

Sussex County Ed. Services Commission - Anthony Fasano Liaisons to Borough Council - Sarah Schindelar, Carol Trumpore, Warren Gallagher School Wide Alliance Team - Candice Smith Sussex County Regional Cooperative Liaison - Carol Trumpore Municipal Alliance - Philip DiStefano, Robert Nicholson (alternate)

School and Parent Organization Liaisons: Hudson Maxim - Rob Nicholson, Sarah Schindelar Tulsa Trail - Candice Smith Durban Avenue – Warren Gallagher Middle School - Candice Smith

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Warren Gallagher* Candice Smith Rob Nicholson Anthony Fasano



PERSONNEL

Peter Karpiak* Candice Smith Sarah Schindelar Carol Trumpore

CURRICULUM/TECHNOLOGY/SPECIAL **EDUCATION**

Candice Smith*

Philip DiStefano Warren Gallagher Carol Trumpore

NEGOTIATIONS

Rob Nicholson* Peter Karpiak Sarah Schindelar Anthony Fasano

* Chairperson

FINANCE/FACILITIES/TRANSPORTATION

Carol Trumpore* Sarah Schindelar Warren Gallagher Alex McLean

POLICY/LEGISLATION

Philip DiStefano* Rob Nicholson Alex McLean Anthony Fasano

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CALL TO ORDER

FLAG SALUTE

Time: _____pm

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3.	OPENING STATEMENT In accordance with Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975, this public body, the Hopatcong Board of Education hereby announces that The New Jersey Herald has been notified by mail that this Board of Education Regular meeting will take place in the Board Meeting room at the Administration Office of the Board of Education, Hopatcong, NJ, a 7:00 p.m. September 25, 2017.					
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 atte pursuant to New Jersey F discussions held by the Bo appropriate. Minutes of t confidentiality no longer exis	ration will enter Executive Session to re exempt from public participation I, Open Public Meetings Act. Any onfidential will be made public when ot be disclosed until the need for In public session at 7:00 p.m.				
		lotion to Return to Public Session ACTION) Motion by, se	econded by			
	А	II in favor Tir	ne:pm			
6.		lotion to Reconvene ACTION) Motion by, se	econded by			
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7. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>

Approval of the minutes of the following meetings, as reported by the Board Secretary and reviewed by the Board President and members of the Board:

- a. July 6, 2017 Executive Session
- **b.** August 28, 2017 Executive Session
- c. August 28, 2017 Regular Meeting

Motion to approve 7a – 7c:	
(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	

8. <u>ACKNOWLEDGMENTS/CORRESPONDENCE</u>

- a. The Hopatcong School Board, Acting Superintendent Dr. Mullane, and Administration would like to welcome our new teachers, kindergarteners, new families to our district, all staff and returning Hopatcong Chiefs to our 2017/2018 school year. Let's make this the year to beat!
- b. The National Merit Scholarship Program has recognized Hopatcong High School senior Anthony Christiana, as a Commended Student in the 2018 National Merit Scholarship Program. Anthony is being recognized for the exceptional academic promise demonstrated by his outstanding performance on the qualifying test used for the program entry.

9. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT AND HIB REPORT

- a. Superintendent's Report Dr. Joanne Mullane
- **b.** Presentation:

2016/2017 PARCC Results – Jeff Hallenbeck, Director of Curriculum
Olga Edgerton, Director of Curriculum & STEAM
Ken Doolittle, Supervisor of Literacy

- **c.** Presentation of each school's activities:
 - 1) High School –Liaisons: Anthony Christiana, Anthony Mastroeni, Rachel Esteves, Jessica Alvarez
 - 2) Middle School Emil Binotto, Principal
 - 3) Durban Avenue Tracey Hensz, Principal
 - 4) Tulsa Trail Brian Byrne, Principal
 - 5) Hudson Maxim Katherine McFadden, Principal
- **d.** A first reading and approval of the Superintendent's HIB Report for September, 2017 as presented to the Board at the September meeting on September 25, 2017.

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Motion to approv	e Superintendent's HIB report 9d:
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		

10. <u>COMMITTEE REPORTS</u>

- 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 MSPTO- Kelly Csengeto, President
- i. Elementary HEPTO Patty George, Coordinator

Motion to accept Committee reports 10a-10i:					
(ACTION) Motion by	, seconded by	/ All in favor			

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) accounts, August 28, 2017 through September 25, 2017, in the following amount:

General Fund and Special Revenue (Grants) account \$1,905,011.93 Cafeteria account \$8,738.50

- **b**. Approval of Regular bills for August 28, to September 25, 2017 for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account in the amount of \$76,664.39
- **c.** Approval of Bus Contractor bills for August 28, to September 25, 2017 for the SCRT Cooperative Operating Account, in the amount of \$2,516,268.73.
- **d.** Approval of the Transfer Report for the months of July 2017 and August 2017.
- e. Approval of the Board Secretary's Report for the months of July 2017 and August 2017.
- f. Approval of the Treasurer's Report for the months of July 2017 and August 2017.

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- **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).
- **h.** Approval of the award of bids to the following companies for supplies in the amounts below. The Bid Opening was August 30, 2017.

Allen Paper	\$3,000
American Paper Supply	\$7,000
Atra	\$900
Northeast Janitorial	\$650
Interboro Packaging	\$5,000
Central Poly Corp	\$1,000
E.A. Morse	\$5,000
United Sales	\$5,320
American Pride and Plastic	s\$3,000
Pyramid School Supplies	\$3,220
My Price Supply	\$ <u>57</u>
Total	\$34,147

- i. Approval of the 2017/2018 Asbestos Notification Letter in compliance with 40CFR part 763.93(g) (4).
- j. Approval of the 2017/2018 Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Plan, Notification Letter and Report in compliance with various statutes and regulations.
- **k.** Rescind the approval of the authorization to enter a two year lease with K & P Realty RE LLC, for 12 parking spaces in the rear of the Twist on Thai Café', 430 River Styx Road for \$6,500 for 10 months.
- I. Approval for the authorization to enter a two year lease with VMH Properties, LLC, for 12 parking spaces at 434 River Styx Road for \$6,500 for 10 months.
- **m.** Approval for the authorization to upgrade the Middle School Fire Alarm system at an estimated cost of \$25,000 which will be funded by Maintenance Reserve.
- n. Approval of the following grant funded positions as part of the 2017-2018 ESSA Grant (Formerly NCLB). There positions are jointly funded by the grant and local funds in accordance with supplement/supplant rules:

Title I					
	17-18	Grant		District	District
Staff Member	Salary	Share	Grant %	Share	%
Kathleen Brennan	\$83,835.00	\$56,446.11	67.30%	\$27,388.89	32.70%
Samara, Gina	\$64,333.00	\$43,296.11	67.30%	\$21,036.89	32.70%
Wolf, Hillary	\$74,215.00	\$49,946.70	67.30%	\$24,268.30	32.70%

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Title IIA					
	17-18	Grant		District	District
Staff Member	Salary	Share	Grant %	Share	%
McConnell, Allison	\$67,365.00	\$33,000.00	49.00%	\$34,365.00	51.00%

Approval to accept the NJCAP Grant (New Jersey Child Assault Prevention) for Ο. Elementary grades in the amount of \$4,119.

Motion to approve Finance 12a-12o:	
(ACTION)Motion by_	, seconded by
•	DISCUSSION

Roll Call Vote

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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-13o, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Personnel Committee of the Board:

WHEREAS, Cynthia Randina has submitted her letter of resignation as Superintendent of Schools for purposes of retirement effective September 30, 2017 to the Hopatcong Board of Education: and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to thank Cynthia Randina for her service to the Hopatcong School District as its Superintendent of Schools; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby accepts the resignation of Cynthia Randina from the position of Superintendent of Schools effective September 30, 2017; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby approves the Separation Agreement between the Board and Cynthia Randina; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby authorizes the following payments to Ms. Randina: (1) \$29,531.25 pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-3.2(q); (2) \$24,527.63 to Ms. Randina pursuant to her contract to compensate her for 40.49 accrued and unused vacation days; and (3) \$15,000.00 pursuant to her contract to compensate her for 91.5 accumulated and unused sick days; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby authorizes the Board Secretary to advertise and post the position of Interim Superintendent of Schools and to solicit and obtain proposals for search firms to assist the Board in securing a new Superintendent of Schools.

b. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board approves a contract, pending recommendation by the Executive County Superintendent and approved by the Commissioner of Education, for the position of Acting Superintendent for Dr. Joanne Mullane, who shall serve in this role of Acting Superintendent until such time as the Board takes further action for the period from October 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017.

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- c. Approval of the resignation of Tracey Autrey, from her position as Academic Skills Maternity Leave Replacement Teacher in the Hopatcong School District, effective August 23, 2017.
- d. Approval of the employment of **Susan Rikkola** as 0.5 School Library Media Specialist at a salary of \$31,517 based upon the 2017/2018 Salary Guide Level MA/Step 5, effective October 1, 2017.

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- **e.** Approval of the resignation of **Allison Provenzano**, from her position as a Paraprofessional in the Hopatcong School District, effective August 29, 2017.
- f. Approval of the employment of **Tabitha Kestenholz** as a paraprofessional in the Hopatcong School District, at a rate of \$11.00 per hour, plus \$1.00 differential for toileting if applicable, effective September 26, 2017.
- g. Approval of the employment of **Jill Gleason** as a paraprofessional in the Hopatcong School District, at a rate of \$11.00 per hour, plus \$1.00 differential for toileting if applicable, effective September 26, 2017.
- h. Approval of adjustment in stipend amount for the following Facilitators to allow for the negotiated 5% increase for the 2017-2018 school year, as outlined in the 2014-2018 HEA Teacher Memorandum of Agreement:

Name	Nature of Action	Position	Stipend	Date Effective	Date Term
Christine Kalemba	Appoint	Career Internship Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kathleen LaRosa	Appoint	Structured Learning	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
		Experience Facilitator			
Michelle Culcasi	Appoint	Child Development Associate Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jason Mulvihill	Appoint	Future Teachers Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kelly Colonna	Appoint	HMX ELA Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kelly Pappas	Appoint	TT ELA Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kristine Mendyk	Appoint	DA ELA Facilitator	\$3,820	1/1/2018	6/30/2018
Pamela Brennan	Appoint	MS ELA Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Sandra DeRose	Appoint	HS ELA Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Dana DeMetro	Appoint	HMX STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jennifer Neu	Appoint	TT STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Christina Munoz	Appoint	DA STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Edric Debos	Appoint	STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Shawna Longo	Appoint	STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Kurt Zimmermann	Appoint	STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
Jonathan Rischawy	Appoint	STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018
James McDonald	Appoint	STEAM Facilitator	\$6,367	9/1/2017	6/30/2018

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i. Approval of the following for the Extra Duty/Extra Pay positions for the 2017-2018 school year at the Hopatcong High School, on an as needed basis:

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Long Detention Monitors
\$100.00 per day
Linda Padula
Kenneth Olsen
Heather DelBagno
Dominick Spuckes
James McDonald
Sharon Haggerty
Michael Juskus
James Marino

11-401-100-100-01-02

j. Approval of the following for the Extra Duty/Extra Pay positions for the 2017-2018 school year at the Hopatcong Middle School, on an as needed basis:

Detention	Homework Club
\$20.00 per hour	\$28.00 per hour
Eric Shramko	Eric Shramko
Diana Menzel	Diana Menzel

11-401-100-100-01-02

k. Approval of the following for the Extra Duty/Extra Pay position of Cafeteria Monitor/Duty for the 2017-2018 school year in the Hopatcong School District, on an as needed basis:

NAME	NATURE OF	SCHOOL	SALARY	DATE	DATE
	ACTION			EFFECTIVE	TERMINATED
Cheryl Gramp	Resign	High School	\$2,400	9/1/17	6/30/18
David	Appoint	High School	\$2,400	9/1/17	6/30/18
Campagna					

11-401-100-100-01-02

I. Approval of the following 2017-2018 Advisors for the Hopatcong Middle School:

NAME	NATURE OF ACTION	POSITION	CLASS	LEVEL	SALARY	DATE EFFECTIVE	DATE TERMINATED
Mary Burns	Appoint	Grade 8 Advisor			\$1,213.00	9/1/2017	6/30/2018

11-401-100-100-01-02

m. Approval of the following as Technology Center Monitors, for the 2017-2018 school year, at the rate of \$18.00 per hour on an as needed basis.

Pamela Brennan	Joanne Canizaro	Enrico Fattorusso
Kyle Bisignani	Mary Anne Roe	Diane Scanlon
Mary Anne Wilcock		

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n. Approval of the follow paraprofessionals to be paid at their regular hourly rate of pay for the 2017-2018 to attend Paraprofessional Professional Development on September 6, 2017:

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Name	Hours	Name	Hours
Laurie Solberg	3.5	Dolores Kennedy	4
Doloretta Ferrante	2	Joan Cutchis	4
Carolyn Segura	4	Cara Acquavella	4
Melissa Forrester	4	Candace Baldwin	4
Vicky Taesler	4	Mary Aufiero	4
Lorie Prior	4	Karen Lovelock	4
Patricia George	4	Marilyn Volpe	4
Jennifer Quartucci	4	Theresa Giordano	4
Marissa Kressman	4	Paula Engber	4
Barbara Bombardieri	4	Patricia Nelson	4
Jill Gleason	4	Ann Byron	4
Maryellen Jurewicz	4	Rosemarie McMullen	4
Linnette McCaul	4	Enrico Fattorusso	4
Anna Hancock	4	Yesenia Colina	4
Nicole Grieco	4	Karen White	4
Florence Hillyard	4	Christina Egbert	4
Josephine Cuttone	4	Gina Nadrowski	2
Margaret Cooper	4	Robin Vaughan	4
Patricia Duckles	4	Connie Smith	4
Jennifer Gates	4	Lana Robertson	4
Tracey Grochulski	2	Rosary Cramer	4
Theresa Weber	4	•	
11-190-100-106-01-03			

o. Approval of substitute teachers, paraprofessionals, custodians and van drivers.

Motion to approve Personn	el 13a-13o:
(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	

14. STUDENTS & SERVICES

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

- **a.** Approval for a change of placement for an out of district student who has been placed at Northern Hills Academy **Student No. 11837.** The tuition for the 2017/2018 school year with a personal aide is \$80,148.00.
- **b.** Approval for an out of district placement at Northern Hills Academy for **Student No. 13610.** The tuition for the 2017/2018 school year is \$53,695.70.

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

Motion to approve Students	s and Services 14a – 14c:
(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 – 15b**, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools and the Curriculum/Technology/Special Education Committee of the Board:

- **a.** Approval to submit a group size waiver to the Sussex County Department of Education for a Grade 6 Language Arts pull out resource center class as a result of a new student enrollment after the start of the school year.
- **b.** Approval of the following Curriculum Revisions:

Global History	ELA 6-8
Intro to Computer Science	Global English 1
Elementary Computers (2-5)	AP Literature and Composition
Science 3,4,5	AP Language
Biology	Elementary ESL
Writer's Workshop K-1, 5	

Motion to approve Curricul	lum 15a – 15b:
(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	

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 Travel in t	the amount of \$4,197.41	
(ACTION)Motion by	, seconded by	
	DISCUSSION	

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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	

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 # Title

P 0155 Committee Responsibilities

Addendum P0155 Committee Responsibilities

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**:

Policy # Title

P 8505 Local Wellness Policy/Nutrient Standards for Meals and Other

Foods (M) (Revised)

Regulation # Title

R 5111 Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Pupils

(M) (Revised)

Motion to approve Policies and Regulations 17a - 17b:

(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	

18. RESOLUTION

Approval of the following Resolutions, 18a, at the recommendation of the Superintendent:

a. Approval of the Tuition Contract Agreement with Sussex County Technical School to provide educational services for any students electing to attend during the 2017-2018 school year.

