

GOUVERNEUR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
April 25, 2022
5:30 p.m. HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
FINAL AGENDA

Supporting documents can be found on our website: <http://www.gcsk12.org/boe/>

- I. CALL TO ORDER
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- II. COMMENT PERIOD
- III. DISCUSSION
 - A. Presentations
 - 1. Staff Recognition Award – Melinda Schizler, Marie Moore
 - B. Communications
 - 1. Thank You letter from Ryan’s Wish Foundation
 - 2. BOCES Ag Academy Spring Open House (April 27, 5-7 PM, Ag Academy farm)
 - C. COVID Update
 - D. Student Board Representative Report – Cole Siebels
- IV. FINANCIAL REPORT
 - A. Accept Financial Report for Period Ending March 31, 2022
- V. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
None.

VI. CONSENT AGENDA:

Upon presentation and recommendation of Superintendent Jacquelyn L. Kelly, that the Board of Education approve the following items as a Consent Agenda:

- A. Minutes of the April 11, 2022 Regular Meeting
- B. Claims Auditor’s Reports for the period 03/31/22 – 04/22/22
- C. CSE Business
- D. CPSE Business
- E. Treasurer’s Report - March 2022

VII. CONSENT AGENDA - PERSONNEL:

Upon presentation and recommendation of Superintendent Jacquelyn L. Kelly, that the Board of Education approve the following Personnel items as a Consent Agenda:

- A. Tenure Recommendations

Award tenure to the following teachers, conditioned upon compliance with APPR requirements or waiver as determined by the State of New York, as presented:

 - 1. LISA M. DUNKELBERG, Science Teacher, who holds Permanent certification in CHEMISTRY 7-12, in the tenure area of SCIENCE GRADES 7-12 effective 08/28/2022.
 - 2. GLEASON E. WALLEY JR., Agriculture Teacher, who holds Permanent certification in AGRICULTURE, in the tenure area of AGRICULTURE effective 08/28/2022.
 - 3. RACHEL CURRY, Grade 5 Teacher, who holds Professional certification in CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (GRADES 1-6), in the tenure area of ELEMENTARY PREK- 6 effective 09/26/2022.
 - 4. JAZ KULP, Kindergarten Teacher, who holds Initial certification in EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (BIRTH-GRADE 2), in the tenure area of ELEMENTARY PREK- 6 effective 09/06/2022.
 - 5. BRITTANY L. SCHERMERHORN, Special Education Teacher, who holds Initial certification in STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES (GRADE 1-6), in the tenure area of GENERAL SPECIAL EDUCATION effective 08/29/2022.
 - 6. MICHAEL A. SHATTUCK, Grade 6 Teacher, who holds Professional certification in CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (GRADES 1-6), in the tenure area of ELEMENTARY PREK- 6 effective 08/29/2022.
- B. Resignations
 - 1. Accept the request for resignation from Laura Dennee, 2.75-hr Food Service Helper, effective April 28, 2022.

C. Appointments

1. Administrative

- a) Summer School - Middle School Principal - Angela Calkins
- b) Summer School - Elementary School Principal - Peter R. Trowbridge

2. Instructional

- a) High School Counselor. Appoint Rachael E. Huntley, who holds Initial NYS certification as School Counselor, to the position of High School Counselor in the School Counseling & Guidance Tenure Area for a four-year probationary period commencing on July 1, 2022.
- b) Middle School Social Studies. Appoint Brandon A. Griffin, who holds Emergency COVID-19 NYS certification in Social Studies 7-12, to the position of Social Studies Teacher in the Social Studies Tenure Area for a four-year probationary period commencing on April 23, 2022.
- c) Middle School Detention Monitor - Art Knauf

D. Managerial/Confidential Resolution for Juneteenth

WHEREAS, in October 2020, the New York State Legislature passed legislation adopting Juneteenth as an official state holiday; and

WHEREAS, the District may include Juneteenth in the school calendar consistent with applicable laws; and

WHEREAS, the observance of Juneteenth as a paid holiday for staff represented by an employee organization (union) is governed by the applicable collective bargaining agreement; and

WHEREAS, the District wishes to designate Juneteenth as a holiday for employees not represented by an employee organization (union).

NOW, THEREFORE, it is resolved, that Juneteenth will be a paid holiday for employees not represented by an employee organization (union) when the Board designates Juneteenth as a holiday on the instructional calendar.

E. Memorandum of Agreement – GAA

To recognize Juneteenth as a paid holiday for administrators to the same extent that it is recognized as a holiday on the District's instructional calendar.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

Upon presentation and recommendation of Superintendent Jacquelyn L. Kelly, that the Board of Education consider the following items under New Business:

A. Election of Members of BOCES Board of Education

That the Board of Education cast their ballot for the three (3) open seats on the BOCES Board of Education, for: Roger M. Bennett, Michael J. Davis, Cindy McLean.

B. Vote on 2022-2023 BOCES Administrative Budget

That the Board of Education cast its vote for the adoption of the 2022-2023 Administrative Budget for the Board of Cooperative Education Services in the amount of \$8,984,857.

C. Report of BOE Candidate Petitions Received

Accept the report of Board of Education Nominating Petitions Received as of April 18, 2022, as presented: William Cartwright, Naaman Lowry.

D. Indian River Field Band merger

Approve the Memorandum of Agreement between Indian River CSD and Gouverneur CSD to combine their respective Field Band programs with respect to participation in the New York State Field Band Conference, as presented.

E. Revision to 2021-2022 Calendar

Approve the following revisions to the 2021-2022 school calendar:

April 29, 2022 – Half-Day (PM) Staff Development; students will report for AM only.

June 24, 2022 – Snow day give-back; all students and school-calendar staff will not report, except for staff with duties that day.

IX. COMMENT PERIOD

X. PROPOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION

To discuss pending litigation.

No further business is expected to take place.

XI. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT