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1.	CALL TO ORDER			
	Time:pm			
2.	FLAG SALUTE			
3.	public body, the Hopatcong has been notified by mail that	o of the Open Public Meetings Board of Education hereby and at this Board of Education Reg Administration Office of the Boa	nounces that The New Jular meeting will take pla	ersey Herald ace in the
4.	ROLL CALL			
	Philip DiStefano	Anthony Fasano	Warren Gallagher	
	Peter Karpiak	Alex McLean	Robert Nicholson	
	Candice Smith	Dr. Sarah Schindelar	Carol Trumpore	
	Dr. Joanne Mullane	Carolyn B. Joseph	# of Public Quorum - YES NO	
5.	discuss personnel and attorr pursuant to New Jersey Pub discussions held by the Boar appropriate. Minutes of the confidentiality no longer exis	ne Hopatcong Board of Educations are the Hopatcong Board of Educations and the Hopatcong Board of Education and the Hopatcong Board will not be one of the Hopatcong Board will reconvene the Hopatcong Board will reconvene	exempt from public partion ben Public Meetings Act. idential will be made publicsclosed until the need	cipation Any olic when for
		otion to Return to Public Session CTION) Motion by, s	econded by	_
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6.		otion to Reconvene CTION) Motion by, s	econded by	_
	A	I in favor Ti	me:p	m
7.		ne following meetings, as report dent and members of the Boar		tary and

- May 8, 2017 Special Meeting Personnel Executive Session May 8, 2017 Special Meeting Personnel a.
- b.
- May 25, 2017 Executive Session C.
- May 25, 2017 Regular Meeting

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Motion to approve 7a – 7d:		
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by	
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Roll Call Vote

P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

8. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS/CORRESPONDENCE

a. The following students were chosen as **Hopatcong High School's** *Students of the Month* for their outstanding performance in **May, 2017**:

Sierra Simon, Senior Scholastics (Psychology)

Zariah Morman, Senior Scholastics (Forensic Psychology) **Matthew Smith, Freshmen** Specialty Area (Concert Band)

Michael Gogick, Senior Specialty Area (Introduction to CAD & Wood

Sculpture)

b. The following students were chosen as **Hopatcong High School's** *Scholar Athletes of the Month* for their outstanding performance in **May**, **2017**:

Claudia Luca, Freshmen Athletics (Girls Track)
Patrick Aufiero, Senior Athletics (Boys Track)

c. Jaime Walker, John Rishchawy, and Elena Melekos the Creative Design Team for their First Place Award in Marketing, Branding & Design by the NJ School Public Relations Association.

Kindergarten 1st Grade

d. Congratulations to the following students who are being recognized for earning perfect attendance for the 2015/2016 school year:

HUDSON MAXIM

Molly Jurgaitis

Cavden Wood

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TULSA TRAIL	
Caeden W.C. Ronda	2 nd Grade
Anthony Benson	3 rd Grade
Camrin J. Iberer	3 rd Grade
Ashlynn G. Loven	3 rd Grade
Adrian Morales	3 rd Grade
DURBAN AVENUE	
Daniel Dykstra	4 th Grade
Emily Garrison	4 th Grade
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Jack Luciani 4th Grade 4th Grade Brandon O'Mahoney 4th Grade Adrianna Pisano 4th Grade Mitchell Ryan 5th Grade Erika Dietz 5th Grade Jenna Fallon 5th Grade Sophia Garcia 5th Grade Steven George 5th Grade Ryan White

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MIDDLE SCHOOL	
Taylor Fallon	6 th Grade
Mohamed Fofanah	6 th Grade
Lindsay A. Hand	6 th Grade
Aiden İberer	6 th Grade
Jayson Morton	6 th Grade
Fiona Reed	6 th Grade
Kate Lynn Smith	6 th Grade
David Garcia	7 th Grade
Chloe O'Mahoney	7 th Grade
Matthew R. Palmer	7 th Grade
HIGH SCHOOL	
Tyler Crowley	9 th Grade
Jessica L. Du	9 th Grade
Korina Hand	9 th Grade
Claudia Colby Luca	9 th Grade
Lauren Riker	9 th Grade
Isaiah J. Vizueta	9 th Grade
Alexander N. Wied	9 th Grade
Kyle T. Cinnamon	10 th Grade
Blake W. Corbett	10 th Grade
Jennifer L. Coulman	10 th Grade
Cristhian Interiano	10 th Grade
Furkan C. Peltek	10 th Grade
Skylar A. Dingman	11 th Grade

- **e.** Congratulations to the High School, Middle School and Durban Avenue school students for their High Honor and Honor Roll rankings for the fourth marking period.
- **f.** On June 6, 2017, the following Seniors were awarded Academic scholarships as noted below. Congratulations to all!!!

