

CLIFFSIDE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION

WORK SESSION MEETING

AUGUST 24, 2022

The Work Session Meeting of the Cliffside Park Board of Education was held on Wednesday, August 24, 2022 in the Council Chambers located on the third floor of the Municipal Complex, 525 Palisade Avenue, Cliffside Park, New Jersey 07010 at 7:00 p.m. with the Board Secretary presiding.

The assemblage saluted the flag

ROLL CALL	Present:	Mrs. Abreu, Mr. Capano, Mr. Garciga, Mr. Ndreu, Dr. Pantoliano, Mr. Russo, Mr. Shelley, Mr. Tarabokija, Mr. Yannuzzi
	Absent:	Mrs. Frato

Mr. Michael J. Romagnino, Superintendent of Schools, was in attendance.

On the motion of Mr. Capano, seconded by Mr. Tarabokija, all ayes by roll call vote, the following was approved:

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PERSONNEL

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Tom Pisciotta, as Middle School Science Teacher at MA Step-5 \$60,490 with benefits effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-130-100-101-07-06-0000-080)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Teresa Duardo, as Special Education Teacher assigned to the Autism classroom at School #4 at BA Step-5 \$54,990 with benefits effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-214-100-101-04-00-0000-060)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Catherine Belcastro, as Resource Room Teacher assigned to School #6 at BA Step-12 \$68,740 effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-213-100-101-06-00-0000-080)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Caryn Feder, as Special Education Teacher, Multiple Disabilities Program assigned to the Middle School at MA+15 Step-11 \$76,740 with benefits effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-212-100-101-06-00-0000-080)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Therese Doll, as PreK Teacher assigned to School #5 at MA Step-5 \$60,490 effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-105-100-101-05-00-0000-070)

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PERSONNEL, (Continued)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Courtney Vignola, as Speech Therapist at MA Step-6 \$62,090 assigned to Schools #5 & #6 effective September 19, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#11-000-216-100-05-00-0000-070 & 11-000-216-100-06-00-0000-080)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Cherina Fuentes, as Full-Time 12-month Secretary assigned to School #3 effective August 22, 2022 at an annual salary of \$31,000 with benefits for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-000-240-105-03-00-0000-050)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Sonam Daraji, as a non-certificated School Nurse assigned to the High School at a contracted salary of \$88,500+ \$900.00 stipend \$89,400 effective September 1, 2022 for the 2022-2023 school year. (Account#-11-000-213-100-02-00-0000-030)

The Work Session meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Louis Alfano, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

RESOLUTION

Resolution recommended by the Superintendent of Schools to approve the tuition contract between the Fairview Board of Education (sending district) and the Cliffside Park Board of Education (receiving district) for attending students at the tentative tuition charge equal to the number of possible days multiplied by the average daily rate. The average daily rate is equal to the most current certified tuition rate divided by 180 days. The Resource Room student tuition rate is approximately a 75% LLD and a 25% BD blend of the certified tuition rates for the 2022-2023 school year commencing September 8, 2022 and ending June 19, 2023 as per attached Tuition Agreement.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES:	9
NAYS:	0
ABSTENTIONS:	0

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the written Resolution was adopted by the Cliffside Park Board of Education by a majority vote at its duly authorized meeting on August 24, 2022.

MICHAEL RUSSO
Board President

Dated: August 25, 2022

LOUIS ALFANO
Board Secretary/Business Administrator

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August 24, 2022 Work Session - NOTES:

AGENDA APPROVED

Summer 2022 Facilities Projects document (SEE ATACHED) Ciro Spinella, Facilities Manager, Guest Speaker

Focus of discussion centered around the capital projects: Roofs #6/HS, HS Office Renovation, HS Masonry (**change-orders were discussed – and APPROVED to move forward**)

FY'22 Audit:

8/22 and 8/24 auditor site visits

2022-2023 Fairview “Send-Receive” Tuition Contract was APPROVED

BOB-CAT APPROVED (Note: approx. \$10K higher vs budget – will assess feasibility to cover the budget overage)