

**Glen Cove Board of Education
Board of Education
BOE MEETING
Wednesday, October 7, 2020, 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Virtual**

Virtual Meeting viewable at www.glencoveschools.org

I. Opening Ceremony

On a motion by Trustee Mary Murphy, second by Trustee Maria Venuto, the Board unanimously (7/0) entered into executive session at 5:35. On a motion by Trustee Karen Ferguson, second by Trustee Maria Venuto, the Board unanimously (7/0) adjourned executive session at 6:49 pm.

A. Salute to Flag

The public session was called to order by Board President Monica Alexandris-Miller, salute to the flag at 7:02 pm.

B. Roll Call

Members Present: Ms. Monica Alexandris-Miller, Ms. Lia Leone, Ms. Gail Nedbor-Gross, Ms. Mary Murphy, Ms. Rosemarie Sekelsky, Ms. Karen Ferguson, Ms. Maria Elena Venuto.

Also Present: Dr. Maria Rianna, Dr. Michael Israel, Ms. Victoria Galante

II. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Education Meeting

Resolved, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the minutes of September 9th and September 23, 2020 amending the minutes of September 23rd with #6 under Business Affairs - Operations being placed on the next meeting agenda.

Move: Maria Venuto Second: Karen Ferguson Status: Passed (7/0) after a brief discussion.

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

A. Minutes of September 9, 2020

B. Minutes of September 23, 2020

III. Committee Reports

IV. Superintendent Report

A. Updates

1. Phase Two of Back-to-School

V. Public Participation

Due to COVID-19 and receipt of an executive order from Laura Curran and Governor Cuomo, the Glen Cove Board of Education temporarily suspends in-person public access to the meeting for Board of Education meetings. The meeting will be accessible for viewing on our website: www.glencoveschools.org.

Members of the virtual audience addressed any questions and concerns. All items were addressed.

VI. Instructional Report

A. Committee on Special Education

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education for Initial Placement Programs/Services for cases filed in the office of special education from meetings and approves the authorization of funds to implement the special education programs and services.

Move: Gail Nedbor-Gross Second: Maria Venuto Status: Passed (7/0)

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

B. Committee on Preschool Special Education

No Reports

VII. Business Affairs

A. Finance

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools made by the Assistant Superintendent of Business, the Board of Education approves the Treasurer's and Financial Reports for the month of August 2020.

Move: Gail Nedbor-Gross Second: Maria Venuto Status: Passed (7/0). Questions were asked and addressed.

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

1. Treasurer's Report - Month of August

2. Financial Reports

- a. Bank Reconciliations - Month of August 2020
- b. Revenue Budget Status Report - Month of August 2020
- c. Appropriation Budget Status Report - August 2020
- d. Register of Bills - August 2020
- e. Check Registers - August 2020

B. Operations

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools made by the Assistant Superintendent of Business, the Board of Education moved to approve the following:

Move: Maria Venuto Second: Rose Sekelsky Status: Passed (7/0). Questions asked were addressed.

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

1. Tax Certiorari

Whereas certiorari proceedings have been brought on behalf of the following and:

Whereas it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City School District of Glen Cove to resolve such proceedings:

Now, therefore be it resolved that the City School District of Glen Cove agrees to pay to the attorney of the following in full settlement. This resolution is made under the express understanding that the City of Glen Cove has agreed to pay any and all interest associated with the following hearing officer decisions, Supreme Court stipulations of settlements and certiorari claims.

By Forchelli, Deegan, Terrana, LLP:

30-34 Pearsall Owners Corp.
\$254,391.00 for Sec. 23, Block 28, Lots 14,22
For the years 12/13-17/18

Tarik Ahmed
\$114,702.00 for Sec. 23, Block 11 Lot 462
For the years 09/10-19/20

Richard Basile
\$28,526.00 for Sec. 21, Block H, Lot 103,242

For the years 13/14-19/20

Board of Managers

\$82,897.00 for Sec. 31, Block 85, Lots 26U,103,104,
105,106,107,202,203,204,205,206,207,303 & 304

For the years 12/13-17/18

Jack & Paul Canarick

\$49,622.00 for Sec. 23, Block E, Lot 446

For the years 13/14-19/20 Paul Canarick

\$18,044.00 for Sec. 31, Block F, Lot 37

For the years 13/14-19/20

Getano Russo

\$26,618.00 for Sec. 21, Block 258, Lot 38

For the years 13/14-18/19 John Stanco

\$1,726.00 for Sec. 22, Block 6, Lot 50-52

For the years 12/13-17/18

Theos Realty Corp.