Award Superintendent's Roundtable Award	Recipient Kelly Maegerlein
Paula Mae Bandler "Smile" Scholarship	Marguerite Ellicott, Christopher Kaminski
Thank You for Your Service Award	Devin Bellotti, Dmitreus Cardines, Cameron Dinulos, Andrew Giordano, Dylan Hess, Aubrey McCarrick, Christopher Sanford
Robert Thomas Law Enforcement Scholarship	Siera Simon
Richard H. Hodson Award in Physics	Justin Feliciano
West Side Methodist Church Peacemakers Award	Alexa Yanko
Sussex County Scholar Athlete Award	Siera Simon
2017 Thomas B. Trudgeon Scholarship	Bart Yarosz
2017 Kevin Bartilotta Scholarship	Christian Mott

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Award Gregory Pellinger Scholarship of the Arts	Recipient Caitlin Gartley, Michael Umholtz
Gregory Fenniger Scholarship of the Arts	Cattill Gartiey, Wichael Offinoliz
Dr. A.R. Gianni & Dorothea R. Gianni Scholarships	Leeanndra Mahabir, Nicole Schwarz
Hopatcong Day Plus Scholarship	Jodi Callaghan, Julia Owens, Rachel Fischer,
Hopatcong Association of Principals and Supervisors Scholarship	Christopher Sanford, Samantha Serocke Jodi Callaghan
Kristina Rose Threlkeld Memorial Scholarship	Nicole Schwarz
Barbara Carlon Character Award	Julia Owens
Michael Wills Memorial Scholarship	Sophia Milan
Lake Hopatcong Rotary Scholarship	Erin Ross, Nicole Schwarz, Mallory Vicedomini, Julia Owens, Siera Simon, Michael Umholtz
Hopatcong Women's Club Scholarship	Natalia Laskowska, Nicole Schwarz
Paul D. Pinsonault Memorial Foundation Scholarship	Michael Umholtz, Kristina Feeley, Sophia Tan
Hopatcong Fire Company #4 Robert Nowatnick & Robert Yates Scholarships	Siera Simon, Justin Feliciano
Kevin Natale Memorial Scholarship	Jillian Onstad
Kiwanis Club of Lenape Valley Scholarship	Michael Umholtz
Hopatcong Education Association Scholarship	Patrick Aufiero
Hopatcong High School's PTSO Scholarship	Liam Cook, Emilee Metzger, Christian Mott, Julia Owens, Nicole Rodick, Aaron Russo, Michael Umholtz, Mallory Vicedomini, Brianne Willis, Alexa Yanko
Hopatcong High School Chiefs Booster Club Scholarship	Julia Owens, Destinee Tor, Michael Umholtz, Mallory Vicedomini, Brianne Willis, Alexa Yanko, Emilee Metzger
JoAnn Bromirski-Lange Memorial Scholarship	Elisa Campos
John A. Hinlicky Memorial Scholarship	Kelly Maegerlein
Shop-Rite Awards – Personality & Common Sense, Community Service	Patrick Aufiero, Angel Holmes
Just Give Back Scholarship	Samantha Serocke
Highliters Twirlers in Memory of Diane Lerman and Sandra Nicholas	Michael Umholtz
Hopatcong High School Drama Parents Association	Michael Umholtz, Rhiannon Bender, Nicole Schwarz,

Alejandra Flores

Scholarship

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Award Recipient
VFW Music Award Nicole Schwarz

Creative Writing Award Rhiannon Bender

National Honor Society Award Angel Holmes

National Honor Society Service Award Michael Umholtz

Alyssa Ruggieri Memorial Scholarship Kelly Maegerlein

Student Council Leadership Award Anthony Melillo

Hopatcong Jaycees/Mike Juskus Olympic Scholarship Michael Hon

The "Blummer" Award James O'Brien

Hopatcong Republican Club Scholarship Michael Umholtz, Siera Simon

Hopatcong Warriors Scholarships - Cheerleading & Football Samantha Serocke, Destinee Tor, Bart Yarosz, Christopher

Sanford

Byram Bus Scholarship Cameron Dinulos

Class of 2017 Yearbook Dedication Ms. Christine Kalemba

Class of 2017 Teacher of Excellence Award Mr. Jon Rischawy

9. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT AND HIB REPORT

- a. Superintendent's Report Dr. Joanne Mullane
- b. Presentation Danica Berchin (Freshman) Danica's design theme, was chosen as the theme for a tile mural replicating the tile memorial at the US Holocaust Museum in Washington, DC. This project was the result of the incorporation of Project Based Learning, Arts Integration and Chromebooks in the classroom.
- **c.** Presentation of each school's activities:
 - High School Liaisons: Michael Umholtz, Dontese Cocchio, Kelly Maegerlein, Sierra Simon
 - 2) Middle School Liaisons: Alex McLean, Shannon O'Sullivan
 - 3) Durban Avenue- Tracey Hensz, Principal
 - 4) Tulsa Trail Brian Byrne, Principal
 - 5) Hudson Maxim School Katherine McFadden, Principal
- **d.** A second reading and approval of the Superintendent's HIB Report for May, 2017 as presented to the Board at the Regular meeting on May 25, 2017. Approval of the HIB report for June, 2017 for first reading and review.

