

MIDDLE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2017

7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

MISSION STATEMENT:

The Middle Township School Board has a clearly articulated district mission statement incorporating the expectation that all students achieve the New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards (NJCCCS) at all grade levels.

Also, the mission of the Middle Township School District is to provide excellence in education while celebrating the strength of its diversity and upholding the values and traditions of the community in order to produce graduates who possess a love of learning and a sense of responsibility. This education aims to enable all students to reach their potential and become active, productive members of a dynamic, global society.

I. CALL TO ORDER

The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to ensure the rights of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, public notice of the meeting has been given by the Board Secretary in the following manner: Posting written notice to the Atlantic City Press, the Middle Township Gazette, written notice with the Clerk of the Township of Middle and posted on the Board Secretary's bulletin board.

II. ROLL CALL

- Dennis Roberts
- George DeLollis
- Calvin Back
- Robert Bakley II
- Ed Dagney
- Burgess Hamer
- Gloria Hodges
- Patricia Taylor
- Stephanie Thomas
- Renee Pettit

ATTENDANCE

- _____ Dr. David Salvo, Superintendent of Schools
- _____ Diane Fox, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary
- _____ Dr. Toni Lehman, Director of Curriculum and Instruction
- _____ Robert F. Johnson, Director of Special Education
- _____ Christian Paskalides, Principal, Elementary #1
- _____ Douglas Penkethman, Principal, Elementary #2
- _____ Principal, Middle School
- _____ Frank Riggitano, Principal, High School
- _____ William Donio, Board Solicitor
- _____ Amy Elco, Board Solicitor

OTHERS

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE FOLLOWED BY A MOMENT OF SILENCE

Led by the President of the Middle Township Board of Education and followed by a moment of silence.

IV. INFORMATIONAL

- A. Sunshine Moments
Exhibit I 18:04:10/19/17
- B. Recognition of Mr. John Lauricella

V. PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

VI. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of minutes of previous meeting(s):

- A. Regular Meeting Minutes – September 21, 2017
Exhibit M 18:05:10/19/17
- B. Closed Meeting Minutes – September 21, 2017
Exhibit M 18:06:10/19/17

MOTION TO ACCEPT THE PREVIOUS MINUTES

Motion: _____ Second: _____
 Vote: _____ Voice _____ Carried: _____

VII. CORRESPONDENCE

VIII. REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

- A. Use of Facilities Report
Exhibit S 18:12:10/19/17
- B. Trip List
Exhibit S 18:13:10/19/17
- C. Discipline Report
Exhibit S 18:14:10/19/17
- D. Attendance Report
Exhibit S 18:15:10/19/17
- E. Fundraising Requests
Exhibit S 18:16:10/19/17
- F. H.I.B. Report – Confidential

IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Curriculum Committee – October 12, 2017

Motion:		Second:	
Vote:	Voice	Carried:	

- B. Discipline Committee
- C. Equity/Affirmative Action Committee
- D. Extra-Curricular Committee – October 12, 2017

Motion:		Second:	
Vote:	Voice	Carried:	

- E. Facilities/Grounds/Real Estate Committee
- F. Finance Committee
- G. Performing Arts Committee
- H. Policy Committee
- I. Staff Relations/Negotiations Committee
- J. Transportation Committee

X. CERTIFICATION AND APPROVAL OF REPORTS

Be it resolved that the Board of Education approves:

- A. The Monthly Budget Reports for the 2017-2018 school year through September 30, 2017, pending audit. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.12 (c) the Secretary certifies that as of September 30, 2017, no budgetary line item account has

encumbrances and expenditures which in total exceed the line item appropriation in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.12 (c).

- B. The September 30, 2017, Report of the Secretary for the 2017-2018 school year, pending audit. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.12 (c), the Board certifies that as of September 30, 2017, after review of the Secretary’s Monthly Financial Report (appropriations section), and upon consultation with the appropriate District officials, to the best of our knowledge no major account or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.12 (c), and that sufficient funds are available to meet the District’s financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.
- C. That the Board approve the September 30, 2017, Report of Cash Funds for the 2017-2018 school year. It is in agreement with the September 30, 2017, Report of the Secretary, pending audit.

Report of the Secretary – September 30, 2017

Exhibit B 18:07:10/19/17

Report of Cash – September 30, 2017

Exhibit B 18:08:10/19/17

Motion:

Second:

Vote:

Roll Call

Carried:

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XI. FINANCIAL

Be it resolved that the Board of Education approves:

- A. Transfer of Funds
Exhibit F 18:07:10/19/17
- B. Bill List/Additional Bill List/PAC Bill List
Exhibit F 18:08:10/19/17
- C. PAC Contracts – None at the time

- D. The tuition contract between Vineland City School District (sending) and Middle Township Board of Education (receiving) for one homeless student, AH, for the 2017-2018 school year. Vineland School District agrees to pay Middle Township Board of Education \$13,311.00. Payments of \$1,331.10 commence monthly and terminate June 16, 2018.
- E. The tuition contract between Beverly City School District (sending) and Middle Township Board of Education (receiving) for two homeless students, SW & TJ, for the 2017-2018 school year. Beverly City School District agrees to pay Middle Township Board of Education \$13,973.00 and \$10,550.00 respectively. Payments of \$2,452.30 commence monthly and terminate June 16, 2018.
- F. The tuition contract between Millville School District (sending) and Middle Township Board of Education (receiving) for one homeless student, JD, for the 2017-2018 school year. Millville School District agrees to pay Middle Township Board of Education \$13,973.00. Payments of \$1,397.30 commence monthly and terminate June 16, 2018.
- G. Permission to accept the 2017 BASF Science Education Grant in the amount of \$5,000 for the Middle School.
- H. Contract approval for Out of District Home Instruction for SY 2017-18. Name on file in the Office of the Superintendent.

<u>School</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Tuition</u>
Union Co. Educ.Serv. Commission	on file	\$66 per hour

- I. The reinstatement of the following Schedule B Stipends: M.S. Asst. Girls Soccer Coach and M.S. Asst. Boys Soccer Coach

Motion: _____ Second: _____
 Vote: _____ Roll Call _____ Carried: _____

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XII. REFERENDUM

Be it resolved that the Board of Education approves:

- A. Update on Referendum – Diane Fox
- B. Bill List – Additional Bill List
Exhibit R 18:05:10/19/17

Motion: Second:
Vote: Roll Call Carried:

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XIII. ADMINISTRATION

Be it resolved that the Board of Education approves:

- A. Student L.H. to attend Middle Township Public Schools starting in the 2017-2018 school year in accordance with Policy 5111 Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Pupils allowing students of employees permission to attend.
- B. The adoption of the following Middle Township curriculum:

- ELA K-2
- ELA 3 & 5
- ELA 6-8
- ELA 9-12
- MATH K-2
- MATH 3-5
- MATH 6-8
- INTRO TO COMPUTERS
- PSYCHOLOGY
- AMERICAN LAW

- C. The following Drama and Musical Productions for the 17/18 School Year:

- High School**
- Fall Play – Almost, Maine
- Winter Band Concert
- Winter Dance Performance

Musical – The Music Man
Spring Band Concert
Spring Dance Performance

Middle School

Winter Band Concert
Winter Choir Concert
Musical – The Addams Family
Spring Band Concert
Spring Choir Concert

Exhibit A 18:04:10/19/17

- D. The Senior Class Trip for School Year 2018-2019 to Nassau, Bahamas on Carnival Cruise Line from March 13, 2019 through March 17, 2019.

Motion:

Second:

Vote: Roll Call

Carried:

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XIV. PERSONNEL

Be it resolved that the Board of Education accepts the Superintendent’s recommendation to approve:

- A. The following Resignations/Retirements:

Name: Lisa Ciccarone
Position: Teacher’s Aide
Building: Elementary #1
Type: Resignation
Effective: TBD

Name: Sharon Rementer
Positon: Head Girls Soccer Coach
Building: Middle School
Type: Resignation
Effective: 10/2/17 (last day 10/1/17)

Name: Sharon Rementer
Position: MLK Supervisor
Building: MLK Center
Type: Resignation
Effective: 10/1/17

Name: Nicholas Core
Position: Social Studies Teacher
Building: High School
Type: Resignation
Effective: TBD

B. The following leave(s) of absence:

Shawn Sypherd – On FMLA from 10/27 through 12/22/17, paid using days through 11/27/17; remainder unpaid.

Janice Ricci – On FLA from 9/28/17 through end of year, intermittently, not to exceed 60 working days.

C. The following substitute teachers:

Name	Cert. Type	Pay
Stephanie Bock	Sub Teacher	\$85
Zachary Sykes	Sub Teacher	\$85
Zack Vogelei	Sub Teacher	\$85
Damien Cwik	Teacher Cert.	\$90

D. The following substitute custodian: Juhail Rivera and Philip Rhoda (pending criminal clearance)

E. Employment of the following Schedule B Stipend Positions:

Name: Sean Gimeno
Position: Head Girls Soccer Coach
Building: Middle School
Stipend: \$4,171 (Pro-rated portion from 10/2/17 on)

F. The following Administrative Stipend:

Name: Sharon Rementer
Position: Interim Athletic Director
Status: Temporary
Building: District
Effective: October 2, 2017
Stipend: \$500.00
Replacing: Scott Lodgek
Account: 11-402-100-105-00-08

G. Employment of the following Certified Positions:

Name: Sharon Rementer
 Position: Assistant Principal for Athletics
 Status: Permanent
 Building: High School
 Effective: October 19, 2017
 Salary: \$100,000.00
 Replacing: Scott Lodgek
 Account: 11-402-100-105-00-08

Name: Elizabeth Sublinsky
 Position: Speech/Language Specialist
 Status: Temporary – Part-Time
 Building: Elementary #1
 Effective: October 11, 2017
 Salary: \$303.84 Per Diem
 Replacing: Maura Coskey
 Account: 11-000-219-104-64-06

Name: Dr. Robert Blake
 Position: Interim Assistant Principal
 Status: Temporary
 Building: Middle School
 Effective: October 16, 2017
 Salary: \$350 per day
 Replacing: Sharon Rementer
 Account: 11-000-240-103-00-04

H. Employment of the following Non-Certified Positions:

Name: Ryan Malinowski
 Position: Teacher's Aide – 29.5 hours
 Status: Permanent
 Building: Elementary #2
 Effective: October 12, 2017
 Salary: \$14,502.00
 Replacing: Sheryl Rubin
 Account: 11-000-217-106-00-02

Name: AnnMarie Kirkpatrick
 Position: Teacher's Aide – 19.5 hours
 Status: Permanent
 Building: Elementary #1
 Effective: TBD pending criminal clearance
 Salary: \$9,846.00
 Replacing: N/A
 Account: 11-000-217-106-00-01

Name: Dawn Robinson
Position: Bus Aide
Status: Permanent
Building: Transportation
Effective: October 2, 2017
Salary: \$16.91 per hour
Replacing: Samantha Gushue
Account: 11-000-270-161-99-12

I. The following volunteers:

Name: Anthony DiCicco
Position: Volunteer Boys Soccer Coach
Building: High School

Name: Tariq Gaskins
Position: Volunteer Basketball Coach
Building: High School

Name: Megan Russ
Position: Girls Basketball
Building: High School

Name: Jordan Sykes
Position: Girls Basketball
Building: High School

Name: Anna Ay
Position: Girls Basketball
Building: High School

Name: Renea Wing
Position: Girls Basketball
Building: High School

Name: Ryan Babnew
Position: Boys Basketball
Building: High School

Name: Kirsten Logan
Position: Swim Volunteer
Building: High School

Name: Andrew Symuleski
Position: Wrestling Volunteer
Building: High School

Name: Murray Wolf
Position: Wrestling Volunteer
Building: High School

Name: Bill Miller
Position: Wrestling Volunteer
Building: High School

Name: Maddie Anagnou
Position: Swimming volunteer
Building: High School

- J. The following salary advancement due to additional credits completed: Lisa Mericle from MA-11A/\$61,156.00 to MA+15-11A/\$61,714.00 effective 9/1/17.
- K. Elizabeth Sublinsky to provide speech/language services to Cape Christian Academy, as needed, not to exceed \$8,035.00.
- L. The following teachers to act as teachers or substitutes at the MLK homework after school program for the 2017-2018 program year.

Teachers/Substitutes
William Doan
Kathy Wynn
Dorothy Sheehan
Christine Dagney
Monique Sudan
LeeAnn Adams
Heather Hemingway
Jacklyn Buckingham
Janet Biller
Rebecca Hannings
Program Coordinators
Pamela Shute and Laura Lambert (Split)

Motion:
Vote: Roll Call

Second:
Carried:

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XV. STUDENT PLACEMENT

A. The placement of student listed below as tuition student at Out of District location for the 2017-2018 school year. Name on file in the Office of the Superintendent.

<u>School Name</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Tuition</u>
<i>None</i>		

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XVI. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

XVII. BOARD COMMENT

XVIII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the regular meeting of the Board of Education meeting at

Motion:
Vote: Voice

Second:
Carried: