - Snap Raise Donation - 8/25/23 - 10/31/23

Boys Soccer Fundraiser - Snap Raise Donation - 8/30/23 - 10/30/23

F08-08-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Add \$100,000 to the 2023-2024 budget year appropriations to pay for a new math textbook series at the Hasbrouck Heights High School. The funds will come out of the \$252,999 excess Extraordinary Aid that was generated in 2022-2023.

F08-09-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the

Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Appropriate \$190,000 out of Capital Reserve Fund to pay for additional unforeseen work that is required to complete the High School Cafeteria Renovations project.

F08-10-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve change orders 12 and 13 with Northeastern Interior Services pertaining to the High School Cafeteria Project. Change order 12 will be funded out of the construction contingency and change order 13 will be funded out of a withdrawal from the Capital Reserves account.

F08-11-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the renewal of BrainPop and BrainPop Jr., an animated educational site for students in all content areas - paid for with CRRSA ESEA Title III funds - \$6,451.50.

F08-12-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve novel study to support Freshman Seminar - paid with ESEA Title I funds - \$456.00.

F08-13-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the purchase of ELA materials to support balanced literacy. Paid with CRRSA and ESSER grant monies - \$8,676.80.

F08-14-24 Be it Resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools of the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the purchase of classroom library books to support independent reading and balanced literacy curriculum units - paid for with ESEA Title I funds - \$1,116.64.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Krommenhoek, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand, all in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

P08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Sheila Rivera as Assistant Volleyball Coach - Step 5 - \$5,644.00.

P08-02-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Kathy Stellhorn as a 1-1 Paraprofessional at a rate of \$26,335.00, with a stipend of \$4,000 per contract addendum.

P08-03-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the following salary guide movements:

- Lisa Colaneri - BA to BA+15
- Corinne Miller - MA+15 to MA+30
- Stephanie Netelkos - BA to BA+15
- Michele Schaffer - BA to BA+15
- John Zukatus - MA to MA+15

P08-04-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Rajmonda Leka as a Euclid School Paraprofessional starting September 1, 2023 at \$26,335.00 per year (pending receipt of all paperwork).

P08-05-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept the resignation of Molly Tague, HS History Teacher, effective October 6, 2023-60 days notice.

P08-06-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Aida Signorile as a substitute KEYS Assistant at \$18 per hour.

P08-07-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools

the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve teacher sixth period stipends for the MS/HS - \$3,700.00 per staff member, per year (Attachment G).

P08-08-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept the retirement of V. Giancaspro, effective 4/1/2024.

P08-09-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept leave of absence for Staff# 0170 from 9/5/2023-10/2/2023.

P08-10-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve lunch assistants for Lincoln School for the 23-24 SY, max 2 hours per day at \$18/per hour (Attachment H)

P08-11-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept the resignation of Cristen Mizenko, Euclid School Elementary Teacher, effective 10/6/2023-60 days notice.

P08-12-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve J. Colangelo as Elementary School Safety Specialist, Stipend @ \$1,000.

P08-13-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve C. Lange, A. Lustmann and B. Feinberg for 2 hours of Security Training on September 5, 2023 at the following hourly rates:

C. Lange, \$46.87/per hour

A. Lustmann, \$46.87/per hour

B. Feinberg, \$40.58/per hour

P08-14-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools

the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve R. Tschinkel as Head Bowling Coach @ \$4,338.

P08-15-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve J. Thompson as Euclid School Paraprofessional @ \$26,335.

P08-16-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Substitute list for the 23-24 SY (Attachment I).

P08-17-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the District Affirmative Action (AAT) - (Attachment J)

P08-18-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve A. Signorile as a Part-Time (.6) Basic Skills Math Teacher at Lincoln School - Paid through Title I Funds - BA, Step 3 - \$34,380.00.

P08-19-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve T. Edwards as a Part-Time (.6) Basic Skills ELA Teacher at Lincoln School - Paid through Title I Funds - BA, Step 8 - \$35,730.00.

P08-20-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve B. Feinberg, A. Lustmann, C. Lange to attend Active Shooter Response Training at the HHPD on August 22nd from 4:00 - 8:00 pm - at their hourly rates of \$46.87 (Lustmann and Lange) and \$40.58 (Feinberg).

P08-21-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Amend Resolution P05-16-23 rescinding M. Tague as Asst. Girls Soccer Coach, Multi-

Cultural Club, Pilot's Log and Spirit Club for the 23-24 SY.

P08-22-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve M. Hackbarth as PT Physical Education teacher for the HS/MS, BA, Step 9, \$36,450.00.

P08-23-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve C. Bello & M. Ragozzino as MS/HS Visitor Monitors @ \$17/HR; 5.5/HRS per day.

P08-24-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Accept the resignation of Bonnie Dallara, LS Paraprofessional, effective August 21, 2023.

P08-25-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve Jadira Ortega, Euclid School Nurse, BA/Step 8 - \$59,550.

POLICY COMMITTEE:

The following resolutions were moved by Mrs. Ferdinand, seconded by Mrs. Russo; Mrs. Cintron – abstain; remainder of Board in favor.

RESOLUTIONS:

PL08-01-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the first reading of policy/regulation #1642.01 - Sick Leave (Attachment K).

PL08-02-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the first reading of policy/regulation #2419 - School Threat Assessment Teams (Attachment L).

(Withdrawn) PL08-03-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the second reading of Regulation #1110 - Organizational Chart (Attachment M-pending changes).

OLD BUSINESS- None

NEW BUSINESS –

The following resolutions were moved by L. Krommenhoek, seconded by C. DeLorenzo, all in favor.

Education:

The following resolution was moved by Mrs. Ferdinand, seconded by Mrs. Russo; Mrs. Krommenhoek – abstain; remainder of Board in favor.

E08-12-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve the Collective Bargaining Agreement, Sidebar Addendum, to the HHBOE/HHEA; Article Five: Professional Development & Professional Improvement. (Attachment N)

Personnel:

The following resolution was moved by Mrs. Krommenhoek, seconded by Mrs. Ferdinand; all in favor.

P08-26-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Approve #0064, paid Leave of Absence from 8/18/23 through 9/29/2023.

Policy:

The following resolution were moved by Mrs. Ferdinand, seconded by Mrs. Terranova, all in favor.

PL08-05-24 Be it resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Hasbrouck Heights Board of Education approve the following for the 2023-2024 school year:

Dress Code Policy #5511, First Reading. (Attachment O)

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING:

Mrs. Cintron read the following statement:

Residents are requested to state their names, addresses and subject matter. Issues raised by members of the public may or may not be responded to by the Board. All comments will be considered and a response will be forthcoming if and when appropriate. The Board asks that members of the public be courteous and mindful of the rights of other individuals when speaking. Specifically, comments regarding students and employees of the District are discouraged and will not be responded to by the Board. Students and employees have specific legal rights afforded by the laws of New Jersey. The Board bears no responsibility nor will it be liable for any comments made by members of the public. Members of the public should consider their comments in light of the legal rights of those affected or identified in their comments and be aware that they are legally responsible and liable for their comments.

A resident asked about a HIB matter.

Mr. Colangelo commended Mr. Mihalitsianos for his brilliant work on the construction projects.

A resident asked about the “so called” mold in the auditorium and will be cafeteria be ready for the first day of school.

A resident asked when the bleachers be open and where can supplies be dropped off that are donated.

Mr. Warren commended the Board on the Professional Development Program.

A resident asked about the Study Skills Class. What is the status?

Meeting adjourned at 9:09 pm

Moved by L. Terranova, seconded by J. Ferdinand

All in favor

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Brown

Interim School Business Administrator/Board Secretary