

MANNINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES – May 5, 2015

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Township of Mannington, County of Salem, New Jersey, was held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

Call to Order Mrs. Skwirut, President, called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

Pledge to Flag Mrs. Skwirut led the group in the pledge to the flag.

Mrs. Skwirut read the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law. Notice of this meeting was published in the South Jersey Times, as well as posted in the Municipal Building and the Mannington Township School.

Roll Call Members Present: Mr. Buzby, Mrs. Heritage, Ms. Porter, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Shimp, and Mrs. Skwirut. Members Excused: None Members Absent: Mrs. Van Dover

Also Present: Mrs. Constance McAllister, Superintendent, Ms. Kristin Williams, Principal and Mrs. Donna Dolbow, Business Administrator/Board Secretary and members of the community attending on file in board office.

Public Hearing PUBLIC HEARING 2015-2016 BUDGET

After presentation & discussion of the budget information, motion by Mrs. Shimp and seconded by Mrs. Richman that the Board approve, by resolution, the 2015-2016 budget as presented. (Page 5334)

Roll Call vote: Ayes (6) Mr. Buzby, Mrs. Heritage, Ms. Porter, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Shimp, and Mrs. Skwirut.
Nays (0.) Abstain (0). Motion carried.

Audience Participation AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION I - None

Financial FINANCIAL

Motion by Mrs. Richman and seconded by Mrs. Heritage that the Board of Education approve the following financial items:

District Tax Schedule 1. **District Tax Schedule** – Approve the District Tax Schedule for 2015-2016, based on the approved budget, in the amount of \$2,622,935 general fund and \$113,116 debt service fund for a total of \$2,736,051. (Page 5335)

Shared Services 2. **Shared Services** - The Board approve the discontinuation of the shared superintendent services with Elsinboro for the 2015-16 school year, by mutual agreement and as per written notifications by Mannington Board of Education to Elsinboro in April and on May 1, 2015.

Roll Call vote: Ayes (6) Mr. Buzby, Mrs. Heritage, Ms. Porter, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Shimp, and Mrs. Skwirut.
Nays (0.) Abstain (0). Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Motion by Mrs. Shimp and seconded by Mrs. Richman that the Board of Education approve the following items:

Personnel **Personnel**

1. **Superintendent Contract** - Approve the five year Superintendent contract 2015-2020, for Kristin Williams as Superintendent, effective July 1, 2015 at salaries of:

2015-2016	\$ 94,450
2016-2017	\$ 96,339
2017-2018	\$ 98,266
2018-2019	\$100,231
2019-2020	\$102,236

Note: The contract received County Office approval on April 27, 2015.

2. **Pre-Kindergarten/Kindergarten Looping Classroom** - Approve creating a looping classroom of Pre-Kindergarten/Kindergarten for the 2015-2016 school year, based on enrollment numbers. This change results in a Reduction in Force of the Pre-Kindergarten teaching position by resolution. (Page 5336)

3. **Professional** – Approve the rehiring and salaries of the 10-month certified staff for the 2015-2016 school year as attached. (Page 5337)
4. **10 Month Support Staff** - Approve the rehiring and salaries of the 10 month support staff salaries for the 2015-2016 school year as attached. (Page 5337)
5. **12 Month Support Staff** - Approve the rehiring and salaries of the 12 month support staff salaries for the 2015-2016 school year as attached. (Page 5338)
6. **Business Administrator Contract** - Approve submitting a draft Business Administrator contract for Karen Mathews to the Salem County Office of Education, as required, and for approval of the discussed term, salary and benefits. Upon County Office approval, the contract may then be presented to the board for final action and approval.

Roll Call vote: Ayes (5) Mr. Buzby, Ms. Porter, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Shimp, and Mrs. Skwirut.
 Nays (0.) Abstain (2) Mrs. Heritage, Mrs. Richman #3 (KR hire only). Motion carried.

Motion by Mrs. Richman and seconded by Mrs. Heritage that the Board of Education approve the following items:

Other

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1. **School Calendar** - Approve the 2015-2016 school calendar.
2. **Summer Schedule** – Approve going to a summer schedule for administration, office staff and maintenance staff of 4 days per week (Monday through Thursday) effective June 29, 2015 through August 21, 2015, working contracted hours in 4 days. Vacation days during summer schedule count as 1.25 days. Building will be closed to teaching staff effective June 30, 2015 through August 21, 2015.
3. **Field Trip** – Approve the following request for the 2014-2015 year:

DATE	GRADE	# OF STUD	LOCATION	TEACHERS	PER STUD. COST	PAID BY	BUS COST	PAID BY	ANTICIPATED SUB COST
5/15/15	6	17	Philadelphia Eagles Nova Care Complex	Brooke Nessen & Alecia Bass	n/a	n/a		Board	\$80

Roll Call vote: Ayes (6) Mr. Buzby, Mrs. Heritage, Ms. Porter, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Shimp, and Mrs. Skwirut.
 Nays (0.) Abstain (0). Motion carried.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

1. Important Dates:

FYI

Community Day - Saturday, May 9, 2015

Board of Education Meeting - Tuesday, May 19, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

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Motion by Mrs. Heritage and seconded by Mrs. Richman that the Board of Education meeting be adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Unanimously approved by voice vote. Motion Carried.


 Donna Dolbow, Board Secretary