

AGENDA

BOARD OF EDUCATION • LEVITTOWN, NEW YORK

LEVITTOWN UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT • TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD • LEVITTOWN, NEW YORK
www.levittownschoools.com

REGULAR MEETING

LEVITTOWN MEMORIAL EDUCATION CENTER

Wednesday, February 8, 2023

6:30 PM

Meeting convenes with anticipated adjournment to Executive Session

7:30 PM

Meeting reconvenes with Regular Meeting

Success for Every Student

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC TO BE HEARD

This meeting will be devoted to reports from the Superintendent of Schools and Board Members, regular agenda items of old and new business and schedules.

Immediately following Board Members reports, a period not to exceed two hours shall be set aside to afford residents of the community and/or school district employees an opportunity to make comments or to raise questions related to school affairs.

NOTICE

Copies of the agenda are available to the residents of the district at the office of the Board of Education, Levittown Memorial Education Center, 150 Abbey Lane, Levittown, three days prior to the meeting date. Copies of agendas are also available on the district website and at the Levittown Public Library. Tapes of meetings are available at the Levittown Public Library. The official record of meetings is reflected in the Official Minutes.

Anyone requiring a sign language interpreter for this meeting should notify the District Clerk at 434-7002, at least five (5) days before the meeting.

The Levittown Public School District is committed to providing both equal educational opportunity for all students, and equal employment opportunity for all persons consistent with law.

CALL TO ORDER

CALL TO ORDER

Recommended Motion: "BE IT RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, move to Executive Session for the purpose of seeking legal advice from the Board's Attorney."

I. RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION

- A. Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Moment of Silence

II. REPORTS

- A. Student Presentations
 - i. Academic Presentation - Lee Road School
- B. Recognition
 - i. Art Display - Gardiners Avenue School
 - ii. Crossing Guard Louise Kobs
- C. Superintendent
 - 1. Comments and Reports
 - 2. Follow-up to Prior Public Be Heard Questions
 - 3. Follow-up to Board Questions
- D. Board of Education
 - 1. Comments and Reports
 - 2. Correspondence
 - 3. Student Liaisons

III. PUBLIC BE HEARDIV. CONSENT AGENDA

- 1. Minutes - Approval of Minutes

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "Make the necessary corrections and move the approval of the minutes of the January 11 Regular Meeting and the January 25 Budget and Special Meetings."

- 2. Warrants

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "WHEREAS, all claims, warrants and charges against the School District have been reviewed by the Claims Auditor and have been certified by the Claims Auditor for payment,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the JANUARY 2023 report of the Claims Auditor be accepted."

3. Business Office Reports

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, accept the following reports from the Business Office:

- Appropriation and Revenue Reports for the period 7/1/22 to 12/31/22
- Trial Balance Report for the period 7/1/22 to 12/31/22
- Treasurers Report for the month ending December 2022
- Credit card statements from Citibank for statements closing date 12/30/22"

4. Extra Classroom Activity Fund Treasurer's Reports

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, accept the attached Extra Classroom Activity Fund Reports for the period 10/1/22 to 12/31/22."

5. SEQRA LMEC Capital Project

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Levittown Public Schools desires to embark upon the following capital improvement projects:

- Interior construction to create additional locker room space

WHEREAS, said capital improvements are subject to classification under the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and

WHEREAS, maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility are classified as Type II Actions under the current Department of Environmental Conservation SEQRA Regulations (Section 6 NYCRR 617.5 (c)(1)); and

WHEREAS, replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or a facility, in kind, on the same site, including upgrading buildings to meet building or fire codes, unless such action meets or exceeds any of the thresholds in section 617.4 are classified as Type II Actions under the current Department of Environmental Conservation SEQRA Regulations (Section 6 NYCRR 617.5 (c)(2); and

WHEREAS, the SEQRA Regulations declare Type II Actions to be actions that have no significant impact on the environment and require no further review under SEQRA; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education, as the only involved agency, has examined all information related to the capital improvement projects and has determined that the Project is classified as a Type II Action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(1) and (2) of the SEQRA Regulations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby declares itself lead agency in connection with the requirements of the State Environmental Quality Review Act; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education, after a review of the proposed action, hereby declares that the Projects are Type II Actions, which requires no further review under SEQRA."

6. Stipulation of Agreement with CSEA

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, ratify and approve the stipulation of agreement dated 1/24/23 between the Levittown UFSD and the Levittown Unit #7551 of the National Educational Local #865 of the Civil Service Employees Association, Inc. (CSEA)."

7. Appointment of Additional Member of the Food Service Committee

Inclusive

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, appoint Karen Martinez as a member of the Food Service Committee as a representative for Division Avenue High School for the 2022-2023 school year."

8. Contract with Dignity Consulting Client Services

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, approve the attached contract with Dignity Consulting Client Services for workshops for District staff on Belonging Through a Culture of Dignity from February through May 2023;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Education President is, hereby, authorized to execute the contract."

9. Contract with Performing Arts Center of Suffolk County Inc.

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED that the Levittown Board of Education approve a contract with Performing Arts Center of Suffolk County, Inc., with terms as outlined in the attached contract for multiple drops for "The Sound of Music" at Division Avenue High School for March 14 - 27, 2023;

and that the President of the Board of Education is, hereby, authorized to execute same."

10. Special Education Contracts

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, approve the attached contracts between the Levittown Public Schools and the following vendors

to provide special education services as indicated:

- Copiague Public Schools
- United Cerebral Palsy
- Henry Viscardi School
- Tiegerman School
- Variety Child Learning Center
- All About Kids/Mid Island Therapy
- Anderson Center for Autism
- ACDS
- Brookville Center for Children's Services
- The Center for Developmental Disabilities
- The Charlton School
- Developmental Disabilities
- Eden II School
- Hagedorn Little Village School
- Harmony Heights
- Kids First Evaluation
- Just Kids Early Childhood
- KIDZ Therapy Services, LLC
- Martin De Porres High School
- Metro Therapy, Inc.
- Mill Neck Manor
- Sail at Ferncliff Manor, Inc.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Education President is, hereby, authorized to execute these contracts.”

11. Out of District Contracts for Health and Welfare Services Enclosure
Recommended Motion: “RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, approve the attached contract between the Levittown Public Schools and the following school districts to provide health and welfare services to students attending schools in these districts for the school year:

- Huntington UFSD
- West Islip UFSD

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education President is, hereby, authorized to execute these contracts.”

12. Obsolete Equipment

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: “RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, declare the equipment on the attached list obsolete and that the items may be discarded and/or sold at the highest possible salvage value.”

13. Obsolete Books/Calculators

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: “RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, declare the books and calculators on the attached lists obsolete and that the items may be discarded and/or donated as possible or sold at the highest salvage value.

14. Schedules

Enclosure

“RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, approve the following schedules:

- 1001 “Resignations/Terminations, Certified Personnel”
- 1002 “Resignations/Terminations, Non-Instructional Personnel”
- 1003 “Appointments, Certified Personnel”
- 1004 “Appointments, Administration”
- 1005 “Coaching”
- 1006 “Consultants”
- 1007 “Extra-Curricular”
- 1008 “Appointments, Non-Instructional Personnel”
- 1009 “Leave of Absence, Certified Personnel”
- 1010 “Leave of Absence, Non-Instructional Personnel”
- 1011 “Salary Change, Certified Personnel”
- 1012 “Permanent Status, Non-Instructional Personnel”
- 1013 “Students with Disabilities”

V. ACTION ITEMS

A. New Business

1. Gifts to Schools

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, accept with thanks the following gifts:

- A check in the amount of \$37.20 to be used for materials for students at recess at Gardiners Avenue School from Box Tops for Education, 13700 Oakland Avenue, Highland Park, MI 48203
- A check in the amount of \$40.10 to be deposited in the Summit Lane student activity fund from Box Tops for Education, 13700 Oakland Avenue, Highland Park, MI 48203."

VI. AD HOC

VII. UPCOMING DATES

March 8 - Budget Planning Session #3/Regular Meeting

March 22 - Budget Planning Session #4/Special Meeting/Adopt Budget

VIII. MOTION TO ADJOURN