\$10,942.00 for Sec. 23, Block E, Lot 462

For the years 12/13-17/18

By Koepfel Martone & Leistman, LLP:

64 Glen Cove Ave.

\$4,582.00 for Sec. 21, Block 198, Lot 130

For the years 17/18

Condemor Realty Corp.

\$17,332.00 for Sec. 21, Block H, Lots 142 & 264

For the years 17/18

Estate of Samuel

\$1,506.00 for Sec. 31, Block F, Lot 389

For the years 12/13-18/19

Orazio & Ugo M. Bencivenni

\$39,933.00 for Sec. 31, Block 7, Lots 278-281

For the years 12/13-18/19

By Murphy & Lynch, P.C.:

NAGM Corp. (FKA ANGM Corp.)

\$35,322.80 for Sec. 21, Block 5 Lots 54 & 55

For the years 10/11-16/17

By Schroder & Strom, LLP:

Charles of Glen Cove

\$7,219.00 for Sec. 23, Block E Lots 441 & 460

For the years 10/11-17/18

Putnam Developers, Inc.
\$15,479.55 for Sec. 21, Block 256 Lot 37
For the years 11/12-17/18

Breakdown of Total Due 10/15/20
Second Half Payments (Previously Approved) – Due
10/15/20 \$767,402.50
First Half Payments – Due 10/15/20 \$336,587.90
Full Payment – Due 10/15/20 \$37,393.55
Total Certioraris Due 10/15/20 \$1,141,383.95

2. Contract - Middle School - Stage Rigging
Replacement

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of
Schools, the Board of Education approves the contract
between GCSD and North Shore Theatrical Rigging for the
Middle School - Stage Rigging Replacement as attached and
authorizes the President of the Board to sign such upon
approval.

3. Budget Transfers

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of
Schools, the Board of Education approves the budget
transfers below:

BUDGET TRANSFER(S)

Account Code: A1620.467.00.01
Account Name: Equipment Repair Contracts
Transfer In: \$65,000.00

Account Code: A1620.476.03
Account Name: Gas-Connolly
Transfer Out: \$8,000.00

Account Code: A1620.476.04
Account Name: Gas-Gribbin
Transfer Out: \$4,000.00

Account Code: A1620.476.08
Account Name: Gas-HS
Transfer Out: \$10,000.00

Account Code: A1620.476.25
Account Name: Gas-District
Transfer Out: \$8,000.00

Account Code: A1620.477.05
Account Name: Electric-Landing
Transfer Out: \$10,000.00

Account Code: A1620.477.07
 Account Name: Electric-MS
 Transfer Out: \$9,000.00

Account Code: A1620.400
 Account Name: Security Contractual
 Transfer Out: \$16,000.00

TOTAL TRANSFER IN: \$65,000.00
 TOTAL TRANSFER OUT: \$65,000.00

VIII. Personnel

A. Certified

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education moved to approve the following certified matters:

Move: Mary C. Murphy Second: Karen Ferguson Status: Passed (7/0) with a brief discussion taking place.

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

1. Appointment of Probationary Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person, who is properly certified, be appointed as a Probationary Teacher for the Glen Cove School District as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Smith, Stephen
 Tenure Area: Business
 School: High School
 Schedule & Step: MA, Step 1
 Probationary Period: 10/8/20 – 10/7/24

Certification(s): Business & Marketing
 Certificate Type: Emergency COVID-19

2. Appointment of Part-Time Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons, who are properly certified, be appointed as Part-Time Teachers for the Glen Cove City School District, as specified below (salary as per contract, prorated).

Name: Corazza, Amanda
 Area: Social Studies
 School: Middle School

FTE: .8
 Schedule & Step: MA, Step 1
 Probationary Period: o/a 10/4/20 – 6/30/21

Certification(s): Social Studies (7-12)
 Certificate Type: Initial

Comments: Ms. Corazza is replacing Mr. Portente, who resigned

Name: Sican Orellana, Andres
 Area: Physical Education
 School: Landing School
 FTE: .06
 Schedule & Step: BA, Step 1
 Probationary Period: 9/21/20 – 6/30/21

Certification(s): Physical Education
 Certificate Type: Initial

3. Appointment of Regular Substitute Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Regular Substitute Teachers for the Glen Cove City School District as specified below (salary - \$125/day first 30 working days; step & salary 31st working day).

