

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
ROSELAND, NEW JERSEY**

**MINUTES  
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING  
APRIL 28, 2020 – 7:30 PM**

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**DATE**

April 28, 2020

**PRESENT BOARD MEMBERS**

Mr. Gesario  
Mr. Gorman  
Mrs. Murano  
Mrs. Savarese  
Mrs. Scaraggi

**MEETING**

Business Meeting

**ABSENT**

**TIME**

7:30 PM

**ADJOURNED**

8:26 PM

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Ms. Somers  
Mr. Gibbs  
Faculty Members  
Community Members  
*The Progress*

**PLACE**

Lester C. Noecker School Via Cisco Webex Meeting

**I. CALL TO ORDER** – Board President

**II. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE** - Open Public Meeting Act

In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Public Law 1975, Chapter 231, notice of this regular meeting has been properly advertised in the newspapers of record, and the agenda has been posted at the appropriate locations, and a copy has been filed with the Borough Clerk of Roseland.

**ROLL CALL:** Mr. Gesario, Mr. Gorman, Mrs. Murano, Mrs. Savarese, and Mrs. Scaraggi - *All present*

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**III. FLAG SALUTE**

**IV. BOARD PRESIDENT REPORT**

*Mr. Gorman requested the attendee's of the Board meeting to take a moment to pause to pay respect to those who were lost due to the Pandemic as well as for their families. He thanked those who attended the meeting as well as those who participated in creating the budget. He further thanked Ms. Somers and the Principal Search Committee in all of their efforts in finding a candidate in a short period of time. He also thanked the teachers and parents for all of their efforts in homeschooling the school district's students during this time.*

**V. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

*Mrs. Savarese stated that it was a busy month with all of the changes that are happening with the State. She further stated that there will be more information next month when the State has finalized some of the changes that will be going into effect for both the current school year and the next school year.*

**VI. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

*Good evening! I would like to thank everyone listening for their continued support and partnership as our virtual school year continues. Looking back to my comments from our March 18th Board of Education meeting, I cannot help but note that there are still SO MANY unknowns in our world today, but what we do know is that our Noecker School community is stronger than ever. I could not be more proud of and impressed by our teachers, our staff, our students, and our parent-partners.*

*As I shared in my community blast yesterday, these are incredibly challenging times and nothing takes the place of being in our beautiful building together, however I can't help but be in awe of the skills we are all learning during this experience! The work, the engagement, and the conversations are of such high quality and are reassuring that we are all truly doing the best we can under these most extraordinary circumstances. Thank you, especially, to our teachers for going so far above and beyond in supporting their students and each other, being risk-takers in the face of these challenges, and continuing to epitomize that we care about what we do.*

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*Six weeks ago we were mere days into online learning and only just barely beginning to understand the scope of COVID-19 and its impact on our daily lives. We had questions then and the questions continue as we near the month of May:*

- *Will we be returning to school this academic year?*
- *What happens when we return?*
- *How can we build social distancing into our school days and classrooms if it is required?*
- *How will we assess our students and what are the best ways to support any gaps in learning or content?*
- *How will we work together to rebuild our in-school community and support the social emotional needs of our students, families, and staff?*

*While we wait for May 15th and guidance from Governor Murphy, we are beginning our conversations about what returning to school may look like by exploring these questions and so many more. Whether we return this year, for ESY/Enrichment in July, or for a new school year in September, we will be working together towards safety, support, educating, and community.*

*Last month we had other questions such as*

- *Who will be our new Principal?*
- *Who will be on the committee?*
- *How will the process look?*
- *Will we have a new principal for July 1st?*

*Tonight I am thrilled to be able to answer these questions for you all!*

*Since we last met, the Principal Interview Committee was formed. Two committee members from our Principal Survey were randomly selected to represent a range of grade levels and experiences; the REA provided two teachers to also represent a range of grade levels and experience; and Mr. Mansour and I rounded out the committee as representatives of administration. The 80+ resumes we received were culled based upon the results of the principal survey with seven being selected by the committee. After the development of our questions, the somewhat challenging part began as we held our Round 1 and Round 2 interviews via Zoom. There were many times through the process that I said, "I don't know" in response to how we would proceed next; it was such an unusual way to work towards such an important decision for our school.*

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*Ultimately the committee worked so well together and the various perspectives were so valuable that the committee stayed together as a whole thru to the final recommendation. I cannot thank Mrs. Brady, Mrs. Brock, Mr. Celebre, Mr. Mansour, and Mrs. Sayers enough for their collaboration, insights, and honesty. I have been on a great many interview committees and can say without hesitation that this was one of the most positive, respectful, and cohesive teams I have had the pleasure of working with. I am very proud of the work accomplished and I am thrilled that, on tonight's agenda, is the recommendation of Mr. Raul Sandoval as our new Lester C. Noecker School Principal.*

*Mr. Sandoval impressed the committee from the beginning. When we reviewed his resume we were all intrigued by his experiences from paraprofessional to primary teacher to his current position as principal of the Eleanor Van Gelder School in Edgewater where he has been for six years. His work with literacy, special education, technology, and scheduling caught our attention and that work was shared with such depth during our interviews. Mr. Sandoval's experience in supporting his teachers was displayed in response after response as he spoke of the value of teacher-led initiatives, nurturing instruction, and problem-solving problems big and small. Partnership, being approachable and visible, and communication were equally evident and highlighted as key in building relationships with parents, students, and staff. Described as professional, dedicated, loyal, and a real gem and it was unanimous. The Interview Committee is confident that Mr. Sandoval possesses everything our school needs and deserves in a leader. All who have met him cannot wait to have him join us! I have no hesitation in recommending him to join our Roseland School District family!*

*Mr. Sandoval is here with us tonight and will say a few words after his approval which will take place shortly after Mr. Gibbs and I reshare the 2020-2021 School Budget.*

*Please keep each other safe and I truly hope to see you soon!*

**VII. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR/BOARD SECRETARY REPORT**

- Budget Presentation

*Discussion:*

*Mr. Gesario thanked all of the teachers for their efforts during this difficult time. He further thanked those who worked on the Budget and stated that he was glad to see that the school is looking to hire a new Special Education Teacher.*

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**VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT** – On agenda items only

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*Mr. Gorman explained to the audience how they can ask questions on-line.*

*No public comment.*

**X. APPROVAL OF ACTION ITEMS**

**BOARD MINUTES/REPORTS**

- RPT-033-20 Approve Board Meetings Minutes
- RPT-034-20 Approve the March 2020 Code of Conduct Report
- RPT-035-20 Approve the March 2020 Enrollment Report
- RPT-036-20 Approve the March 2020 HIB Report

MOTION by Mrs. Savarese, SECOND by Mrs. Scaraggi

ROLL CALL: Mr. Gesario, Mr. Gorman, Mrs. Murano, Mrs. Savarese, and Mrs. Scaraggi - *All Ayes.*

*No discussion.*

- RPT-033-20 Approve Board Meetings Minutes

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Regular Board Meeting Minutes for the March 18, 2020 Board Meeting.

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RPT-034-20 Approve the March 2020 Code of Conduct Report

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RPT-035-20 Approve the March 2020 Enrollment Report

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the March 2020 Enrollment Report.

RPT-036-20 Approve the March 2020 HIB Report

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the March 2020 HIB Report.

