

MINUTES

PLUMSTED TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

SPECIAL MEETING

October 3, 2022

6:30 p.m. Anticipated Public Session

NEW EGYPT HIGH SCHOOL

Vision Statement

“Unleashing Unlimited Opportunities . . . Empowering One Warrior At A Time!”

Mission Statement

The Plumsted Township School District shall inspire all students to realize their personal potential. A rich and challenging learning environment, in partnership with the community, will develop critical thinkers, lifelong learners and productive citizens in an emerging global society.

2022-2023 Board of Education Goals

1. *The Plumsted Township Board of Education will continue to maintain transparent communication through various media platforms to highlight news districtwide as well as inform the community of legally permissible topics/information at monthly Board of Education meetings.*
2. *The Plumsted Township Board of Education supports the implementation of targeted professional development to address ways to reduce the number of out of district placements for students with special needs, vertical articulation across grade levels to promote cohesion within the curriculum, and personalized learning opportunities that promote increased college and career readiness and student/teacher retention.*
3. *The Plumsted Township Board of Education supports the implementation of a district five-year strategic plan aimed at teacher retention and appreciation and providing a safe, supportive learning environment that promotes self-worth and encourages productive contributions in a constantly evolving global society. The Superintendent will develop strategic planning committees who will work cohesively with the Board of Education to provide regular comprehensive updates. Prior to the start of Year 5 initiatives and strategies a thorough review and evaluation of Year 4 outcomes will be conducted with the Board of Education and District Stakeholders.*

2022-2023 District Goals

1. *The Plumsted Township School District will create and begin the implementation of a New Teacher Academy to support and retain new teachers. These four year cohorts will be designed to offer targeted training and professional learning to foster growth and collaboration among new teachers with the guidance of master teachers and administration.*
2. *The Plumsted Township School District will establish three community committees and host three meetings over the course of the 2022-2023 school year to engage an array of stakeholders in collaborating on district initiatives:*
 - *Equity Committee*
 - *Curriculum Committee*
 - *Success, Recognition and Promotion Committee*
3. *The Plumsted Township School District will support staff and expand expertise in data analysis and implementation of differentiated instruction to facilitate student learning and mastery of New Jersey Learning Standards while increasing NJSLA results.*

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mrs. Potter will preside, and call the meeting to order.

II. OPEN PUBLIC MEETING ACT

In compliance with the Open Public Meeting Act, this is to announce that adequate notice of this meeting has been disseminated to the Asbury Park Press and The Trenton Times on Wednesday September 28, 2022, thereafter posted upon the bulletin board in the main office of all four schools and the Board Secretary’s office and a copy of such resolution was filed with the Plumsted Township Clerk. No advance written notice of this meeting was requested and paid for by any person according to the record of the Secretary of the Board. I direct the Secretary of the Board to enter into the minutes of this meeting this public announcement.

III. ROLL CALL

Mrs. Septor	Absent
Mrs. Potter	Present
Mr. Burnett	Present
Dr. Giardina	Present
Mr. Goodman	Present
Mrs. Molnar	Present
Mrs. Raywood	Present

ALSO PRESENT

Mrs. Halperin-Krain, Superintendent
 Mr. Gately, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

IV. FLAG SALUTE - Mrs. Potter led all in the salute to the flag.

V. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Mr. Burnett moved with a second by Dr. Giardina that V.A be approved:

A. Recommend that the Board approves the special public meeting agenda for October 3, 2022.

ROLL CALL

Yes	Mr. Burnett, Dr. Giardina, Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Molnar, Mrs. Raywood, Mrs. Potter
No	None
Absent	Mrs. Septor

VI. DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

A. Board Meeting Dates:

The remaining Board of Education meetings will be held on:

October 12, 2022
December 14, 2022

November 16, 2022
January 4, 2023 (reorganization meeting)

VII. BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMENTS

VIII. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COMMENTS

IX. SUPERINTENDENTS COMMENTS

X. PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS - None

XI. SUPERINTENDENTS AGENDA

The following items are presented for approval as recommendations by the Superintendent of Schools:

A. Personnel Motions:

Dr. Giardina moved with a second by Mrs. Raywood that A.1- A.5 be approved:

1. Recommend approval of Robin Antonelli, as a Preschool Intervention & Referral Specialist/Community Parent Involvement Specialist, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School, effective October 10, 2022, at a salary of \$50,783.00, MA Step 6, (prorated to 30 hours per week) of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement, pending the successful completion of the application process established by the Superintendent of Schools, and that the criminal history clearance is obtained through the State of New Jersey in accordance with the law.
2. Recommend approval of Barbara Marrazo, as a Preschool Teacher, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School, effective October 10, 2022, at a salary of \$61,793.00, BA Step 7, (prorated) of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement, pending the successful completion of the application process established by the Superintendent of Schools, and that the criminal history clearance is obtained through the State of New Jersey in accordance with the law.
3. Recommend approval of Carrie Torbik, as a Preschool Teacher, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School, effective October 10, 2022, at a salary of \$57,693.00, BA Step 1, (prorated) of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement, pending the successful completion of the application process established by the Superintendent of Schools, and that the criminal history clearance is obtained through the State of New Jersey in accordance with the law.

4. Recommend approval of Lorraine Moufang, as a Part time PreSchool Paraprofessional, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School, effective October 10, 2022, at a salary of \$17,585.00, Para Step 5, of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement.
5. Recommend approval of Kasey Bury, as a Part time PreSchool Paraprofessional, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School effective October 10, 2022, at a salary of \$22,170.00, Para Step 13, of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement, pending the successful completion of the application process established by the Superintendent of Schools, and that the criminal history clearance is obtained through the State of New Jersey in accordance with the law.

ROLL CALL

Yes	Dr. Giardina, Mrs. Raywood, Mr. Burnett, Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Molnar, Mrs. Potter
No	None
Absent	Mrs. Septor

Mr. Burnett moved with a second by Mrs. Raywood that A.6 be approved:

6. Recommend approval of Amanda Raulf, as a Part time PreSchool Paraprofessional, at the Dr. Gerald H. Woehr Elementary School, at a salary of \$22,845, Para Step 14, of the PTEA/PTBOE Collective Bargaining Agreement.

ROLL CALL

Yes	Mr. Burnett, Mrs. Raywood, Dr. Giardina, Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Molnar, Mrs. Potter
No	None
Absent	Mrs. Septor

XII. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ANY SCHOOL RELATED TOPIC

Stacie Viggiano, 345 Fieldcrest Drive, New Egypt, NJ 08533 - asked about transportation for the Preschool Expansion Aide.

Morgan Peterson, 44 Meadowbrook Lane, New Egypt, NJ 08533 - spoke about CRT.

XIII. OLD BUSINESS

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Burnett made a motion to adjourn at 6:46 p.m.

Seconded by Dr. Giardina, passed unanimously.