

MIDLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION

WORK SESSION AGENDA

TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 7, 2021

8:00 P.M.
MEDIA CENTER,
MIDLAND PARK JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Open Public Meeting Act Statement

“Adequate notice of this meeting was provided as specified in the Open Meeting Act. Notices of this meeting were sent to The Record, Ridgewood News and to the Midland Park Borough Clerk for the 2021 elective year. A notice was also posted inside the office of the Midland Park Board of Education in a place reserved for such announcements. The Board announces that under its long-standing policy, it will not discuss in public any comments made by members of the public concerning individual staff members or students.”

Roll Call:

BOARD PRESIDENT’S REPORT *Mr. Peter Triolo*

Midland Park Public School District Mission Statement

The Midland Park School District as part of a strong, dedicated community, provides its students with a comprehensive, adaptive education aligned to 21st century knowledge and skills needed for success in college and career. The district maximizes all resources to empower students to realize their individual worth and responsibility, with the expectation they achieve the New Jersey state standards at all grade levels.

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT *Dr. Marie Cirasella*

Approve the following resolution:

1. BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby affirms the Superintendent's decision in HIB Investigation No. 0719213158 for the reasons set forth in the Superintendent's Report to the Board and directs the Board Secretary/School Business Administrator to transmit a copy of the Board's decision to the affected students' parents forthwith.

Open to Public – COMMENTS only for action items on the September 7, 2021 agenda.

BOARD MOTIONS

Action Items:

A. Personnel- (M. Cirasella)

Board resolutions related to hiring for the 2021-2022 school year will be on an emergency basis, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:6-7.1, N.J.S.A. 18A:39-17 and/or N.J.S.A. 18A:6-4.13, as applicable.

1. Approve the retroactive appointment of the following staff members to attend Child Study Meetings meetings during the month of August. They will be paid at the rate of \$60.95 per hour, as per Schedule D of the MPEA contract:

Janell Caruso	Marina Lenihan
Kristen (DiPaola) Conners	Kathleen LePage
Kristie (Fucarino) Gambutti	Diana Ragone
Deborah Kilgore	Patricia Sicree
Deborah Lelinho	

2. Rescind the July 20, 2021 appointment of Hanorah Bellucco to teach a sixth period Social Studies assignment at the High School during the 2021-2022 school year.
3. Rescind Personnel motion A-24 of the July 20, 2021 Board Agenda, appointing Danielle Scalfani as a Kindergarten teacher.
4. Rescind Personnel motion S-2 of the August 24, 2021 Board Agenda appointing Elena Kaplan as an Instructional Aide in the High School.
5. Approve the following stipend payments for curriculum writing:

Loreto Georghiou	K-2 Music	\$400.00
Loreto Georghiou	K-2 Theater	\$400.00
Danielle Vandenberghe	Cybersecurity	\$500.00

6. Approve the following additions to the list of Fall Coaches at the High School for the 2021-2022 school year:

		<u>Stipend</u>
Add: Jason Annitti	Assistant Football Coach	Volunteer
Shawn Bennett	Boys Middle School Soccer Coach	\$2,947.00

7. Approve the appointment of Deidre Bulick as an Instructional Aide in the Godwin School. She will be paid a salary of \$26,200 (Category V Step 2 on the secretarial/clerical salary guide), prorated effective September 8, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

8. Approve the appointment of Derek Nelson as an Instructional Aide in the High School. He will be paid a salary of \$25,100 (Category V Step 1 on the secretarial/clerical salary guide), prorated effective September 8, 2021 through June 30, 2022.
9. Approve the appointment of Fusun Garrett as a Building Aide in the Godwin School. She will work two hours per day and will be paid at the approved hourly rate, effective retroactive from September 3, 2021 through June 23, 2022.
10. Approve the appointment of Donna Rotsaert as a Building Aide in the Highland School. She will work three hours per day and will be paid at the approved hourly rate, effective retroactive from September 3, 2021 through June 23, 2022.
11. Approve the appointment of Pina Dellisanti as a Building Aide in the Godwin School. She will work three hours per day and will be paid at the approved hourly rate, effective September 8, 2021 through June 23, 2022.
12. Approve the revised list of Building Aide Level assignments for the 2021-2022 school year as per the attached appendix:
13. Approve the following Truck Drivers for the Marching Band during the 2021-2022 school year:

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Mark Schaefer
James Trommelen

14. Approve the following student as an Aide for the Before/After School Child Care Program, sponsored by Midland Park Continuing Education for the 2021-2022 school year:

Victoria Manata

B. Finance- (J. Canellas, Chairperson)

1. Approve the Annual Contract for Services between Bergen County Special Services School District, Educational Enterprises Division and the Midland Park Public School District for the provision of Teacher of the Deaf services for an elementary school classified student for a maximum of three sessions per week during the 2021-2022 school year, at a rate not to exceed \$19,800.
2. Approve the Annual Contract for Services between Bergen County Special Services School District, Educational Enterprises Division and the Midland Park Public School District for the provision of Teacher of the Deaf services for an elementary school classified student for a maximum of five sessions per week during the 2021-2022 school year, at a rate not to exceed \$33,000.

- C. Curriculum- (S. Criscenzo, Chairperson)
1. Approve the following New Course/Program Proposals at the High School for the 2021-2022 school year:

Junior Seminar – half year
Senior Seminar – half year
 2. Approve the new/revised Curricula, which is aligned to the NJ Student Learning Standards and new QSAC Regulations, as follows:

Intro to Computers
Intermediate Algebra
Junior Seminar
Senior Seminar
Intro to Cybersecurity

BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS/Review of September 21 , 2021 agenda items

- B. Finance Committee- (J. Canellas, Chairperson)
- C. Curriculum Committee- (S. Criscenzo, Chairperson)
- D. Policy Committee- (P. Fantulin, Chairperson)
- E. Legislative Committee- (Administration)
- F. Buildings and Grounds Committee- (C. Dell’Aglia, Chairperson)
- G. Negotiations Committee- (N. Eliya, Chairperson)
- H. Technology & Public Relations Committee- (R. Formicola, Chairperson)
- I. Town Council- (P. Triolo, B. McCourt)
- J. Student Representative- (Sophia Rosenthal)

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to go into closed session before the meeting of September 21, 2021, for the purpose of reviewing the hiring of personnel, legal updates and confidential student HIB case reviews.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC- general **COMMENTS** only at this time are to be directed to the Board President.

ADJOURNMENT

MIDLAND PARK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Midland Park, N.J.

NON-ALIGNED STAFF
2021-2022

APPENDIX A-12
September 7, 2021

BUILDING AIDES

LEVELS

JUDY BLEY	2 (10/16/21)
JANET DRIBNACK	2
VINETTE KOMJIAN	3
THERESA KRUIS	3
CATHERINE LINDE	3
LINDA LOKEN	3
CINDY MAHONEY	2
DENISE MORGAN	3
JOAN PAPAPIETRO	3
LOREE RANGES	3
SIGRID SMITH	3
MARIE THEODORIDES	2
KATHLEEN THOMPSON	3