**FINANCE/FACILITIES**

FIN-143-20 Approve Acceptance of the Report of the Treasurer of School Monies – March 2020

FIN-144-20 Approve Acceptance of the Report of the Board Secretary – March 2020

FIN-145-20 Approve the Board of Education's Monthly Certification of Major Budgetary Account/Fund Status – March 2020

FIN-146-20 Approve the Payment of Bills and Claims – April 2020

FIN-147-20 Approve Budgetary Line Item Transfers – March 2020

FIN-148-20 Approve Acceptance of the Cafeteria Report – March 2020

FIN-149-20 Adoption of the 2020-2021 School Budget

FIN-150-20 Approve Collaboration for the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program

FIN-151-20 Retroactively Approve of a Home Maintenance Program for OT/PT Students

FIN-152-20 Approve the Installation of the Final Phase of the LED Lighting by Generations Technology Incorporated

FIN-153-20 Approve Additional Compensation for Employees

FIN-154-20 Approve the Replacement of Broken Sidewalks, Curbing, and Bricks

FIN-155-20 Approve the Replacement of the Backstop

FIN-156-20 Approve the Replacement of Circuit Panels and Circuit Breakers

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- FIN-160-20 Approval of Essex Regional Educational Services Commission Transportation Agreement for the 2020-2021 School Year
- FIN-161-20 Opposing Delay in Transmission of Quarterly Property Tax Revenue to School Districts
- FIN-162-20 Approval of Sussex County Regional Transportation Cooperative Special Education Transportation Agreement for the 2020-2021 School Year

MOTION by Mrs. Savarese, SECOND by Mrs. Murano

ROLL CALL: Mr. Gesario, Mr. Gorman, Mrs. Murano, Mrs. Savarese, and Mrs. Scaraggi - *All Ayes.*

*Discussion:*

*Mrs. Savarese stated that she was glad to see the contracts that are being approved.*

*Mrs. Murano stated that she was glad to see the extra hours that the teachers put in for helping our students during the break as well as those who participated in the Principal search.*

*Mr. Gorman explained FIN-161-20 - Opposing Delay in Transmission of Quarterly Property Tax Revenue to School Districts. Although he understands the reason for the deferment, it will impact the school in paying the school's bills.*

*Mrs. Savarese reiterated Mr. Gorman's comment by stating that the town not paying their tax levy payment to the school on time affects the school's ability to move forward with scheduling projects and paying the school's current bills.*

- FIN-143-20 Approve Acceptance of the Report of the Treasurer of School Monies – March 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the acceptance of the Report of the Treasurer of School Monies for the periods ending March 31, 2020.

- FIN-144-20 Approve Acceptance of the Report of the Board Secretary – March 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the acceptance of the Report of the Board Secretary for the period ending March 31, 2020.

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FIN-145-20 Approve the Board of Education’s Monthly Certification of Major Budgetary Account/Fund Status – March 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.12(c)4, certifies that as of March 31, 2020, 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(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district’s financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

FIN-146-20 Approval for Payment of Bills and Claims – April 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the payment of the Bills and Claims for the period ending April 30, 2020:

General Fund Bills & Claims	\$ 229,041.41
General Fund Payroll	\$ 521,812.11 through April 28, 2020
Special Revenue Fund Bills & Claims	\$ 13,805.08
S. U. I.	\$ 8,818.55
<u>Cafeteria Fund Bills &amp; Claims</u>	<u>\$ 30,328.39</u>
<b><i>Total Payments</i></b>	<b><i>\$ 803,805.54</i></b>

FIN-147-20 Approve Line Item Transfers – March 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the attached Line Item Budget Transfers for the month of March 2020, as per N.J.S.A. 18A:8.1.

FIN-148-20 Approve Acceptance of the Cafeteria Report – March 2020

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Cafeteria Report for the period ending March 31, 2020.



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FIN-149-20 Adoption of the 2020-2021 School Budget

**RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, authorizes the submission of the 2020-2021 Preliminary School Budget to the Essex County Executive Superintendent of Schools with the following Fund Allocations:

<u>2020-2021 Budget</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Local Tax Levy</u>
Total General Fund	\$ 9,565,018.00	\$ 8,432,625.00
Total Special Rev. Fund	\$ 115,933.00	n/a
<u>Total Debt Service Fund</u>	<u>\$ 835,650.00</u>	<u>\$ 835,650.00</u>
Totals	\$10,516,601.00	\$ 9,268,275.00

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Roseland Board of Education authorizes as included in budget line 620, Budgeted Withdrawal of Capital Reserve – Excess Costs & Other Capital Projects, the transfer of an amount of \$401,977.00 from Capital Reserve for other capital projects including plumbing upgrades (\$80,000.00), lighting upgrades (\$50,000.00), electrical upgrades (\$25,000.00), parking lot milling, resurfacing, and striping (\$90,000.00), replace backstop (\$10,000.00), additional security cameras (\$41,977.00), replace walkways & curbs (\$25,000.00), and playground resurface (\$80,000.00). The total cost of these projects is \$401,977.00, which represents expenditures for construction elements or projects that are in addition to the facilities efficiency standards and security audit measures determined by the Commissioner as necessary to achieve the New Jersey student learning standards and;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Roseland Board of Education authorizes as included in budget line 630, Budgeted Withdrawal of Maintenance Reserve – Excess Costs & Other Maintenance Projects, the transfer of an amount of \$84,363.00 from Maintenance Reserve for other maintenance projects including univent maintenance (\$5,000.00), safety inspections (\$5,000.00), Asbestos Maintenance(\$21,363.00), repairs to roof (\$5,000.00), repair skylight seals (\$3,000.00), repairs to existing sidewalks and curbs (\$20,000.00), painting of classrooms and hallways (\$3,000.00), and refinishing of Gym and All-purpose room floors (\$22,000.00). The total cost of these projects is \$84,363.00, which represents expenditures for maintenance elements or projects that are in addition to the facilities efficiency standards and security audit measures determined by the Commissioner as necessary to achieve the New Jersey student learning standards and;

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**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Roseland Board of Education included a Banked Cap adjustment in the base budget in the amount of \$98,103.00 utilizing the allowable adjustment to be used by the Roseland Board of Education in Budget year 2020-2021.

FIN-150-20 Approve Collaboration for the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the collaboration with the Essex Regional Educational Services Commission for the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program for the 2020-2021 school year.

FIN-151-20 Retroactively Approve of a Home Maintenance Program for OT/PT Students

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, retroactively approves a Home Maintenance Program for OT/PT students during COVID pandemic, services provided by Pediatric Potentials, Inc. Based on the current 38 students receiving OT/PT, the cost will be \$50.00 per student, a total cost of \$1,900.00, services effective March 25, 2020.

FIN-152-20 Approve the Installation of the Final Phase of the LED Lighting by Generations Technology Incorporated

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the installation of the final phase of the LED Lighting by Generations Technology, Incorporated, 237 West Parkway, Pompton Plains, N.J. 07444, Co-op- EDS Bid# 9832 at a cost of \$49,491.00.

FIN-153-20 Approve Additional Compensation for Employees

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve additional compensation for employees participating in the Principal Interview process over spring break.

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FIN-154-20 Approve the Replacement of Broken Sidewalks, Curbing, and Bricks

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the replacement of broken sidewalks, curbing and bricks where needed at a cost of \$21,550.00 by DiRienzo LLC Contracting, 38 Highland Drive, West Caldwell, N.J. 07006. A second quote was provided by Crossroads Pavement Maintenance, LLC 512 Newark Pompton Turnpike, Pompton Plains, N.J. 07444 at a cost of \$24,250.00.

FIN-155-20 Approve the Replacement of the Backstop

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the backstop at a cost of \$15,965.00 by E.B. Fence, LLC, 23 Red Rox Trail, Sicklerville, N.J. 08081. A second quote was provided by L.E.S., 5D Great Meadow Lane, East Hanover, N.J. 07936 in the amount of \$18,975.00.

FIN-156-20 Approve the Replacement of Circuit Panels and Circuit Breakers

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the replacement of forty two circuit panels and circuit breakers at a cost of \$17,760.00 by J & J Electrical Construction and Design, Inc., 792 Main Road, Towaco, N.J. 07082. A second quote was provided by Ebanks Electrical Services, LLC, 218 North Oraton Parkway, East Orange, N.J. 07017 in the amount of \$17,950.00.

FIN-157-20 Approve the Milling, Resurfacing, Sealing, and Striping of the Parking Lot

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the milling, resurfacing, sealing, and striping of the parking lot at a cost of \$118,475.00 by D&L Paving Contractors, Inc., 675 Franklin Ave, Nutley, N.J. 07110, EDS Bid #9183.

FIN-158-20 Approve the Removal and Replacement of Asbestos Tile

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the removal and replacement of Asbestos tile at a cost of \$10,800.00 by Aero Environmental Services, 72 Brookside Drive, Randolph, N.J. 07869. A second quote was provided by Lilich Corporation, 246 Union Boulevard, Totowa, N.J. 07512 in the amount of \$11,900.00.

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FIN-159-20 Approve Renewal of Contract with Maschio's Food Services, Inc. as Food Service Management Company (FSMC) for the 2020-2021 School Year

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the renewal of the FSMC contract with Maschio's Food Services, Inc. for the 2020-2021 school year, including the following applicable fees and guarantees: 1) The School Food Authority shall pay Maschio's an annual management fee in total amount of \$9,525.00. The management fee shall be payable in monthly installments of \$952.50 per month commencing on September 1, 2020 and ending on June 30, 2021. 2) Maschio's guarantees a return to the School Food Authority in the amount of \$5,000.00. In the event the actual bottom line of the operational report (total revenue from all sources less program costs, including the management fee) is below this amount, Maschio's shall be responsible for any shortfall.

FIN-160-20 Approval of Essex Regional Educational Services Commission Transportation Agreement for the 2020-2021 School Year

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Essex Regional Educational Services Commission Transportation Agreement for the 20-20 20-21 school year (Agreement Tenn: July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021).

FIN-161-20 Opposing Delay in Transmission of Quarterly Property Tax Revenue to School Districts

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the opposing delay in transmission of quarterly property tax revenue to school districts.

**WHEREAS**, Assembly Bill 3902, currently pending in the State Legislature, would authorize the Department of Community Affairs to permit municipalities to delay the quarterly transmission of property tax revenues to school districts during gubernatorial-declared emergencies; and

**WHEREAS**, New Jersey's public schools are highly dependent on property tax revenue to support education programs; and

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**WHEREAS**, on average, local property taxes constitute close to 60% of public school revenue, with the percentage even greater in a significant number of districts; and

**WHEREAS**, a delay in payments from municipalities would result in a financial crisis for school districts, seriously disrupting the educational process—and bringing it to a halt; and

**WHEREAS**, although public school buildings are closed during the current health emergency, the education of our students is taking place through remote learning and home instruction; and

**WHEREAS**, continued timely transmission of school property taxes is critical for the education process to continue without interruption; and

**WHEREAS**, even though municipalities are designated as the authorities to collect property taxes, these taxes are levied for specific purposes—e.g., municipal, school, county, fire district—and these obligations must continue to be met; and

**WHEREAS**, as currently written, A-3902, which is intended to ease a financial burden on municipalities, would place a severe strain on school districts and the students and families that they serve; and

**WHEREAS**, the Roseland Board of Education recognizes the impact of the current public health emergency on the state and local governments, as well as local school districts, but believes this legislation would worsen the situation for our communities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Roseland Board of Education urges the State Senate and the Governor to oppose A-3902; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that this resolution be delivered to Governor Phil Murphy, State Senate President Stephen M. Sweeney, Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin; and the Roseland Legislative District’s representatives in the state Senate and General Assembly; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that copies of this resolution be sent to the New Jersey School Boards Association.

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FIN-162-20 Approval of Sussex County Regional Transportation Cooperative Special Education Transportation Agreement for the 2020-2021 School Year

RESOLVED that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Sussex County Regional Transportation Cooperative Special Education Transportation Agreement for the 2020 -2021 school year. (Agreement Term: July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021).