Name: Hernandez, Ariana
 Certification Area: ESOL
 School: Middle School
 Salary (day 31): MA, Step 1
 Effective: 10/5/20 – TBD

Name: Konkowski, Jacquelyn
 Certification Area: Pending: Early Childhood Ed (B-2), Childhood Ed (1-6), SWD (B-2)
 School: Gribbin School
 Salary (day 31): MA, Step 1
 Effective: 10/5/20 – TBD

Name: Lucci, Patricia
 Certification Area: Early Childhood Ed (B-2), Childhood Ed (1-6), SWD (B-2), SWD (1-6)
 School: Connolly School
 Salary (day 31): MA, Step 1
 Effective: 10/7/20 – TBD

a. Comments

Ms. Hernandez is replacing Ms. Rodriguez, who extended her childcare leave.

Ms. Konkowski is replacing Ms. Valdivia, who is out on

maternity/childcare leave.

Ms. Lucci is replacing Ms. Ricciardi, who is out on medical leave until further notice.

4. Appointment of Permanent Substitute Teachers

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Permanent Substitute Teachers for the Glen Cove City School District, as specified below (salary - \$136/day; no benefits).

Name: Bouretis, Jamie
 Certification Area: Childhood Education (1-6), SWD (1-6)
 School: Landing
 Effective: 10/1/20 - 6/30/21

Name: Davis, D'Andra
 Certification Area: Childhood Education (1-6)
 School: Middle
 Effective: 10/5/20 - 6/30/21

5. Appointment of Per Diem Substitute Teacher

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a per diem Substitute Teacher for the Glen Cove City School District effective the 2020-2021 school year, at the Board approved rate of \$125 per day.

Roberts, Sasha*

*in accordance with NYSED regulations

6. Appointment of Mentor Teachers

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as Mentor Teachers for the Glen Cove City School District effective the 2020-2021 school year as specified below (stipend as per contract).

Mentor: McKenna, Jessica
 Mentee: Monaco, Jessica
 Area: Social Worker

Mentor: Liptzin, Stefanie
 Mentee: Bieder, Ashleight
 Area: Elementary

Mentor: Makula, Laura
 Mentee: Olivieri, Kelly

Area: Special Education

Mentor: Hatzopolous, Antoinette

Mentee: Segall, Victoria

Area: Elementary

Mentor: Taylor, Giselle

Mentee: Dolgos, Alexa

Area: Elementary

7. Appointment of Part-Time Teaching Assistant

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named person be appointed as a Part-Time Teaching Assistant for the Glen Cove City School District as specified below, pending fingerprint clearance (salary as per contract).

Name: Toral, Monica

Assignment: ICT Classroom

School: Gribbin

Hours: 23.6 hours/week

Effective: 10/5/20 - 6/25/21

8. Change in Status

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that a change in status for the following named person be approved as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Sican Orellana, Andres

From: 1.0 Permanent Sub

To: .94 Permanent Sub

Effective: 9/21/20

9. Changes in Hours (Teaching Assistants)

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that a change in hours for the following named persons be approved as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Husain-Vitale, Bibi

From: 23.6 hours/week

To: 29.5 hours/week

Effective: 9/14/20

Name: Scognamiglio, Dina

From: 23.6 hours/week

To: 29.5 hours/week

Effective: 9/14/20

Name: Milanese, Karen
 From: 20 hours/week
 To: 21.33 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/20

Name: Ambrosio, Angela
 From: 25 hours/week
 To: 22 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/20

10. Requests for Leaves of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the requests for a leave of absence for the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Cynthia Ceraci
 Title: Elementary Teacher
 Building: Landing
 Effective: 9/29/20 - TBD

Name: Gonzalez, Taylor
 Title: Special Education Teacher
 Building: Middle
 Effective: o/a 11/9/20 - o/a 2/5/21

a. Comments

Ms. Geraci is requesting a leave of absence for maternity/childcare purposes.

Ms. Gonzalez is requesting a leave of absence for maternity/childcare purposes.

11. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignations of the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Davis, D'Andra
 Title: Teaching Assistant
 Effective: 10/2/20 (end of day)

Name: Portente, Justin
 Title: Part-Time .8 Social Studies Teacher
 Effective: o/a 10/29/20

a. Comments

Ms. Davis is resigning in order to accept a permanent substitute teacher position at the middle school.

