

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

January 29, 2015

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 discussion 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, January 29, 2015 – 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
- 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 Executive Sessions and Regular Meeting of January 13, 2015
- VIII. Presentations of the Superintendent
 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 3. 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: Phyllis Boriello
Assign./Loc: Remedial Reading Teacher/LBMS
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
2. Name: Grace Riemenschneider
Assign./Loc: Mathematics Teacher/LBMS
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
3. Name: Susan Wolk
Assign./Loc: Special Education Teacher/LBHS
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
4. Name: Nora Bellsey
Assign./Loc: Art Teacher/LBHS
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
5. Name: Dale Johanson
Assign./Loc: Director of Comprehensive Arts/Districtwide
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
6. Name: Lynn Marcell
Assign./Loc: Guidance Counselor/LBMS
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
7. Name: Margaret Glenday-Fraser
Assign./Loc: Special Education Teacher/Long Beach Catholic School
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(b) Leave of Absence

Name: Gizelle Conroy
Assign./Loc: School Psychologist/Hebrew Academy of Long Beach
Effective Dates: April 30, 2015-June 30, 2015
Reason: Maternity

(c) Catastrophic Leave of Absence

Name: Sharon Gamble
Assign./Loc: Family and Consumer Science Teacher/LBMS
Effective Dates: January 15, 2015-April 1, 2015
September 1, 2014-January 14, 2015 (used sick time)

(d) Appointment: Regular Substitute Special Education Teacher

Name: Annemarie DeLiso
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Special Education Teacher/LBMS
Certification: Initial Students with Disabilities 1-6
Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Effective Date: January 28, 2015-June 30, 2015 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Tenure Area: Education of Children with Handicapping Conditions-
General Special Education
Salary Classification: MA/Step 1 (\$65,831* per annum)
Reason: To replace Lisa Weitzman
*Subject to negotiations

(e) Appointment: Permanent Substitute Teacher

Name: Casey Twibell
Assign./Loc.: Permanent Substitute Teacher/LBMS
Certification: Initial Physical Education
Effective Dates: January 28, 2015-June 23, 2015 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Rate of Pay: \$197.79* per day
Reason: To replace Rachel Ray
*Subject to negotiations

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (f) **Appointment Part Time Temporary Teacher Assistant 17.5 hours per week-effective start date 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.Caroline Espinet	LBMS	Level I TA	Step 1	17.24	1/28/15
2.Ashley Klapow	East	Initial ESL	Step 1	17.24	1/28/15
3.Christine Magrino	East	Initial Literacy B-6	Step 1	17.24	1/28/15

- (g) **Appointment: Math Academy Program (Grant Funded)-for the 2014-2015 School Year-rate of pay \$73.03* per hour-as needed-substitute instructor-*subject to negotiations**

1. Lauren Breen
2. Beth Prostick

(h) RETIREMENT INCENTIVE: ADMINISTRATIVE, SUPERVISORY AND PUPIL PERSONNEL GROUP

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education hereby approves a retirement incentive agreement with the Administrative, Supervisory and Pupil Personnel Group dated January 29, 2015.

(i) RETIREMENT INCENTIVE: LONG BEACH CLASSROOM TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education hereby approves a retirement incentive agreement with the Long Beach Classroom Teachers Association dated January 29, 2015.

2. NON CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation for the Purpose of Retirement

1. Name: William Liguori
Assign./Loc: Head Custodian/LBHS
Effective Date: August 31, 2015 (on or about)
2. Name: Lori Montgomery
Assign./Loc: School Nurse/East School
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day
3. Name: William Snow
Assign./Loc: Head Custodian/Lindell School
Effective Date: June 30, 2015 close of day

(b) Rescind Leave of Absence

Name: Deborah Sokol
Assign./Loc: School Nurse/Hebrew Academy of Long Beach
Effective Dates: May 22, 2015-June 30, 2015
Reason: Maternity

(c) Amended Resignation

Name: James May
Assign./Loc: Assistant Dispatcher/Transportation
Effective Dates: February 16, 2015 close of day

(d) Resignation

Name: Jessica Nami
Assign./Loc: Temporary Provisional Coordinator of Prevention
Services (CMH)/Districtwide
Effective Date: January 30, 2015

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

Name: Fernando Canela
Assign./Loc.: Part Time Bus Driver 30 hours/Transportation
Effective Date: January 28, 2015
Probationary End Date: January 28, 2019
Salary Classification: \$25,005 per annum
Grade/Step: Grade II/Step 1
Reason: To replace Peter Henck

2. NON CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (f) **Recommended Action: Approval of the schedules of the Winter 2015 Saturday Morning Enrichment Program Instructional Personnel as follows (subject to sufficient enrollment and satisfactory performance): Maximum 12 hours each course.**

Name	Position	Course	\$ Hour
1. Alexa Addario	Instructor	Be an Author	25
2. Dayna D' Alessio	Instructor	Computer Creativity	25
3. Dana Monti	Instructor	Stepping Stones in Science	25
4. Ciara Morse	Instructor	Basketball/Gymnastics	25
5. Cabrina Tasevoli	Instructor	Soccer	25
6. Candice Wittmer	Instructor	Mathematics/Handwriting	25
7. Todd Wright	Instructor	Animation Creation	25

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

Name	Position
1. Paola Morales	Teacher Assistant
2. Ann Steiniger	Lunch Aide

- (h) **BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District hereby accepts charges preferred by the Superintendent of Schools pursuant to § 75 of the Civil Service Law against an employee identified in the Notice of Charges dated January 27, 2015.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education appoints Joseph Wooley, Esq. to serve as Hearing Officer to make findings of fact and recommendations to the Board with respect to those charges.

- (i) **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education of the Long Beach Public Schools hereby approves and authorizes an agreement with the LBSEA and a member of the unit, dated January 16, 2015, and authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to execute such agreement.

3. 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>
Long Beach Civil Service	Exam	LBHS – 8 classrooms 209,210,212,214,245,244,243,242	Sat. February 7, 2015 8 AM – 5 PM