**PERSONNEL/MANAGEMENT**

PER-055-20 Approve Resignation of Employee No. 100483

PER-056-20 Amended Approval of Leave for Employee No. 100398

PER-057-20 Approve Raul Sandoval as Principal for the 2020-2021 School Year

MOTION by Mrs. Savarese, SECOND by Mrs. Scaraggi

ROLL CALL: Mr. Gesario, Mr. Gorman, Mrs. Murano, Mrs. Savarese, and Mrs. Scaraggi - *All Ayes.*

*Discussion:*

*Mrs. Savarese was glad to see Mr. Sandoval being approved for the position of the school's new Principal.*

*Mr. Gorman thanked Ms. Somers and the Search Committee in doing a fine job in filling the position.*

*Mrs. Scaraggi and the remaining Board members congratulated Mr. Sandoval in obtaining his new position.*

*Mr. Sandoval stated that he is excited and honored to begin working at the Lester C. Noecker School and looks forward to working with the administration, staff, and students.*

PER-055-20 Approve Resignation of Employee No. 100483

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the resignation of Employee No. 100483, Position Control No. 089, effective June 19, 2020.

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PER-056-20 Amended Approval of Leave for Employee No. 100398

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, hereby approves the pre and post-birth disability leave of Employee No. 100398 commencing on April 21, 2020 and extending through May 25, 2020. Employee may use twenty-eight (28) accumulated sick leave days during this temporary disability period to continue to receive salary and health benefits from April 21, 2020 through May 25, 2020. The employee's pre and post-birth disability leave shall run concurrent to her leave under the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA).

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the child care family leave of absence under the Family Medical Leave Act and the New Jersey Family Leave Act for Employee No. 100398 commencing May 26, 2020 and extending through October 23, 2020. The remainder of the employee's leave under the Family Medical Leave Act shall run concurrent to the employee's leave under the New Jersey Family Leave Act. The employee shall not receive salary during this period of time, but will continue to receive health benefits.

RESOLVED, Employee No. 100398 shall return to work on October 26, 2020.

PER-057-20 Approve Raul Sandoval as Principal for the 2020-2021 School Year

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves Raul Sandoval as Principal for the 2020-2021 school year, Position Control No. 093, at a salary of \$136,000.00, with benefits effective July 1, 2020, pending criminal history approval.

**XI. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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*The following Board Meeting attendees, most of whom are staff members, welcomed Mr. Sandoval as the new Principal to the school:*

*Ms. Eccleston, Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Spector, Mrs. Sellitto, 16 Williamsburg Dr., Roseland, Ms. Marek, Mrs. Hunkele, Ms. Buccelli, Mrs. Albu, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Rivera-Stewart, Mrs. Sessa, Ms. Stora De Cruz, Mrs. Petrarca, Councilwoman Perrotti, Mrs. Schimmel, Ms. Ortiz, Mrs. Piscitello, Ms. Clarke, Mrs. Liddle, and Mr. Celebre.*

**XII. OLD BUSINESS**

No Old Business

**NEW BUSINESS**

*Ms. Somers stated that we don't have any additional information from the State as to when the school will reopen. She will be forming a back to school committee in order to help make the transition easier as there are a number of staff members eager to help with that effort. There was discussion of creating an Ad-Hoc Board Committee to work in partnership with the school-based committee.*

*Mr. Gorman stated that it is a good idea to form the committee in an effort to make the transition as smooth as possible.*

*Mrs. Scaraggi and Mrs. Murano reiterated Mr. Gorman's comment.*

*Mrs. Scaraggi also congratulated Mrs. Kash on the birth of her new baby. She further wanted to thank the teachers in all their efforts in teaching in a remote setting.*



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**XX. ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Mrs. Scaraggi, SECOND by Mrs. Murano

ROLL CALL: Mr. Gesario, Mr. Gorman, Mrs. Murano, Mrs. Savarese, and Mrs. Scaraggi - *All Ayes.*

**The Next Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 26, 2020 at 7:30 PM, in the Lester C. Noecker Media Center.**

Respectfully Submitted,



Gordon E. Gibbs  
Board Secretary/Business Administrator