

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

September 19, 2006

7:00 p.m. - PUBLIC MEETING

ROBBINSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER - PUBLIC MEETING

Mr. Dave Pethybridge, President, called the meeting to order at 7:05p.m.

II. STATEMENT OF OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS

The New Jersey Open Public Meeting Law was enacted to insure the rights of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act, the Washington Township Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted in the Trenton Times and the Washington Township Bulletin Board. In addition, this notice was faxed to the Trenton Times and posted at Sharon School, Pond Road Middle School, Robbinsville High School and Windsor School.

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. ROLL CALL

Members Present:

David Pethybridge
Patrick Foti
Maxine Fox
Raymond Hart
Nagesh Kuppuraju
Doreen Pierson
Mark Setaro
Michele Siekerka
Faith Silvestrov

Others Present:

Dr. John J. Szabo, Superintendent
Mr. Paul M. Todd, Business Administrator
Dr. Kathie Foster, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction

- VI. PRESENTATION
- VII. STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT – No representation
- VIII. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR REPORT/ CORRESPONDENCE
- IX. SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- X. LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL REPORT – Mark Setaro
- XI. COMMUNITY RELATIONS – Maxine Fox
- XII. P.I.E. COMMITTEE – Michele Siekerka
- XIII. HEARING OF PUBLIC.
- XIV. RESOLUTIONS BEING PRESENTED FOR APPROVAL:

A. PERSONNEL – Faith Silvestrov

BE IT RESOLVED by the Washington Township Board of Education that the following PERSONNEL resolutions, as recommended by the Superintendent, be approved as indicated:

On motion of Mrs. Silvestrov, seconded by Mr. Foti, and carried by a 9-0 vote, the following were adopted:

1. APPOINTMENT OF STAFF – 2006-2007

a. Rescission of Employment – Sharon School

That the Washington Township Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, rescind the employment of Ms Linda Andel as a First Grade Teacher at Sharon School. She was approved on August 22, 2006 agenda meeting. (Ms. Andel was approved for Ms. Jeanae Efaw Ayala’s maternity leave.)

b. Rescission of Employment- Sharon School

That the Washington Township Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, rescind the employment of Ms Christal Bennett as a Second Grade Teacher at Sharon School. She was approved on August 22, 2006 agenda meeting. **(Ms. Bennett was approved for Ms. Cindy Ann Riley's maternity leave.)**

c. **Long Term Substitute – Sharon School – 2006 - 2007**

That the Washington Township Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the employment of Maureen Epstein as a Second Grade long term substitute teacher at Sharon School for the 2006-2007 school year, Step 1 BA level of the salary guide at the annual salary of \$42,680.00, effective September 1, 2006.

(Ms. Epstein would be assigned to replace Ms. Cindy Riley who was approved for maternity/childcare leave for the 2006-2007 school year.)

d. **Long Term Substitute – Sharon School – 2006 - 2007**

That the Washington Township Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the employment of Nancy Evanowski as a First Grade long term substitute teacher at Sharon School for the 2006-2007 school year, Step 1 BA + 15 level of the salary guide at the prorated annual salary of \$43,480.00, effective September 1, 2006.

(Ms. Evanowski would be assigned to replace Ms. Jeanae Efaw Ayala who has been approved for maternity leave from September 1, 2006 – October 31, 2006.)

e. **Transportation Coordinator – 2006 - 2007**

That the Washington Township Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the employment of Catherine Daughenbaugh as Transportation Coordinator to the Washington Township Public Schools for the 2006-2007 school year at the prorated annual salary of \$49,980.00, effective October 3, 2006.

XVI. HEARING OF PUBLIC – None.

XVII. OLD BUSINESS

XVIII. NEW BUSINESS

XIX. EXECUTIVE SESSION – None.

XX. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Mrs. Siekerka seconded by Mrs. Silvestrov to adjourn the Board Meeting at 9:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul M. Todd". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P" and "M".

Paul M. Todd
School Business Administrator/
Board Secretary