B. Classified

RESOLVED, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education moved to approve the following classified matters:

Move: Rose Sekelsky Second: Mary C. Murphy Status: Passed (7/0) with a brief discussion taking place.

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

1. Appointment of School Monitors

Appointment of School Monitors

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the following named persons be appointed as School Monitors for the Glen Cove City School District as specified below, pending fingerprint clearance (salary as per contract).

Name: Berdon, Robert
 Current Assignment/Level: 2:1 (Level A)
 School: Gribbin
 Hours: 23.6 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Garbacki, Christina
 Current Assignment/Level: Office Monitor (Level B)
 School: Gribbin
 Hours: 27.5 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Monahan, Mary
 Current Assignment/Level: Compliance Coverage (Level A)
 School: Deasy
 Hours: 23.6 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Monahan, Morgan
 Current Assignment/Level: Isolation Room (Level A)
 School: Gribbin
 Hours: 25 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Roberts, Sasha
 Current Assignment/Level: Compliance Coverage (Level A)
 School: Deasy
 Hours: 20 hours/week
 Effective: 9/29/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Safuto-Morales, Danielle
 Current Assignment/Level: Lunch & Playground (Level C)

School: Gribbin
 Hours: 10 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

Name: Seaman, Anton
 Current Assignment/Level: Isolation Room (Level A)
 School: Connolly
 Hours: 25 hours/week
 Effective: 10/5/20 – 6/25/21

a. Comments

Mr. Berdon is replacing Ms. Basile, who resigned.
 Ms. Garbacki is replacing Ms. Scherr, who resigned.

2. Change in Hours (Monitors)

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that a change in hours for the following named persons be approved as specified below (salary as per contract).

Name: Capobianco, Anne
 From: 29.5 hours/week
 To: 25 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Farfan, Rosa
 From: 23.6 hours/week
 To: 29.5 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Hidalgo, Yissel
 From: 23.6 hours/week
 To: 29.5 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Hudson, Kimberly
 From: 23.6 hours/week
 To: 29.5 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Kaffl, Jessica
 From: 23.6 hours/week
 To: 29.5 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Quayle, Katrina
 From: 25 hours/week
 To: 23.6 hours/week
 Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Rowell, Claudette
From: 23.6 hours/week
To: 29.5 hours/week
Effective: 9/14/2020

Name: Voci, Mimoza
From: 23.6 hours/week
To: 29.5 hours/week
Effective: 9/14/2020

3. Request for Leave of Absence

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the request for a leave of absence for the following named person be approved as specified below.

Name: Maiorana, Beverly
Position/Assignment: School Monitor
Building: Middle School
Effective: 9/21/20 - o/a 11/13/20

a. Comments

Ms. Maiorana is requesting a leave of absence for medical reasons.

4. Resignations

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED, that the resignations of the following named persons be approved as specified below.

Name: Basile, Brianna
Position/Assignment: School Monitor
Building: Gribbin
Effective: 10/2/20 (end of day)

Name: Dolan, Tania
Position/Assignment: School Monitor
Building: Thayer
Effective: 10/7/20 (end of day)

Name: Quinn, Michelina
Position/Assignment: Part-Time FSH
Building: High School
Effective: 9/30/20

Name: Scherr, Donna
Position/Assignment: School Monitor
Building: Gribbin
Effective: 10/9/20 (end of day)

IX. Unfinished Business

- A. Letter to retirees from Board of Education: a brief discussion took place.**

X. New Business

- A. Vision Statement: Discussion**
- B. Letters to staff in recognition of efforts put forth during the pandemic**
- C. Parliamentary Procedures: Request for Training**

The above items were all discussed.

XI. Public Participation

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No comments or questions were presented.

XII. Executive Session (if necessary)

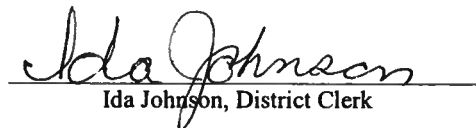
XIII. Adjournment

The Board of Education moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:44 pm. Next meeting scheduled for October 21, 2020 at 7:00 pm.

Move: Karen Ferguson Second: Rose Sekelsky Status: Passed (7/0)

Yes: Gail Nedbor-Gross, Maria Venuto, Monica Alexandris-Miller, Rose Sekelsky, Mary C. Murphy, Lia Leone, Karen Ferguson

Respectfully submitted,
By Ida Johnson
District Clerk


Ida Johnson, District Clerk