

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

May 27, 2020

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

**LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2020
AUDIO-PHONE MEETING
DIAL IN NUMBER (425) 436-6390
ACCESS CODE: 899201**

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

3:00 PM

- I. Pledge of Allegiance/Call to Order/Opening Remarks – School Board President
- II. Budget Hearing
- III. Report of the Superintendent
- IV. Board of Education Comments
- V. Questions and Comments from the Public on Tonight's Agenda Only
- VI. Student Organization Announcements
- VII. Presentations of the Superintendent:
 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 3. Approval of Electronic Bids
 4. Rejection of Bids
 5. Approval of Election Inspectors
 6. Approval of Revised School Calendar for School Year 2019-2020
 7. Acceptance of Recommendations of the CSE/CPSE Committees
 8. Payment of Legal Bills: Legal Services
- VIII. Board of Education Comments- Additional New/Old Business- if any
- IX. Questions and Comments from the Public
- X. Announcements:
 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association
 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group
 3. LBSEA – Long Beach School Employees' Association – Group C
 4. Parent – Teacher Association
- XI. 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) Resignation

Name: Rose Leggio
Assign./Loc: ESL Instructor/Adult Learning Center
Effective Date: June 30, 2020

(b) Leave of Absence

Name: Andrea Hinke
Assign./Loc: Special Education Teacher/LBMS
Effective Date: September 7, 2020-October 22, 2020 (on or about)
Reason: FMLA/Maternity

Name: Lauren Diesu
Assign./Loc: Reading Teacher/LBMS
Effective Date: September 7, 2020-June 30, 2021 (on or about)
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(c) Appointment: Probationary English Teacher

Name: Samara Rynecki*
Assign./Loc: Probationary English Teacher/LBHS
Certification: Initial English Language Arts 7-12
Effective Date: September 1, 2020
End Date: August 31, 2024
Tenure Date: September 1, 2024
Tenure Area: English
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$71,464 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Reason: To replace Jessica Vetter

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I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(d) Appointment: Probationary Elementary Teachers

1. Name: Edward Courtney*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Elementary Teacher/East School
Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Initial Students with Disabilities 1-6
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Tenure Date: September 1, 2023**
Tenure Area: Elementary
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$71,464 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Reason: To replace a teacher in charge line
**Credit for time served as a Regular Substitute

2. Name: Nicolette Samardich*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Elementary Teacher/West School
Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Initial Students with Disabilities 1-6
Effective Date: September 1, 2020
End Date: August 31, 2023
Tenure Date: September 1, 2023**
Tenure Area: Elementary
Salary Classification: BA/Step 2 (\$65,175 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Reason: To replace Sally D' Andrea
**Credit for time served as a Regular Substitute

3. Name: Chelsea Way*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Elementary Teacher/West School
Certification: Professional Childhood Education 1-6
Professional Students with Disabilities 1-6
Initial Students with Disabilities B-2
Initial Early Childhood Education B-2
Initial Literacy B-6
Initial Literacy 5-12
Effective Date: September 1, 2020
End Date: August 31, 2023
Tenure Date: September 1, 2023**
Tenure Area: Elementary
Salary Classification: MA/Step 3 (\$74,070 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Reason: To replace Leslie Blankopf
**Credit for time served as a Regular Substitute

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I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(d) Appointment: Probationary Elementary Teachers continued

4. Name: Dana Stuono*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Elementary Teacher/LBMS
Certification: Initial Childhood Education B-2
Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Effective Date: September 1, 2020
End Date: August 31, 2024
Tenure Date: September 1, 2024
Tenure Area: Elementary
Salary Classification: BA/Step 1 (\$62,997 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Reason: To replace Gwen Panoff

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(e) Appointment: Regular Substitute Special Education Teacher

- Name: Samantha Lotito
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Special Education Teacher/LBHS
Certification: Initial Students with Disabilities 7-12
Initial Social Studies 5-9
Salary Classification: MA/Step 3 (\$74,070 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Effective Dates: September 1, 2020-June 30, 2021 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Tenure Area: Education of Children with Handicapping Conditions-
General Special Education
Reason: To replace Serena Whitfield (appointed to an administrative position)

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(f) Appointment: Regular Substitute Elementary Teachers

1. Name: Alisa Gore
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Elementary Teacher/East School
Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$71,464 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Effective Dates: September 1, 2020-January 22, 2021 (or earlier at the district's discretion)

Tenure Area: Elementary
Reason: To replace Christine Siraco

2. Name: Christina Gardvits
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Elementary Teacher/LBMS
Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Initial English Language Arts 5-9 (in process)
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$71,464 per annum)-Subject to negotiations
Effective Dates: September 1, 2020-June 30, 2021 (or earlier at the district's discretion)

Tenure Area: Elementary
Reason: To replace Lorraine Radice (appointed to an administrative position)

(g) Appointment: Regular Substitute Reading Teacher

- Name: Alison Caracciolo
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Reading Teacher/LBHS
Certification: Professional Literacy 5-12
Professional English Language Arts 7-12
Professional English Language Arts 5-6 Extension
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$71,464 per annum) -Subject to negotiations
Effective Dates: September 1, 2020-June 30, 2021 (or earlier at the district's discretion)

Tenure Area: Reading
Reason: To replace Lauren Diesu

(h) Appointment: Regular Substitute Physical Education Teacher

- Name: Rocco Tenebruso
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Physical Education Teacher/LBMS
Certification: Initial Physical Education
Salary Classification: MA/Step 3 (\$74,070 per annum)-subject to negotiations

1. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(I) Appointment: Deans - 2020-2021 School Year-Stipend: \$4,085.83* per annum-*subject to negotiations

	Name	Assignment	Location
1.	Sean Miller	Part Time Dean	LBMS
2.	Laurence Lopez	Part Time Dean	LBMS
3.	Christopher Brown	Full Time Dean	LBHS
4.	Philip Bruno	Full Time Dean	LBHS

(J) Appointment: Coordinator of Mentors for the 2020-2021 School Year-rate of pay-\$5,101* stipend-*subject to negotiations

Lauren Kaufman

(k) Approval of Applications for Participation in Study Programs-Summer 2020-The following staff members have applied for funding for coursework as indicated under the appropriate provision of their contract. Recommend approval of the tuition/fees.

Name	Allocation	Name	Allocation
Lisa Rundo	\$739	Heather Yeager	\$959
Amanda Bernstein	\$898	Stephanie Mena	\$705
Brianna Carnevale	\$646	Eva Mastrantuono	\$718
Kristen Ford	\$810	Anthony LaPenna	\$270
Marissa Koller	\$1380	Ann Marie Pulice	\$575
Ashley Garry	\$1119	Lee Krinsky	\$898
Melissa Canner	\$898	Nelly Jimenez	\$822
Laina Beale	\$898	Nicole Scorcía	\$1212
Stephanie Zimmerman	\$763	Coleen Iobani	\$575
Dina Callahan	\$375	Justin Sulsky	\$1750
Felicia Olewnicki	\$405	Sharon Weiss	\$1490
Jeanine Sofield	\$595	Stacey Durnan	\$1110
Lindsay Pichichero	\$300		

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

- (l)** **BE IT RESOLVED**, the Board of Education of the Long Beach Public Schools hereby approves an agreement reached by the School District and the Long Beach Classroom Teachers Association for an employee discussed in executive session dated May 18, 2020
- (m)** **BE IT RESOLVED**, the Board of Education of the Long Beach Public Schools hereby approves an agreement reached by the School District and the Long Beach Administrative, Supervisory and Pupil Personnel Group dated May 20, 2020
- (n)** **Be it Resolved**, that the Board of Education herewith authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute, on behalf of the Board of Education, an amendment to the contract for Jennifer Gallagher, the Superintendent of Schools, dated May 20, 2020.
- (o)** **Be it resolved**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the amended contract for Michael DeVito, Esq. the Assistant Superintendent, Finance and Operations and authorizes the Board President to execute the amendment to the contract on behalf of the District dated May 20, 2020.
- (p)** **Be it resolved**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the amended contract for Michele Natali the Assistant Superintendent for Personnel and Administration and authorizes the Board President to execute the amendment to the contract on behalf of the District dated May 20, 2020.
- (q)** **Be it resolved**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the amended contract for Paul Romanelli the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction and authorizes the Board President to execute the amendment to the contract on behalf of the District dated May 20, 2020.

II. NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Appointment: Permanent Contingent Account Clerk- 12 months

1. Name: Nicole Rosenberg
Assign./Loc.: Permanent Contingent Account Clerk/Business Office
Effective Date: July 1, 2020
Probationary End Date: June 30, 2021
Salary Classification: \$37,753 per annum -Subject to negotiations
Grade/Step: Grade III/Step 3
Reason: To replace Ellen Stewart

3. APPROVAL OF ELECTRONIC BIDS

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law §103(1) permits boards of education to authorize the acceptance of electronic bids and offers, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District hereby authorizes the receipt of bids and offers for purchase contracts, including contracts for service work, but excluding any purchase contracts necessary for the completion of a public works contract pursuant to Article Eight of the Labor Law, in electronic format, pursuant to the provisions of General Municipal Law §103(1) and in accordance with its guidelines for the proper documentation, authentication, security, and confidentiality of electronic bids and offers.

4. REJECTION OF BIDS

A) GENERAL PUMP/MOTOR REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE COOPERATIVE BID #1932-2020

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District solicited bids for pump/motor repairs; and

WHEREAS, only one bid was received due to communication complications from the covid-19 virus; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education rejects the bid for the general pump/motor repairs and maintenance.

B) GRADUATION CEREMONY SUPPLIES BID #409-2020

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Long Beach City School District solicited bids for graduation supplies; and

WHEREAS, the covid-19 caused the cancellation of the graduation ceremonies.

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education rejects any bid for the graduation ceremony supplies.

5. APPROVAL OF ELECTION INSPECTORS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes the District Clerk to appoint the following additional Election Workers for the June 9, 2020 school and library board and budget elections and more if needed.

Patrice Baxter
Patricia Carlucci
Mary Ellen Condon
Lori Dolan
Caroline Ferrante
Judy Fishman

Patricia Henry
Charlene Manning
Barbara O'Brien
Linda Papetti
Joan Ramirez

Ilene Ratner
Elizabeth Stark
Nadine Watts
Jenny Woo
Eileen Zeppa

6. APPROVAL OF REVISED SCHOOL DISTRICT CALENDAR FOR 2019-2020

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education revise the 2019-2020 school calendar to reflect the new last day of classes which is June 15, 2020.

7. ACCEPTANCE OF RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEES ON SPECIAL EDUCATION AND PRE-SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION

8. APPROVAL OF PAYMENT OF LEGAL BILLS: LEGAL SERVICES

INGERMAN SMITH, LLP

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditure in the amount of \$483 for extraordinary legal expenses for the period of January 1, 2020 through August 9, 2020.



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