Motion to approve Superint	tendent's HIB report 9d:	
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by	
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Roll Call Vote

P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

10. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Curriculum, Technology, Special Education Chairperson, Candice Smith
- b. Community Relations Chairperson, Warren Gallagher III
- c. Finance, Facilities, Transportation Chairperson, Carol Trumpore
- d. Policy and Legislation Chairperson, Phil DiStefano
- e. Negotiations Chairperson, Rob Nicholson
- f. Personnel Chairperson, Peter Karpiak
- g. High School HHSPTSO Karen Solimando, President
- h. Middle School PTO Kelly Csengeto, President
- i. Elementary PTO Jennifer Caban

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11. PUBLIC COMMENT – AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

12. FINANCE

Approval of the following finance items, **12a-12o**, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Finance Committee of the Board:

a. Approval of bills for the General Fund and Special Revenue (Grants) account, May 25, 2017 through June 26, 2017, in the following amount:

General Fund and Special Revenue (Grants) account - \$843,094.83 Cafeteria account - \$62,860.12

- **b.** Approval of Regular bills for May 25th to June 26th for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account, in the amount of \$276,838.16.
- **c.** Approval of Bus Contractor bills for July 14th for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account, in the amount of \$3,361,147.73.
- **d.** Approval of the Transfer Reports for the months of April and May 2017.
- e. Approval of the Board Secretary's Reports for the months of April and May 2017.
- f. Approval of the Treasurer's Reports for the months of April and May 2017.
- g. Approval of the certification by the Board Secretary pursuant to N.J.A.C. that no budgetary line item has been overexpended in the 2016-2017 budget in violation of N.J.A.C. 6:202.12(a).

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h. Approval to accept the Funding Allocation and apply for the IDEA-B grant for Fiscal Year 2018:

Grant	\$ Allocation
IDEA Basic	\$549,266
IDEA Preschool	\$19,814
IDEA Total	\$596,080

- i. Approval for submission of the IDEA-B Fiscal Year 2018 grant.
- **j.** Approval of Educational Data Service, Inc. as a vendor for purchases of supplies for the 2017/2018 school year.
- **k.** Approval of the following resolution at the recommendation of the Superintendent:

WHEREAS, the Hopatcong Board of Education ("Board") has determined to enter into a settlement with the Hopatcong Education Association ("HEA") and Employee No. 80201 to resolve a dispute:

WHEREAS, the HEA and Employee No. 80201 executed a Settlement Agreement with the Board on April 24, 2017;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board that, the Board approves the Settlement agreement between the Board and the HEA and Employee No. 80201;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board approves and authorizes payment of the agreed–upon settlement amount to Employee No. 80201.

- I. Approval of Cross Roads Pavement and Maintenance, Nutley, NJ, for paving of the Hilltop roadway in the amount of \$34,000. (3 quotes were obtained).
- **m.** Approval to accept the proposal from PCG, Princeton, NJ to execute an Operational Efficiency Audit for the amount of \$146,000 plus travel expenses to commence June 27, 2017.
- **n.** Approval of the authorization to Transfer Funds to the Capital Reserve:

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:21-2, N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-31, and N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-41 permit a Board of Education to establish and/or deposit into certain reserve accounts at year end, and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned statutes authorize procedures, under the authority of the Commissioner of Education, which permit a Board of Education to transfer unanticipated excess current revenue or unexpended appropriations into reserve accounts during the month of June by board resolution, and

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WHEREAS, the Hopatcong Board of Education wishes to transfer an amount not to exceed \$500,000 unanticipated excess current year revenue or unexpended appropriations from the general fund into the Capital Reserve account.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Hopatcong Board of Education that it hereby authorizes the district's School Business Administrator to make these transfers consistent with all applicable laws and regulations.

o. Approval to continue the services of the following vendors as needed for the 2017/2018 school year:

Vendor
Accurate Pest Control
Tulpenhocken Mountain Spring Water
Action Elevator
Adam's Fire Protection
Reliable Plumbing
The Heating Man
Johnny Dee's Glass

p. Approval to continue the services of the following agencies and vendors as needed for the 2017/2018 school year:

Agency/Vendor
Applied Behavioral Consulting, LLC – ABA and behavioral consulting – professional
development
Arc of NJ, Inc – vocational services
Atlantic Private Care Services – nursing services
Dr. Dale M. Jacobs – neuropsychiatric evaluation
Dr. Norman Ladov – Psychiatrist & nuerology
Dr. Sanjeevani Jain, MD - Psychiatrist
J & B Therapy, LLC – OT services
Judith Wolff – CPR Instructor
Phonak Hearing Systems – FM systems
Summit Speech School – Audiology consultation services

- **q.** Approval to hire Anthony Gianforcaro, architect, to assist with the development of the Tulsa Trail Makerspace.
- **r.** Approval to award the following bids:
 - 1. <u>Loudspeaker Paging System and Emergency Notification Solution</u>
 E.Comm Technologies Inc. Fairfield, NJ (Attorney approved).......\$56,490
 (no other bidder)

2.	ERC 60 MIL-EPDM Wind Vented Roof System with 25 year warranty	
	Kraft Roofing, Vernon, NJ (Attorney approved)	\$286,025
	Multi Roof Maintenance	\$329 000

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Motion to approve Financ	ce 12a-12r:	
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by _	
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				Roll Call Vote
P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

13. PERSONNEL

Approval of the following personnel items **13a-13cc**, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Personnel Committee of the Board:

- a. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board approves a contract, pending recommendation by the Executive County Superintendent and approval by the Commissioner of Education, for the position of Acting Superintendent for Dr. Joanne Mullane, who shall serve in the role of Acting Superintendent until such time as the current Superintendent, Cynthia Randina, returns from medical leave, or the Board takes further action.
- **b.** Approval of the resignation, with regret, of **Jeffrey Ryder**, from his position as a Social Studies Teacher at Hopatcong High School, for the purpose of retirement, at an annual salary of \$93,385, effective November 1, 2017. Mr. Ryder has served the district for 32 years.
- **c.** Approval of the resignation, with regret, of **Francine Remaly**, from her position as School Library Media Specialist at Hopatcong Middle and High Schools, for the purpose of retirement, at an annual salary of \$85,635, effective July 1, 2017. Ms. Remaly has served the district for 17 years.
- **d.** Approval of the resignation, with regret, of **Susan Justus**, from her position as Paraprofessional at Durban Avenue School, for the purpose of retirement, at an annual salary of \$19,112, effective July 1, 2017. Ms. Justus has served the district for 31 years.
- **e.** Approval of the resignation, with regret, of **Rosemarie lannuzzi**, from her position as Paraprofessional at Durban Avenue School, at an annual salary of \$12,131, effective June 22, 2017. Ms. lannuzzi has served the district for 8 years.
- **f.** Approval of the resignation, with regret, of **Ruth Mayegayeg**, from her position as Paraprofessional at Hudson Maxim School, at an annual salary of \$12,910, effective June 1, 2017.
- **g.** Approval of the following **transfer recommendation** based on staffing needs for the 2016-2017 school year:

	NAME	TRANSFER FROM	TRANSFER TO	EFFECTIVE
Par	mela Brennan	Secondary Academic Coach	HS Special Education/Secondary Academic Coach	June 5, 2017

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h. Approval of merit pay for the 2016-2017 school year for the following HOPA Secretary staff members, based upon successful evaluations:

Name	Title	Merit Pay
Annett, Donna	Secretary to the HS Principal	\$1,020
Fischer, Michelle	Facilities Secretary	\$850
Galfo, Mary Beth	Xerox Services	\$856
Gates, Deborah	Secretary to the MS Principal	\$1,020
Gordon Sant, Melissa	Secretary to the Athletic Director	\$972
Grieco, Annette	Secretary to the Durban Avenue Principal	\$936
Juskus, Brittany	Secretary to the HS Assistant Principal	\$847
Kincaid, Melissa	Curriculum Secretary	\$922
Marrazzo, Ana	Secretary to the Hudson Maxim Principal	\$936
Melekos, Elena	Secretary to the Director of Guidance	\$850
O'Hare, Maureen	Secretary to the Tulsa Trail Principal	\$922
Schwab, Katie	Curriculum Secretary	\$510
Smith, Lynne	CST Secretary	\$1,003
Tappan, Linda	Secretary to the MS Assistant Principal	\$868
Wilcock, Mary Anne	CST Secretary	\$958
Yanko, Stacey	High School Guidance Secretary	\$850

i. Approval of merit pay for the 2016-2017 school year for the following Confidential staff members, based upon successful evaluations:

Name	Title	Merit Pay
Bisignani, Kyle	Lead Technologist	\$2,000
DeBoer, Dawn	Assistant to the Superintendent/HR	\$2,000
Fiorella, Holly	Admin Assistant to the Superintendent	\$2,000
Mulholland, John	Technologist	\$1,000
Paul		
Reyes, Ronald	Technologist	\$750
Roe, Mary Anne	Transportation Coordinator	\$2,000
Schwab, Kathy	Payroll/Benefits Coordinator	\$2,000
Talmadge, Tracey	Assistant to the Business Administrator	\$500
Ward, Kathy	Secretary to the Business Administrator	\$2,000

j. Approval of the following 2016-2017 Coaches for the Hopatcong High School:

Name	Nature	Position	Class	Level	Salary	Date	Date
	of Action					Effective	Terminated
Traci Duffy	Resign	Head Boys Tennis	В	4	\$5,034	9/1/2016	6/30/2017
		Coach					
Heather DelBagno	Resign	Assistant Boys	В	4	\$3,287	9/1/2016	6/30/2017
		Tennis Coach					
Heather DelBagno	Appoint	Head Boys Tennis	В	4	\$5,034	9/1/2016	6/30/2017
		Coach					

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k. Approval of the following 2016-2017 Advisors for the Hopatcong High School:

Name	Nature	Position	Class	Level	Salary	Date	Date
	of Action					Effective	Terminated
Brook Ganguzza	Resign	Spring Weight Room			\$1,100	9/1/2016	6/30/2017
Name	Nature	Position	Class	Level	Salary	Date	Date
	of Action					Effective	Terminated
Gary Andolena	Appoint	Spring Weight Room			\$1,100	9/1/2016	6/30/2017

