

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

September 23, 2014

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Long Beach Board of Education is the authorized state agency responsible for setting educational policy in the district. It consists of five trustees, each serving a three-year term. Board members pay school taxes at the regular rate and receive no salary or other financial compensation.

All meetings, except executive sessions, are held before the public. Members of the public may address the Board of Education on any specific agenda item during special time reserved for that purpose prior to Board discuss and action. The public may also address the Board of Education on any matter of concern at a second public session after the Board of Education completes agenda action items. Visitors should not address the board in public relative to questions or comments regarding specific staff members or specific students. Such concerns should be brought to the attention of appropriate staff or to board members by telephone, in writing, or by scheduling a personal meeting, as appropriate to the circumstances.

Visitors' comments will be limited to three (3) minutes for each agenda item upon which comment is made. Visitors are precluded from speaking on any agenda item more than once during each meeting.

Sincerely,

Your Board of Education

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
LONG BEACH MIDDLE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Tuesday, September 23, 2014 – 7:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

7:30 PM

- I. Pledge of Allegiance/Call to Order/Opening Remarks – Board President
- II. Report of Superintendent of Schools
 - ***Presentation of Certificates – Dr. Dale Johanson, Dr. Cherise Pemberton***
 - 2014 New York All-State Festival Participants***
 - Victoria Epstein-Violin, Symphony Orchestra
 - Maegan Miciotta- Alto I, Mixed Chorus
 - Alexandra Kapilian-Bassoon, Symphonic Band
 - Jonathan Kapilian-Tenor I, Vocal Jazz (also selected Tenor I Mixed Chorus)
 - Max Tunney- Bass I, Vocal Jazz (also selected Bass I-Mixed Chorus)

Teachers: N. Albani, M. Bragino, M. Capobianco
 - Institute of Creative Problem Solving for Gifted and Talented***
 - Joshua Kapilian

Teacher: T. Mele
 - Accomplishment in Poetry***
 - Morgan Harrington

Teacher: Rachell Koegel
 - **Presentation – Multi-Year Financial Plan**
- III. Board of Education Comments
- IV. Questions and Comments from the Public – Items on Tonight's Agenda Only
- V. Student Organization Announcements

- VI. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education of Regular Meeting of September 9, 2014 and Executive Sessions of September 4 and 9, 2014

- VIII. Presentations of the Superintendent:
 - 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 - 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 - 3. Approval of Special Education Agreement
 - 4. Acceptance of Donation
 - 5. Approval of Use of Schools

- IX. Board of Education – Additional New/Old Business, if any

- X. Questions and Comments from the Public

- XI. Announcements:
 - 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association
 - 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group
 - 3. Long Beach Schools Employees Association
 - 4. Parent/Teacher Association

- XII. Adjournment

RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following personnel actions.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignations for the Purpose of Retirement

1. Name: Eileen Fuentes
Assign./Loc: Special Education Teacher/Lindell School
Effective Date: October 31, 2014 close of day
2. Name: Mary Conway
Assign./Loc: Reading Teacher/Lindell School
Effective Date: November 30, 2014 close of day

(b) Resignations

1. Name: Margaret Piazza
Assign./Loc: Part Time Teacher Assistant/Lido School
Effective Date: September 5, 2014 close of day
2. Name: Adrian Zeigler
Assign./Loc: Full Time Teacher Assistant/West School
Effective Date: September 10, 2014 close of day
3. Name: Gillian Davidoff
Assign./Loc: Part Time Teacher Assistant/Lindell School
Effective Date: September 12, 2014 close of day

(c) Leaves of Absence: Personal

1. Name: Felor Torbati
Assign./Loc: Part Time Teacher Assistant/LBMS
Effective Dates: September 30, 2014-January 31, 2015
Reason: Maternity
2. Name: Francesca Gillam
Assign./Loc: Part Time Teacher Assistant/Lindell School
Effective Dates: September 17, 2014-December 31, 2014
Reason: Medical
3. Name: Margaret Glenday Fraser
Assign./Loc: Special Education Teacher/Long Beach Catholic School/East School
Effective Dates: September 23, 2014-November 19, 2014
Reason: Family Illness

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(d) Amended Leaves of Absence

1. Name: Deborah Bernardino
Assign./Loc: School Social Worker/Lindell School
Effective Dates: September 15, 2014-December 19, 2014
Original Dates: September 26, 2014-December 19, 2014
Reason: Maternity

2. Name: Laura Borawski
Assign./Loc: Elementary Teacher/West
Effective Dates: September 12, 2014-November 14, 2014
Original Dates: September 29, 2014-November 14, 2014
Reason: Maternity

(e) Appointment Part Time Teacher Assistant 17.5 hours per week-Rate according to contract. *Subject to negotiations

Name	Location	Certification	Grade II/Step	Hourly Rate*	Start Date
Clara Valdez	Lido	Level I TA	II/Step 5	19.86	9/08/14

(f) Appointment Part Time Temporary Teacher Assistants 17.5 hours per week-effective start through June 24, 2015 (or earlier at the district's discretion) According to CSE recommendation or 504 plan. Rate according to contract. *Subject to negotiations

Name	Location	Certification	Grade II/Step	Hourly Rate*	Start Date
1. Angela Schweers	LBHS	Initial SWD 1-6	II/Step 5	19.86	9/02/14
2. Bari Klirsfeld	LBHS	Level I TA	II/Step 1	16.90	9/08/14
3. Deirdre Phelan	West	Level III TA	II/Step 4	19.10	9/24/14
4. Devan Casey	Lindell	Level I TA	II/Step 1	16.90	9/24/14
5. Jaymie Karounos	East	Level III TA	II/Step 1	16.90	9/24/14
6. Rolande Martial	East	Level I TA	II/Step 1	16.90	9/24/14
7. Angela Ragona	East	Initial CE 1-6	II/Step 1	16.90	9/24/14
8. Brittany Bent	West	Level I TA	II/Step 1	16.90	9/24/14

(g) Appointment: Saturday Morning Enrichment Co-Directors-Fall 2014-Stipend-\$1,835 each

1. Brenda Young
2. Christine Zawatson

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (h) Appointment: Athletic Supervisors for the 2014-2015 School Year
Rate of Pay: \$61.27* per afternoon-\$78.53* per evening-\$146.05*per overnight
*Subject to negotiations**

1. Romano Lovrich
2. Freeman Cox

- (i) Appointment: Special Education Teachers for After School Extended School Day/ASD Program-2014-2015 School Year-Rate of Pay-\$73.03* per hour-*subject to negotiations**

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| 1. Melissa Pecere | 6. Brad Wofsy |
| 2. Lisa Weitzman | 7. Cheryleann Fontenot |
| 3. Sean Miller | 8. Lauren Moriarty |
| 4. Megan Scully | |
| 5. Lauren Andersen | |

- (j) Appointment: After School Extended School Day/ASD Program –Temporary and Substitute Teacher Assistants– 2014-2015 School Year-Rate of pay according to contract-*subject to negotiations**

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| 1. Dayna D'Alessio | 13. Kelly Dass |
| 2. Runnie Myles | 14. Maria Perrone |
| 3. Elizabeth Wisey | 15. Cathy Palmer |
| 4. Alexandra Clark | 16. Matthew Scanlan |
| 5. Mara Weintraub | 17. Stephanie Kornacki |
| 6. Megan Salerno | 18. Richard McCaw |
| 7. Kim Leone | 19. Tara Roesch |
| 8. Eileen Costelloe | 20. Melissa Marcus |
| 9. Patricia Buschi | 21. Joann Stegman |
| 10. Suzanne Paganini | 22. Marybeth Uehlinger |
| 11. Marisol Burgos | 23. Ellen Edelman |
| 12. Maureen Clarke | |

- (k) The following Per Diem Substitute Teachers are recommended for approval for the 2014-2015 school year**

NAME	CERTIFICATION AREA
1. Rocco Tenebruso	Initial Physical Education
2. Lawrence Nosowitz	Permanent Industrial Arts
3. Ellen Schlef	Permanent Pre K-6
4. Barbara Solomon	Permanent Art
5. Bruce Kaplan	Permanent Music
6. Dennis Vanella	Initial Mathematics 7-12 (in process)

- (l) BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to approve the substitute rate change as follows, effective September 24, 2014.

Position	Current Rate	Proposed Rate
Substitute Teachers	\$90 per day	\$105 per day

2. NON CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Termination

Name: Gloria Echeona
Assign./Loc: Part Time Bus Driver/Transportation
Effective Date: September 16, 2014 close of day

(b) Appointment: Part Time Bus Driver-30 hours

Name: Frank Tasevoli
Assign./Loc.: Part Time Bus Driver 30 hours/Transportation
Effective Date: September 12, 2014
Probationary End Date: September 12, 2018
Salary Classification: \$24,512* per annum
Grade/Step: Grade II/Step 1
Reason: To replace Milton Guardado
*Subject to negotiations

**(c) Appointment: Substitute Nurse for the ASD Extended School Year Program
Summer 2014-Rate of Pay: \$42.66* per hour**

Wendy Weiss

**(d) Appointment: Occupational Therapist for After School Extended School Day/ASD
Program-2014-2015 School Year-Rate of Pay-\$73.03 per hour**

Maria Arroyave

**(e) Appointment: Ocean Lifeguard for the Competitive Surf Club -Rate of Pay: \$25.00
per hour-for the 2014-2015 school year**

James Stankard

**(f) The following Per Diem Substitutes are recommended for approval for the
2014-2015 school year**

NAME	POSITION
1. Claudia Piccolono	Lunch Aide
2. Roseann Palazzo	Lunch Aide
3. Dennis Tufano	Cleaner
4. Carly Baxter	Teacher Assistant

(g) BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to approve the substitute rate change as follows, effective September 24, 2014.

Position	Current Rate	Proposed Rate
Nurse	\$98 per day	\$105 per day

3. CONTRACTS

(a) MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT: LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND THE LBSEA

BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the negotiating representatives of the Long Beach Public Schools and the LBSEA, dated August 19, 2014.

3. APPROVAL OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AGREEMENT

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves Agreement with Hicksville School District in the amount of approximately \$6,000 per student for special education related services for the period of September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby approves the Agreement with Hicksville School District for special education related services and authorizes the Chief Operating Officer to execute the Agreement on its behalf.

4. ACCEPTANCE OF DONATION

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts a donation of 3 Ipads with cases valued at \$1,210 to the Music and Art departments of the Long Beach Middle School from the Friends of the Arts LBSD, Inc.

5. USE OF SCHOOLS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the use of schools, as attached, not to conflict with District events. However, please note that events may have to be modified/rescheduled based on building construction schedules.

APPLICATIONS FOR USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Facility Requested</u>	<u>Date Requested</u>
East End Civic Association	Meeting	East School Cafeteria	Sept 9, Oct 15, Nov 12, Dec 17, 2014; Jan 14, 2015 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Girl Scout Troop 2126	Meetings	East School Cafeteria	Oct. 2, 2014 through May, 21, 2015 Thursdays 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Long Beach Coalition	Meetings	LBMS Library/Media Center	Oct. 15, 2014 through June 24, 2015 Wednesdays 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Oceanside HS	Practice	LBHS Pool	Oct. 8 – Oct 17, 2014 Wednesday – Friday 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Long Beach Football Club (LBFC)	Soccer Practice	Lido Gymnasium	Jan. 1 – April 30, 2015 Monday – Friday 5:30 PM – 9:30 PM
Boy Scout Troop 215	Meetings	Lindell Cafeteria	Sept. 22, 2014 through June 16, 2015 Mondays 7:20 PM – 9:10 PM
Lido Beach Civic Association	Board Meetings	LBMS Library/Media Center	Dec. 8, 2014 through August 10, 2015 Mondays 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM
Long Beach Civic Association	Open Meetings	Lido Library	April 15, June 10, August 12, 2015 Wednesdays 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM
Long Beach Lacrosse Club	Tryouts/Clinic	LBMS Veterans Field	Sept. 23-24, 2014 Tuesday + Wednesday 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Project Challenge	Martial Arts/Dance Lessons	LBMS – Cafeteria/Gym	Oct. 11 – Nov. 15, 2014 Saturdays 10:00 AM – 12:00 noon