Motion to approve Resolution 18a:	
(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	

19. SUSSEX COUNTY REGIONAL COOPERATIVE

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

- a. The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of the following <u>district(s)</u> as a **new member(s)** of the Transportation Cooperative for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A:
 - 1) None at this time.
- **b.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation *quotations* for <u>Special Education Routes</u> for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- c. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation contracts for *quoted* <u>Special Education Routes</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor companies for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **d.** The Superintendent recommends the *acceptance* of student transportation quotations for <u>Athletic/Class/Field Trips</u> for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- e. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation contracts for quoted <u>Athletic/Class/Field Trips</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor companies for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- f. The Superintendent recommends the acceptance of student transportation <u>bids</u> submitted on July 24th for Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- g. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation <u>contracts</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the **July 24**th Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- h. The Superintendent recommends the acceptance of student transportation bids submitted on August 14th for Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- i. The Superintendent recommends the *rejection* of <u>bids</u> due to non-conformance to bid specifications and/or defective bid issues for the **August 14th** bid opening as listed on Exhibit A.
- j. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation <u>contracts</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the **August 14**th Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.

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- k. The Superintendent recommends the acceptance of student transportation bids submitted on August 21st for Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **I.** The Superintendent recommends the *rejection* of <u>bids</u> due to non-conformance to bid specifications and/or defective bid issues for the **August 21**st bid opening as listed on Exhibit A.
- m. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation <u>contracts</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the **August 21**st Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- n. The Superintendent recommends the acceptance of student transportation bids submitted on August 22nd for Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **o.** The Superintendent recommends the *rejection* of <u>bids</u> due to non-conformance to bid specifications and/or defective bid issues for the **August 22**nd bid opening as listed on Exhibit A.
- p. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of student transportation <u>contracts</u> to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the **August 22nd** Student Transportation Routes for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **q.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of <u>corrections</u> to previously approved bids/quotes and/or contract numbers as listed on Exhibit A. (All quotes/bids were responsive and compliant in accordance with the specifications; the corrections are necessary due to due to minor clerical/typographical errors to correct the board minutes for county approval.)
- **r.** The Superintendent recommends the *renewal* of <u>Parental</u> Contracts for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- **s.** The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of a Joint Transportation <u>Agreement</u> with Kittatinny RHSD for the 2017-18 School Year as listed on Exhibit A.
- t. The Superintendent recommends the *renewal* to the Bulk Bid Athletic & Field Trips <u>bids</u> for the 2017-18 School Year as listed on Attachments 1 & 2.
- u. The Superintendent recommends the approval of *renewal* of 2016-17 transportation <u>contracts</u> at the CPI increase of .03% (3/10th of a percent) for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- v. The Superintendent recommends the acceptance of student transportation <u>bids</u> submitted on August 18th for Bulk Bid for Athletic & Field Trips for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.

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- w. The Superintendent recommends the *award* of Athletic & Field Trip student transportation contracts to the lowest responsible and responsive bus contractor company bidders for the August 18th Bulk Bid for Student Athletic & Field Trip Transportation for the 2017-18 school year as listed on Exhibit A.
- x. The Superintendent recommends, based upon the advisement and concurrence with the Director of Transportation of the Coop, the *approval* of a <u>capital equipment purchase</u> of a new 2017 Dodge Grand Caravan SE from John Johnson Dodge of Budd Lake (Hackettstown) in the amount of \$24,267.00, based upon their quote dated August 30th, 2017 for the Sussex Regional Cooperative.

(This vehicle is a replacement for our 2007 Gridion Mini-bus, in which required repairs exceeded its residual value; as it is at the end of its useful life.) (Two other quotes were received: 1) Rt. 1 Chrysler Dodge: \$26,053 and 2) Dover Dodge of Route 46: \$27,090.)

y. The Superintendent recommends the *approval* of rehire employment <u>contracts</u> for the following Bus Drivers and Attendants at the hourly rates listed for the 17-18 SY (Sept-June):

Theresa Gould, Bus Aide \$10.24 per hour Tracey Arnone, Bus Driver \$15.73 per hour Kelly Dennis, Bus Driver \$15.73 per hour

Motion to approve 19a-19y:

(ACTION)Motion by______, seconded by ______
DISCUSSION

Roll Call Vote

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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
- 22. ADJOURNMENT

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