- I. Approval of the request of Kristine Mendyk for a Maternity Leave of Absence from her position as an Academic Skills Teacher of 40 Sick Days during the period of September 5, 2017 to October 31, 2017, followed by New Jersey Family Leave of Absence/Federal Leave of Absence for the period of November 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017.
- m. Approval of the 2017-18 Employment Contract for Neil Piro, Facilities Supervisor.
- **n.** Approval of the employment of **Theresa Trivento** as Personal Nurse at a salary of \$48,421 effective September 1, 2017.
- o. Approval of the employment of Mary Dinnocenzo as Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant at a salary of \$69,415 based upon the 2017/2018 Salary Guide Level MA/Step 12, effective September 1, 2017.
- **p.** Approval of the employment of **Christine Hjorth** as Grade 1 Teacher at a salary of \$58,983 based upon the 2017/2018 Salary Guide Level BA+15/Step 6, effective September 1, 2017.
- **q.** Approval of the employment of **Amanda Lentino** as 0.4 Psychology Teacher at a salary of \$25,053 based upon the 2017/2018 Salary Guide Level MA/Step 3, effective September 1, 2017.
- r. Approval of Victor Jimenez as Summer Technology Assistant at the salary of \$16.00 per hour for 6 hours per day, 4 days per week, Monday-Thursday from July 10, 2017 to August 31, 2017.
- s. Extended School Year Programs

NOTE: Programs and staffing recommendations are made in order to remain in compliance with N.J.A.C. 6A: 14 (Special Education Code).

Secondary Learning/Language Disabled (LLD) Program

.....July 5th through August 10th, Monday through Thursday, 4 ½ hours per day

• Aide: Anna Hancock \$1,089.00

K & 1st grade Learning/Language Disabled (LLD) Programs

.....July 5th through July 27th, Monday through Thursday, 5 ½ hours per day

• Teacher: Deborah Kranz \$2,695.00

t. Approval of the following for 2017-2018 Title I Summer Program to be paid \$35.00 per hour for a total of twenty-two (22) hours per week, from July 5, 2017 to July 27, 2017:

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Name	Assignment
DeMetro, Dana,	Grade 1
Rowbotham, Melanie	Kindergarten

u. Approval of the employment of the following teachers as ESI Screening teachers for Hudson Maxim School for the months of July and August 2017, on an as needed basis:

Melanie Rowbotham

Jennifer Bisignani

Mary Nee

- v. Approval of the employment of **Kenneth Olsen** as Credit Recovery Advisor for the Summer Acellus Program during the period of June 22, 2017 to August 31, 2017 at an hourly rate of \$35 per hour, not to exceed a total of \$1,800.
- **w.** Approval of the employment of the following teachers as Camp Innovate personnel for Camp Innovate 2017 during the months of July and August 2017:

Name	Position	Total	Days Per	Hours	Pay Per	Total
		Weeks	Week	Per Day	Hour	Approved
Donna Cerrato	Literacy Instructor	6	4	5	\$35	\$4,200
Norman Sutton	Literacy Instructor	6	4	5	\$35	\$4,200
Stephanie Martinez	Lead Teacher	6	4	5	\$28	\$3,360
Kelly Colonna	21 st Century Educator	6	4	5	\$35	\$4,200
Craig Vallaro	21 st Century Educator	6	4	5	\$35	\$4,200
Dorothe Stauffer	Module Teacher	4	4	5	\$35	\$2,800
Danielle Ferrara	Module Teacher	3	4	5	\$35	\$2,100
Kellie Kontozoglus	Module Teacher	3	4	5	\$35	\$2,100
Kimberly Boucher	Module Teacher	2	4	5	\$35	\$1,400
Susan Hill	Module Teacher	2	4	5	\$35	\$1,400
Nancy Drury	Module Teacher	2	4	5	\$35	\$1,400
Michelle Tumminelli	Module Teacher	2	4	5	\$35	\$1,400
Martina Villani	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700
Sharon Haggerty	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700
Joanne Carr	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700
Peter Oesen	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700
Jamie Douglas	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700
Jennifer Neu	Module Teacher	1	4	5	\$35	\$700

x. Approval of the Fall 2017-2018 Athletic Coaches for the Hopatcong High School:

Name	Nature	Position	Class	Level	Salary	Date	Date
	of Action					Effective	Terminated
Mike Moschella	Appoint	Head Football Coach	Α	4	\$7,712.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Gary Andolena	Appoint	Asst. Football Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kevin Malkin	Appoint	Asst. Football Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Joseph Moschella	Appoint	Asst. Football Coach	Α	2	\$3,666.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Mike Landshof	Appoint	Asst. Football Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
John Marx	Appoint	Asst. Football Coach	Α	1	\$3,187.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Brook Ganguzza	Appoint	Head Boys Soccer	Α	4	\$7,712.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
		Coach					

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Toby Richards	Appoint	Asst. Boys Soccer Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Wilson Cusano	Appoint	Head Girls Soccer Coach	А	4	\$7,712.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Katerina Visha	Appoint	Asst. Girls Soccer Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jennifer Dixon	Appoint	Head Fall Cheerleading Coach	В	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jill Vicedomini	Appoint	Asst. Fall Cheerleading Coach	В	4	\$3,287.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Hayley Vicedomini	Appoint	Asst. Fall Cheerleading Coach	В	2	\$2,383.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Traci Duffy	Appoint	Head Girls Tennis Coach	В	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Heather DelBagno	Appoint	Asst. Girls Tennis Coach	В	4	\$3,287.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Pete Oesen	Appoint	Head Cross Country Coach	Α	4	\$7,712.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jamie Douglas	Appoint	Asst. Cross Country Coach	Α	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kurt Zimmermann	Appoint	Head Marching Band	В	4	\$5,034.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018
Fred Moreno	Appoint	Drill Team	В	4	\$3,287.00	7/1/2017	6/30/2018

y. Approval of the following teachers to perform summer curriculum work beginning July 1, 2017:

Subject	New Course or Update	Estimated Hours	Provider	Total cost to the district
Kindergarten Writer's Workshop	New	20	Melanie Rowbotham	\$560
Grade 1 Writer's Workshop	New	10	Dana DeMetro	\$280
Grade 1 Writer's Workshop	New	10	Kelly Colonna	\$280
Grade 5 Writer's Workshop	New	10	Melissa Dean	\$280
Grade 5 Writer's Workshop	New	10	Lindsey Amelio	\$280
Grade 6 ELA	Update	5	Joanne Canizaro	\$140
Grade 6 ELA	Update	5	Candice Kouris	\$140
Grade 7 ELA	Update	10	Barbara Parichuk	\$280
Grade 8 ELA	Update	5	McKenzie Norris	\$140
Grade 8 ELA	Update	5	Pamela Brennan	\$140
English 3 AP	New	20	Christine Kalemba	\$560
English 4 AP	New	20	Christine Kalemba	\$560
Kindergarten Science	New	20	Melanie Rowbotham	\$560
Grade 1 Science	New	10	Dana DeMetro	\$280
Grade 1 Science	New	10	Kelly Colonna	\$280
Grade 2 Science	New	10	Emily Minervini	\$280

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Subject	New Course or Update	Estimated Hours	Provider	Total cost to the district
Grade 2 Science	New	10	Audra Bauer	\$280
Grade 3 Science	New	20	Christina Munoz	\$560
Grade 4 Science	New	20	Carmela Catizone	\$560
Grade 5 Science	New	20	Chrisitna Munoz	\$560
Grade 6 Earth and Space Science	New	20	Eric Shramko	\$560
Grade 7 Physical Science	New	20	Leeanne Juliano	\$560
Grade 8 Life Science	Update	10	Mary Burns	\$280
HS Biology CP	Update	5	Joanne Carr	\$140
HS Biology CP	Update	5	Peter Oesen	\$140
HS Chemistry in the Community CP	New	20	Stephanie Martinez	\$560
HS Physics Essentials (LLD)	New	20	Michael Batche	\$560
Grade 7 Advanced Math	New	20	James McKowen	\$560
Grade 7 Math	Update	10	James McKowen	\$280
Grade 8 Math	Update	10	Richard Anderson	\$280
AP Calculus BC	New	20	Michael Landshof	\$560
HS Intro to Computer Science	New	20	Victor Jimenez	\$560

z. Approval of the following 2017 Summer/Seasonal employees to be chosen as replacements and/or substitutes in the Facilities Department:

<u>Last Name</u>	First Name	<u>Pay</u>
Benfatti	Cole	\$8.44
Cook	Ryan	\$8.44
Cuthis	Dylan	\$11.00
Gaccione	Michael	\$8.44
Mueller	Kurt	\$11.00
Nelson	Jessie	\$11.00
Raff	Megan	\$11.00
Solimando	Dominic	\$11.00
Stewart	Francesca	\$11.00
Ward	Thomas	\$11.00
Walton	Brooke	\$8.44

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aa. Approval for the following Education students to conduct a field experience in the Hopatcong School District during the 2017-2018 school year:

Student Name	Semester	University	Experience	School	Cooperating Staff Member
Michael Scanelli	Fall 2017	Kutztown Univ	600 hr internship	District Wide	Ms. Shuffenhauer
Jennifer Panetta	Fall 2017	Centenary Univ.	600 hr internship	High School	Ms. Padula
Sophie Kohler	Fall 2017	Caldwell Univ	300 hr internship	Hudson Maxim	Ms. Schuffenhauer
Lauryn Neary	Fall 2017	Centenary Univ.	Field placemen	Durban Ave.	Ms. Moschella
Stephanie Martinez	Summer 2017 Fall 2017	University of Scranton	Practicum Experience	High School	Mr. Benfatti/ Dr. Mullane

bb. Approval of the renewal of all substitutes currently active on the Aesop Substitute List and approval of the substitute pay scale.

cc. Approval of substitute teachers, custodians and van drivers, as per the substitute list.

C. Smith

Motion to approve Personnel 13a-13cc:				
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by			
, , ,	DISCUSSION			

			Roll Call Vote	
A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson	

C. Trumpore

14. STUDENTS & SERVICES

S. Schindelar

P. DiStefano

A. McLean

Approval of the following Students and Services items, **14a – 14h**, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Curriculum/Technology/Special Education Committee of the Board:

- **a.** Approval for educational instruction services for **Student No. 412021** for up to 5 hours per week beginning May 24, 2017. Instruction will be provided by St. Clare's Hospital at a rate of \$55.00 per hour.
- **b.** Approval for an out of district placement at Northern Hills Academy for **Student No. 999017.** The pro-rated tuition, aide and additional therapies for the remainder of the 2016/2017 school year is \$12,607.32.
- **c.** Approval for home instruction services for **Student No. 11116** for up to 10 hours per week beginning May 17, 2017. It is anticipated this will be through June 21, 2017. Instruction will be provided by Hopatcong certificated staff at the rate of \$35.00 per hour.
- **d.** Approval for educational instruction services for **Student No. 11702** for up to 5 hours per week beginning June 9, 2017. Instruction will be provided by St. Clare's Hospital at the rate of \$55.00 per hour.

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- **e.** Approval to continue to use **Susan Milovich** and **JoAnne Flexser** as home instruction tutors for the 2017/2018 school year at the Board approved rate of \$35.00 per hour on an as needed basis.
- **f.** Approval to continue to use all Hopatcong Certificated Staff as home instruction tutors for the 2017/2018 school year at the Board approved rate or \$35.00 per hour on an as needed basis.

g. Approval for the following out of district 2017 Extended School Year Programs:

OOD School	Student ID	Duration	Tentative	Aide (if
	#		Tuition	required)
			Rate	
Burlington Cty				
Special Ed	11207	7/5/17-8/1/17	3,700.00	
DCCF-Limitless	11327	7/10/17-8/9/17	5,425.00	2,250.00
DCCF-Limitless	411931	7/10/17-8/9/17	5,425.00	2,250.00
DCCF-Limitless	13700	7/10/17-8/9/17	5,425.00	
Glenview				
Academy	11837	7/10/17-8/18/17	10,652.10	
Harbor Haven	12031	6/27/17-8/11/17	8,950.00	
Midland School	11942	7/5/17-8/15/17	9683.70	
Montgomery				
Academy	406919	7/3/17-7/31/17	6,841.40	
New Beginnings	411965	7/10/17-8/18/17	10,141.50	5,400.00
Roxbury Bd of				
Ed-Eisenhower				
Middle School	12591	7/5/17-8/8/17	5,352.25	
Roxbury Bd of				
Ed- High School	10643	7/5/17-8/8/17	6,995.70	
Roxbury Bd of				
Ed- High School	13821	7/5/17-8/8/17	6,995.70	
Shepard School	11953	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,075.00	
Shepard School	13492	7/5/17-8/15/17	8,613.90	
SCEC-Northern				
Hills Academy	11977	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,395.00	
SCEC-Northern				
Hills Academy	13516	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,395.00	
SCEC-Northern				
Hills Academy	999017	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,395.00	5,085.64
SCEC-Northern				
Hills Academy	13542	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,395.00	1,695.22

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SCEC-Northern Hills Academy	412021	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,395.00	
Windsor				
Learning Center	116260	7/5/17-8/15/17	9,150.00	

h. Approval of the field trip requests, as required by the New Jersey Department of Education.

Motion to approve Students and Services 14a – 14h:		
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by	
	DISCUSSION	

Roll Call Vote

P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

15. CURRICULUM

Approval of the following item, **15a and 15b**, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Curriculum/Technology/Special Education Committee of the Board:

- **a.** Approval of the NJDOE Bilingual/ESL Three-year Program Plan which is a mandatory document for the NJDOE. It outlines district compliance and program data.
- **b.** Approval of the use of Hopatcong Football equipment, specifically shoulder pads and helmets, during the Hopatcong High School Football team's attendance at the National Wing-T Camp at Roxbury High School from June 27 through June 29, 2017.

Motion to approve Curriculum 15a – 15b:			
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by		
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Roll Call Vote

P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

16. TRAVEL

Resolved, that the Hopatcong Board of Education approve travel costs as related in this resolution, which are educationally necessary and fiscally prudent and are related to and within the scope of the employee's current responsibilities and promotes the delivery of instruction or furthers the efficient operation of the school district. The reimbursements listed in this resolution are in compliance with the state travel reimbursement guidelines as established by the Department of the Treasury and Board of Education policy in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23B-1.1. seq.

Motion to approve Trave	e in the amount of \$853.73:
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by
	DISCUSSION

Roll Call Vote

P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson	1
A McLean	S Schindelar	C Smith	C Trumpore		

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17. POLICIES & REGULATIONS

a. Approval of modifications and additions to the policies and regulations of the Hopatcong Board of Education in accordance with statutory and regulatory changes for approval, as revised, for **FIRST READING**:

Policy #	<u>Title</u>
P 1240	Evaluation of Superintendent (M) (Revised)
P 3126	District Mentoring Program (Recommended, Revised)
P 3221	Evaluation of Teachers (M) (Revised)
P 3222	Evaluation of Teaching Staff Members, Excluding Teachers and
	Administrators (M) (Revised)
P 3223	Evaluation of Administrators, Excluding Principals, Vice Principals
	and Assistant Principals (M) (Revised)
P 3224	Evaluation of Principals, Vice Principals, and Assistant Principals
	(M) (Revised)

Regulation #	<u>Title</u>
R 1240	Evaluation of Superintendent (M) (Revised)
R 3126	District Mentoring Program (Recommended, Revised)
R 3221	Evaluation of Teachers (M) (Revised)
R 3222	Evaluation of Teaching Staff Members, Excluding Teachers and Administrators (M) (Revised)
R 3223	Evaluation of Administrators, Excluding Principals, Vice Principals, and Assistant Principals (M) (Revised)
R 3224	Evaluation of Principals, Vice Principals, and Assistant Principals (M) (Revised)

b. Approval of modifications and additions to the policies and regulations of the Hopatcong Board of Education in accordance with statutory and regulatory changes for approval, as revised, for **SECOND READING**:

Bylaw #	<u>Title</u>
0000.02	The Introduction Bylaw (M) (Revised)

Motion to approve Policies and Regulations 17a - 17b: (ACTION)Motion by______, seconded by ______ DISCUSSION

P. DiStefano __ A. Fasano __W. Gallagher __P. Karpiak __R. Nicholson __A. McLean __S. Schindelar __C. Smith __C. Trumpore

19. SUSSEX COUNTY REGIONAL COOPERATIVE

Approval of the following items, 19a-19u, at the recommendation of the Superintendent:

- **a.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of the following district(s) as a new member(s) of the Transportation Cooperative for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A:
 - 1) Union Twsp BOE (Hunterdon Cty)
- 2) Jamesburg BOE
- 3) N.Warren Reg High School District
- 4) Lenape Regional HSD (Shamong, NJ)

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- **b.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation quotations for Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- c. The Superintendent recommends the award of student transportation contracts for quoted Special Education Routes to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor companies for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **d.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation quotations for Athletic/Class/Field Trips for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- e. The Superintendent recommends the award of student transportation contracts for quoted Athletic/Class/Field Trips to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor companies for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **f.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* and *approval* of Addendums to the routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **g.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation bids submitted on May 30th for Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **h.** The Superintendent recommends the *rejection* of non-compliant student transportation bids submitted on May 30th for Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- i. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation contracts to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the May 30th Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- j. The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation bids submitted on May 31st for Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **k.** The Superintendent recommends the *rejection* of non-compliant student transportation bids submitted on May 31st for Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- I. The Superintendent recommends the award of student transportation contracts to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the May 31st Special Education Routes for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **m.** The Superintendent recommends the *award* of a non-public student transportation route for Reverend Brown/Pope John/Hilltop/Veritas for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.

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- n. The Superintendent recommends the approval of a Joint Transportation Agreement (HPS-1210) with High Point Regional HSD going to Chapel Hill Academy from 5/23 to 6/30/17 for a joiner cost of \$2,451.20 as listed on Exhibit A.
- **o.** The Superintendent recommends the *renewal* of Route E-175 going to Lamberts Mills Academy for the 2016-17 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **p.** The Superintendent recommends the *employment* of Bus Drivers and Attendants for the 2017 Summer Extended School Year at the hourly rates listed on Exhibit A.
- **q.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of employment contracts for and the *appointment* of Sussex Cooperative Office staff at the annual salary rates for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **r.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of employment contracts for Bus Drivers and Attendants for the 2017-18 school year (Sept June) at the hourly rates as listed on Exhibit A.
- **s.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of the May 26th to June 26th Regular Bills & Claims List for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account, in the amount of \$276,838.16. (For normal recurring items: cell phones, vehicle leases, office supplies, vehicle parts & repairs, etc.)
- t. The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of the July 14th Bus Contractor Bill List for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account, in the amount of \$3,361,147.73. (For bus contractor payment of services rendered in May and June checks to be released on Friday, July 14th.)
- **u.** The Superintendent and Director of Transportation recommend the *adoption* of the following resolution pertaining to F&A Transportation of Glen Ridge, New Jersey:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, *N.J.S.A.* 18A:18A-4 allows the Hopatcong Board of Education ("Board") to disqualify a bidder who would otherwise be determined to be the lowest responsible bidder, if the Board finds that it has had prior negative experience with the bidder within the past 10 years; and

WHEREAS, *N.J.S.A.* 18A:18A-4 defines prior negative experience as, among other things, the bidder defaulting on a contract that required the Board to utilize the services of another contractor to perform the services or to complete the contract; and

WHEREAS, during the 2016-17 school year, the Board, through the Sussex County Regional Transportation Cooperative ("SCRTC"), contracted with F&A Transportation ("F&A") to provide transportation services; and

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WHEREAS, F&A defaulted on the contract with the Board, leading to the Board terminating the contract and contracting with others contractors to complete the services; and

WHEREAS, the Board, through the Board Attorney, provided F&A with written notice that: (1) the Board is considering disqualifying F&A; (2) the reasons for disqualification; and (3) that F&A has the right to a hearing before the Board; and

WHEREAS, upon review of the reasons for the disqualification outlined in the written notice provided to F&A, the Board finds that it is in the best interest of the Hopatcong School District and SCRTC to disqualify F&A from being awarded contracts with the Board or SCRTC for a period of five years; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, after due consideration and for the reasons set forth above, the Board finds that F&A Transportation is hereby disqualified from being awarded contracts with the Board or SCRTC for a period of five years pursuant to *N.J.S.A.* 18A:18A-4.

Motion to approve items 19a −19u:				
	(ACTION)Motion by		, seconded by DISCUSSION	
				Roll Call Vote
P. DiStefano	A. Fasano	W. Gallagher	P. Karpiak	R. Nicholson
_A. McLean	S. Schindelar	C. Smith	C. Trumpore	

20. PUBLIC COMMENT - GENERAL DISCUSSION

21. BOARD OF EDUCATION - MEMBER COMMENTS

 A Special Meeting on July 6, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. to rehire Paraprofessionals for the 2017/2018 school year with Executive Session commencing at 6:30 p.m.

22. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn: (ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by	
All in favor	Time:	pm