

**SYOSSET CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
AUGUST 28, 2018**

SUMMARY OF MEETING AGENDA

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1. Call to Order, 6:30 p.m.
2. Executive Session, if necessary
3. Public Meeting – 8:00 p.m.
4. Superintendent's Report
 - Polling Site Changes for General and Primary Elections
 - South Grove Environmental Testing
 - Presentation by J.C. Broderick & Associates, Inc.: Results of air, soil, and water testing at South Grove Elementary School
 - Syosset Park DEIS
 - Presentation by Walden Environmental Engineering: Comments on the Syosset Park Development
 - Review of District's comments prepared in response to the Syosset Park Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS)

5. Audience to the Public

The Syosset Board of Education and Administration welcome your attendance at Board of Education meetings. The meetings will also be broadcast on the District Radio Station, WKWZ 88.5 FM. The Board of Education recognizes the value of community participation. As such, Audience to the Public affords residents of the District the opportunity to address the Board of Education.

The procedure for public participation during that portion of the meeting designated for this purpose is:

- Those who wish to speak during Audience to the Public must first be recognized by the Chair.
- Residents must enter their full name and address into the Register located at the microphone before they speak.
- Each resident will have four minutes to address the Board of Education, which may be extended at the discretion of the Chair for good cause.
- The Board of Education and/or Administration will do their best to provide an immediate response to the resident's question. Following the initial question, the resident will be permitted one follow-up related question or statement.
- The Board will not permit "polling" of Board members by guest speakers.
- Any resident who would like to re-address the Board of Education after their initial turn, may do so after every other resident-audience member has the opportunity to address the Board of Education.
- Neither the Board of Education nor Administration will identify a specific student or staff member by name, or by providing personally identifiable information at any time during the meeting; including but not limited to, during that portion of the meeting designated for the purpose of public participation. Neither the Board nor Administration will discuss questions from the public regarding collective bargaining negotiations, personnel matters, student matters, or legal matters.
- The Board of Education is aware that many of our guests seek to speak about a personnel issue involving a staff member, or occasionally a student. It has not been the practice of this Board to entertain public discussion of specific personnel matters, and certainly any comments or statements regarding individual student issues. The reason for our inability to address these matters of concern is the Board's important responsibility, imposed upon us by the Education Law of the State of New York and Federal statutes, to protect the rights that employees generally have to a reasonable expectation of privacy with respect to such matters as their appointment,

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promotion, and employment history. Various Federal and State statutes protect the privacy interests of students which, of course, the Board follows to the letter of the law. Another reason for the policy is that the Board cannot enter into a dialogue with the community on the merits of any particular employee, since the teacher's expectation of privacy precludes the Board from speaking frankly, and from sharing information of a confidential or privileged nature concerning the employee with the general public. To do otherwise would interfere with the employee's due process right to be heard in an appropriate and private forum. Consequently, Boards of Education are not free to engage in public discussion as to the competence or ability of particular staff members. We are advised that the law prohibits such discussions regarding students. Hence, the Board will not respond to any comments from the public regarding particular staff members from those who seek to make a statement. The Board will not entertain any statements regarding any student. To do so opens to public debate something that must remain private. The Board of Education hopes that you understand its responsibility to ensure that the privacy and due process rights of staff and students are fully protected. The only way to meet this duty is to avoid any and all public commentary concerning individual staff and students. If anyone in the audience believes that it is necessary to communicate with the Board of Education regarding these matters, the Board will accept written statements delivered to the Board in a confidential fashion. Hence, we strongly urge that you refrain from such statements.

6. Board Discussion
 - Syosset Park DEIS Comments
7. New Business – see attachment, *Packet of Public and Board Back-up Relative to New Business Items*, for details.
 - a. Resolutions under the "a" category relate to appointments, transfers, reassignments, resignations, and retirements.
 - b. There are no "b" items.
 - c. There are no "c" items.
8. Adjournment

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Meeting No. 3

NEW BUSINESS (a-1)

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A-1 APPROVAL OF STAFF CHANGES – CERTIFIED STAFF APPOINTMENTS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>STEP</u>
1. BAUER, Ronald	Science Teacher – Long-term Substitute	08-28-18	SHS	B.A + 15. – Step 1
2. CUCCURULLO, Gabrielle	Elementary Ed. Teacher – Probationary	08-28-18	BA	B.A. - Step 1
3. FRIED, Stacy	Reading Teacher – Long-term Substitute	08-30-18	SW	M.A. – Step 1
4. HALBSTEIN, Daniel	Music – Probationary – REVISED	10-26-18	SHS	M.A. – Step 1
5. MCKEAN, Ryan	Physical Education – Long-term Substitute	08-28-218	RL	B.A. - Step 1
6. MISCHEL, Veronica	Russian Teacher – Part-time (.4)	09-17-18	SHS	M.A. – Step 1
7. QUADRINO, Joseph	Social Studies Teacher – Long-term Substitute	08-28-18	HBT	M.A. – Step 1

RESIGNATION/RETIREMENT

8. WRIGHT, Marybeth	Teaching Assistant	09-10-18	HBT	
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NON-INSTRUCTIONAL CHANGES

RESIGNATIONS

1. DELUCA, Marianne	Typist Clerk	08-21-18	SHS	
2. SMITH, Christine	Teacher Aide	08-09-18	WW	

NON-COMPETITIVE APPOINTMENT – PART-TIME

3. MARINO, Daniel	Cleaner – Part-time Sub	08-16-18	DISTRICT	
4. MARQUEZ, John	Cleaner – Part-time Sub	08-08-18	DISTRICT	

CORRECTION

5. FEDER, Noah	Lifeguard – Part-time	Salary Correction		
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COMPETITIVE FULL-TIME APPOINTMENT

6. COLASANTI, Patricia	Clerk Typist	08-09-18	SHS	
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COMPETITIVE FT APPOINTMENT AND REASSIGNMENT

7. VALERGA, Deborah	Clerk Typist	08-14-18	BH	
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REQUEST FOR FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE

8. DELUCA, Marianne	Typist Clerk	05-14-18 through 08-13-18	SHS	
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NON-COMPETITIVE APPOINTMENT FT

9. LIPARI, Andrew	Motor Equipment Operator	08-27-218	FACILITIES	
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NEW BUSINESS (a- 2)

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RESOLUTION NO.

APPROVAL OF REQUEST FOR FAMILY MEDICAL
LEAVE OF ABSENCE

WHEREAS,

following staff member has applied for a family medical leave of absence during the 2018/2019 school year, and

WHEREAS,

the request is in accordance with contractual provisions and District practice,

BE IT RESOLVED,

that the following request for leave of absence be approved:

1. Name: LANG, Jaclyn
Appointment: Reading Teacher
Effective Date: August 28, 2018 through November 19, 2018
Reason: Family Medical Leave
Service was Begun: January 6, 2009
Assignment: South Woods Middle School

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

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NEW BUSINESS (a- 3)

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RESOLUTION NO.

APPOINTMENT OF PERMANENT SUBSTITUTE STAFF

RESOLVED,

that the following permanent substitute staff will be employed
for the 2018/2019 school year.

NAME

EMPLOYEE TYPE

CAWLEY, Corinne
HALBSTEIN, Daniel
HOFMANN, Nicole
LERTORA, Matthew
MISCHEL, Veronica
SILVERMAN, Jenna
SVOBODA, Erica

*Permanent Substitute (Childhood Ed 1-6)
*Permanent Substitute (Pending Music)
*Permanent Substitute (Soc. Stu. 7-12)
*Permanent Substitute (Physical Ed & Health)
*Permanent Substitute (World Language)
*Permanent Substitute (Social Studies 7-12)
*Permanent Substitute (Social Studies 7-12)

DELETE:

Cuccurullo, Gabrielle
McKean, Ryan

Permanent Substitute
Permanent Substitute

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

*New Hire to District

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NEW BUSINESS (a- 4)

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RESOLUTION NO.

APPOINTMENT OF TUTOR STAFF

RESOLVED,

that the following tutor staff will be employed for the 2018/2019 school year.

NAME

EMPLOYEE TYPE

ANIANO, Maria
PISCITELLI, Elizabeth
ROBINSON, Alexis
RYAN, Michelle

*Tutor (SWD B-6, Childhood Ed B-6)
*Tutor (SWD 1-6, SWD 7-12 Gen)
*Tutor (SWD 1-6, Childhood Ed 1-6)
*Tutor (SWD 1-6, Childhood Ed B-6)

DELETE:

ARENA, Kelly
ARROYO, Sandra
BRENNER, Elizabeth
EXPOSITO, Julianne
FRIED, Stacy
KAMINSKY, Allison

Tutor
Tutor
Tutor
Tutor
Tutor
Tutor

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

*New Hire to District.

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RESOLUTION NO.

APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING ASSISTANT SUBSTITUTE STAFF

RESOLVED,

that the following teaching assistant substitute staff will be employed for the 2018/2019 school year.

NAME

EMPLOYEE TYPE

ANDERSON, Ann
MARINELLO, Melanie

Teaching Assistant Substitute
Teaching Assistant Substitute

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

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NEW BUSINESS (a- 6)

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RESOLUTION NO.

COACHING RECOMMENDATIONS – FALL 2018

RESOLVED,

that the following coaching recommendations for the Fall 2018 athletic season be approved:

<u>SPORT</u>	<u>STAFF MEMBER</u>	<u>YR.</u>	<u>STEP</u>	<u>PTS.</u>	<u>STIPEND 2018/2019</u>
FB, SW Asst.	COLLINS, John	23	1.3	87	\$5027.
TENNIS, Girls HBT 7 th Grade	ROGERS, Doug	01	1.0	63	\$2800.

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

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NEW BUSINESS (a- 7)

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RESOLUTION NO.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL –
PROBATIONARY (REVISED)

RESOLVED,

that effective August 20, 2018, Mr. Jemal Graham be appointed to the position of Middle School Assistant Principal – Probationary. Mr. Graham’s tenure date will be August 20, 2022 and he will be placed at **Master’s plus 30, step 9** of the Syosset Middle School Principals Contract.

MOVED BY:

SECONDED BY:

