

**TRENTON BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**108 North Clinton Avenue**  
**Trenton, New Jersey 08609**  
**BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**Monday – March 23, 2015 – 5:30 PM**

**Completed March 30, 2015**  
**Convened at 5:30 P.M.**

**Call to Order**

Board Vice President Jason Redd called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Vice President Redd led the salute to the flag.

**Roll Call**

**Present:**

D. A. Graham

Fiah Gussin

Denise Millington – arrived 5:32 p.m.

Jason Redd

Jane Rosenbaum – arrived 5:35 p.m.

Guillermo Gomez Salazar

Gerald Truehart II – arrived 5:31 p.m.

Lucy Vandenberg

**Superintendent of Schools** – Dr. Francisco Durán - Present

**Business Administrator/Board Secretary** – Jayne Howard - Present

**New Jersey Sunshine Law** - Read by Board Vice President Redd

The New Jersey Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right to the public to have advanced notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted on.

On the rules of this act, the Trenton Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting by publicizing the date, time and place, therefore posted in the Central Services Building, 108 North Clinton Avenue, City Clerk's Office, City Hall and the Times. Anyone whose name is on the mailing list should receive a notice.

Formal action will take place at this meeting.

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**Adoption Of Agenda**

In response to Mr. Redd’s request, Ms. Howard stated the changes to tonight’s agenda:

Public Participation will be moved to IV, and the Presentation will be moved to III.

Motion was made by Ms. Gussin and seconded by Mr. Truehart to adopt the agenda with the above stated changes. Agenda was adopted by all Board Members present.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	not present for vote		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	not present for vote		

**PERFORMANCE OF EXCELLENCE**

The Music and Art Departments at M. L. King, Jr. Elementary School were featured this evening. Under the instructional guidance of Art Teacher Yvonne Tinsley, students prepared artistic creations in the form of paper wall hangings, weavings, kente cloths, landscapes, portraits, collages and still life drawings. Also, students performed *Hot Cross Buns* on the brass, woodwinds and percussion instruments of the Trenton Youth Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Music Teachers Stephanie Metal and Aaron Brooks. The Glee Club joined the band to perform *Vivir Mi Vida (Live My Life)* written by Marc Anthony, featuring Fifth Grader Javon Jones and Fourth Grader Justin Flores Maisonet.

**PRESENTATIONS TO THE BOARD**

Dr. Durán and Ms. Howard presented the Public Hearing on the 2015-2016 Budget (handout attached). Board questions and comments were in the areas of:

- More detail on the overall process to formulate the final budget
- Effects of the budget cuts on students
- Projected percentage of overall enrollment in charter schools

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The following people expressed their concerns regarding the 2015-2016 Budget:

- Mr. Wendell Steinhauer, President of the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA)
- Ms. Janet Morrison, NJEA/Families and Schools Together (FAST)
- Ms. Betty Glenn, President of the Trenton Paraprofessionals Association (TPA)
- Mr. Lance Lopez, President of Policemen’s Benevolent Association (PBA) Local 105 in Trenton
- Mr. Richard Salava, Painter

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- Mr. Joe Povia, President of the Mechanics & Laborers Union (M&L)
- Mr. Wayne DeAngelo, NJ State Assemblyman/President of Building Trades Council
- Ms. Trina Peters-Vassallo, 1:1 Paraprofessional
- Ms. Gloria Lituma, Health & Physical Education Teacher
- Ms. Eris Tunstall, Vice President of TPA
- Ms. Janet Kindt, Paraprofessional
- Mr. Ron Sanasac, Mr. Keith Power, Mr. David Pekorek, Dr. John Guindon, and Ms. Donna Lombardo – Health & Physical Education Teachers
- Ms. Naomi Johnson-Lafleur, President of the Trenton Education Association (TEA)
- Ms. Janice Williams, TEA Grievance Chair & Taxpayer
- Ms. Lisa McAllister, Service Employees International Union Local 32BJ (re: security officers' employment rights)
- Mr. Douglas Allen, Security Officer – Bowles Corporate Services (re: security officers' employment rights)
- Mr. Larry Loper, President of the Trenton School Custodians Association
- Ms. Hope Grant, Vice President of the Trenton Administrators & Supervisors Association

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REMARKS**

Dr. Durán thanked all tonight's speakers for focusing on students first. He also called everyone's attention to Finance Item M on tonight's agenda.

The Superintendent discussed the earlier comments and presentation by the Physical Education Teachers, stating that all children will receive the full 150 minutes of physical education per week. He said that adjustments will be made to the reappointment list as necessary.

Dr. Durán also discussed the Board of School Estimate (BOSE) meeting to be held the following evening. He stated there is a resolution on that agenda requesting an increase of two percent in the tax levy for 2016-2017. Also on the BOSE agenda is a resolution requesting that the City fund Safe Corridors to School in 2015-2016.

Dr. Durán stated that he attended the Teen Male Summit on March 20, and he congratulated everyone involved in making the summit a success. He also commended everyone involved in the site visit for the Progressive Science Initiative on March 26. Lastly, he spoke about the proposed staffing cuts, stating that no one is happy about having to make them. He asked everyone to stay united in facing the challenges ahead.

**BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS**

Mr. Truehart stated the Board has tough decisions to make this evening, and he said the Board does not wish to privatize. He said the Board must do the best it can with the resources it has, to provide our students with the best education. He asked everyone's support for the resolution in Finance Item M on tonight's agenda. Mr. Truehart also asked Board Counsel Kathleen Smallwood-Johnson to explain the role of the Board of Education.

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Ms. Smallwood-Johnson stated that the role of the Board is to establish policy for the District. Administration implements the policy, develops the budget and submits the budget for Board action. The Board cannot micromanage; rather they set the vision and policy for the District.

Mr. Redd said the most frustrating part of being a Board Member is watching the State approve students leaving Trenton to attend a Choice District. He said the Board appreciates and hears all the concerns expressed during Public Participation this evening.

Mr. Truehart said he represented the Board at the Teen Male Summit and it was an awesome experience.

Dr. Rosenbaum agreed that the budget process is very difficult. She also wished to thank Jenna Pizzi from Times of Trenton for the positive article she wrote about the District.

Ms. Millington expressed her gratitude to everyone for their kindness and expressions of sympathy and support to her family over the past month. She also agreed with the other Board comments regarding the budget situation. She asked for everyone's support for Finance Item M, and she asked people to write their own letters also to the elected officials.

**BOARD DISCUSSION & ACTION ON CONSENT AGENDA**

**Meeting Minutes:**

February 23, 2015 Regular Board Meeting and Executive Session  
March 4, 2015 Special Board Meeting and Executive Session

There were no questions or comments on the Meeting Minutes.

**Superintendent's Recommendations:**

Curriculum, Instruction, Professional Development, Assessment & Accountability/  
School Support/Special Ed (1)  
Human Resources (2)  
Finance & Facilities (3)

Mr. Redd asked the Superintendent to consider removing Items 5b and 15 from Human Resources Attachment 2-b-7, the job description for Director of Instructional School Support, at the request of TEA. Dr. Durán said that if the Board votes to approve the motion, he will consider it.

Motion was made by Ms. Gussin and seconded by Mr. Gomez Salazar to remove Items 5b and 15 from Human Resources Attachment 2-b-7, the job description for Director of Instructional School Support. The motion was **approved** unanimously by the Board.

<b>ROLL CALL</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		

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Jane Rosenbaum	X
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X
Gerald Truehart II	X
Lucy Vandenberg	X
Denise Millington	X

Ms. Millington called the Board’s attention to Finance Item U, asking if this had already been approved through contracting with the Danielson Group. The Superintendent answered no, Danielson was for teacher evaluations. Dr. Kendra Johnson, Chief Academic Officer, said this is for a supplemental resource in Priority Schools during the day to enhance the Reading instructional program. It is a tool that teachers are using to accelerate students’ literacy skills. It supplements the core instructional program.

Mr. Truehart made a motion to **pull** Human Resources Item C-8, the revised job description for Supervisor of Instructional Technology, Accountability and Research. The motion was seconded by Mr. Redd. With seven (7) Yes votes and one (1) No vote, the motion was **approved**.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham		X	
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	X		

**Board Committee Reports:**

Curriculum/Special Ed, 2/25/15, 3/11/15  
Human Resources (Confidential), 2/18/15  
Operations, 2/19/15

There were no comments or questions on the Board Committee Reports.

Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Mr. Gomez Salazar to approve the Consent Agenda with amendments. The Consent Agenda with amendments was unanimously **approved**.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		

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Gerald Truehart II	X
Lucy Vandenberg	X
Denise Millington	X

**1. CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT & ACCOUNTABILITY**

**a. Resolution to Approve Kindergarten Science Curriculum**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Kindergarten Science Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-A**)

**b. Resolution to Approve Grade 6 Science Curriculum**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Grade 6 Science Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-B**)

**c. Resolution to Approve Grade 8 Science Curriculum (note to minutes: corrected to include Grade 7 Science Curriculum also)**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Grades 7 & 8 Science Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-C**)

**d. Resolution to Approve Socially Responsible Engineering Curriculum (Pilot)**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Socially Responsible Engineering Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-D**). Should the District fully adopt, the curriculum will be placed on the Trenton Public Schools Curriculum Framework.

**e. Resolution to Approve Sustainable Engineering Design Curriculum (Pilot)**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Sustainable Engineering Design Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-E**). Should the District fully adopt, the curriculum will be placed on the Trenton Public Schools Curriculum Framework.

**f. Resolution to Approve Finance I Curriculum**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Finance I Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-F**)

**g. Resolution to Approve Finance II Curriculum**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Resolution for **Finance II Curriculum** to be implemented in September 2015 (**Attachment 1-G**)

**h. Proposal for Support of AMAO Initiative**

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Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Proposal for **Support of AMAO Initiative** in the Bilingual/ESL Department for the period March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015 at a cost not to exceed **\$5,000.00**. Consultant *Mildred Miranda* will provide services to assist in the coordination of Annual Measurable Achievement Objectives (AMAO) related initiatives.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
 Account Code: 20-246-200-200-0000-15-82

**i. Proposal for Joyce Kilmer Middle School Music Students, Band, and Chorus to perform at the Trenton Board of Education Meeting and Trenton Community**

Be it resolved; that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the Proposal for Joyce Kilmer Middle School Music Students, Band, and Chorus to perform at the Trenton Board of Education Meeting and Trenton Community on April 20, 2015 at a cost not to exceed **\$100.00**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
 Account Code: 15-000-270-512-0000-00-24

**1-1 SCHOOL SUPPORT**

**j. Student Study Trips**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following field trips:

Agenda	Applicant	School	Destination	Purpose	No. of Students	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
March 23, 2015	Jocelyn White, Larry Parker, Sergeant Troup Major	Daylight Alternative HS	Wilson Elementary School Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to serve as local elementary classroom role models, tea-teaching Junior Achievement's age appropriate hands-on activities that foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy skills	40-50	2015 April 15		\$0	No Cost to Board
March 23, 2015	Latricia Cooley, Scott Munro	Daylight Alternative HS	Robeson Elementary School Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to serve as local elementary classroom role models, tea-teaching Junior Achievement's age appropriate hands-on activities that foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy skills	40-50	2015 April 22		\$0	No Cost to Board
March 23, 2015	Melda Grant, Joy Walker	Daylight Alternative HS	The Imperia Somerset, NJ	Students of the Trenton SBYSP PLO and FATHER programs will have opportunity to participate in the Prevent Child Abuse NJ Annual PLP Family	10	2015 May 21		\$0	No Cost to Board

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				Empowerment Day Conference – Focus: Strengthening parenting skill, preventing child abuse and neglect, fostering wellbeing of children and promoting life skills development <b>REQUIRED PER NJ DCF CONTRACT</b>					
March 23, 2015	Latricia Cooley	Daylight Alternative HS	Mott Elementary School Trenton, NJ	Students will participate in the Junior Achievement Day	10	<b>2015</b> May 27		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Melda Grant, Joy Walker	Daylight Alternative HS	Sesame Place Langhorne, PA	The Trenton SBYSP PLP is seeking to offer an end of the year, family engagement activity for all students who participated in SBYSP PLP activities during the 2014-2015 school year, and their children	8	<b>2015</b> June 3		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	John Dunston, Robert Rubino, Ashley Haszko, Curtis Aubry, Kumar Sharma, Liza Caby, Lianne Braconi, Laura Pekata, Joy Kovnat, Sue Nielsen, Christina Guido, Yeta Phillips, Weily Lin, Samir Soryal, Antonio Ruiz, Brian Feehan, Norman Paul, Joe Hankins, Thomas Tocci, Tara Conrad, Stacy Reece, Melanie Talyor, Fred Green, Michael Braverman, Carolyn Limbrandi, Plunkett, Carlos Bell, Mandy Lehrman Walker, Kelly Henry, Rosalind Friday, Ann Grant, Pauline Kothare, Crystal Adams, Robert Ciaccia, Michael Wheary, Stephanie Henderson, William Chick, Kathy Graham, Peggy	Dunn Middle	Trenton Board of Ed Ellis Auditorium Trenton, NJ	District-Wide Math Competition Bowl (Fourteen (14) Elementary Schools, Four (4) Middle Schools, and Three (3) High Schools - Student will learn to apply the eight (8) mathematical practices in competitive, team-oriented, problem solving activities	140	<b>2015</b> April 21 (Elemen.) & April 22 (Secondary)	Grant	\$2,400	<b>20-235-270-512-0000-15-82 (\$380) 20-235-200-600-0000-15-82 (\$1,200) 20-235-200-890-3000-15-82 (\$770)</b>



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	Kennedy, Catheen Little, Gwendolyn Reid, Sarah Stillwell, David Phillips, Carol Cekoric, Bonita Johnson, Dolores Anthony Musa, Dawn Hendry, Brian Tobin, Carmen A. Reyes, Joan Tucker, Janet Winthrop, Renard Kardhashi, Josephine Devasagayaraj, Jessica Massenat, Bin Yu, Ahmed Benjaani, Reward Ogbeni, Wayne Fisher, Johnson Chacko, Denise Hallinan, Karen Leno								
March 23, 2015	Brittany Thomas, Archie Jones, M. DePompo, D. Dineen, S. Kane (Lee)	Grant Elementary	Chestnut Avenue Community Garden Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to gain a scientific and historical perspective of agriculture in New Jersey	87	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Brittany Thomas Archie Jones, A. Jones, M. Steward, G. Rosario, B. Preston, S. Lee, M. DePompo, D. Dineen, K. Appleby, I. Megeed	Grant Elementary	Philadelphia Zoo Philadelphia, PA	Students will be able to observe animals and note their habitats and diets and understand the connection between diet and habitat	183	<u>2015</u> April 2		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Alfonso Llano, Kurt Appleby, Dianna Dineen	Grant Elementary	Princeton University Princeton, NJ	Students will be able to understand life at a Liberal and Performing Arts University	40	<u>2015</u> April 18		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Brittany Thomas, Archie Jones, M. DePompo, S. Kane (Lee), D. Dineen, I. Megeed	Grant Elementary	New Jersey Center of Excellence Bridgewater, NJ	Students will be able to make the connection between what they learn in school and the real world	104	<u>2015</u> April 29		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Carla Millner, Chantel Wooten, Keith Jones, Dana Lakins, Lauren Thatcher, Erin Kondash	Kilmer	MKL Memorial/ Smithsonian/ Museum of Natural History/ Smithsonian Washington, DC	Students will be able to compare and contrast Civil Rights Movement and describe how slavery affected the economic development of the southern colonies	100	<u>2015</u> June 5		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Priscilla Dawson, Indra Love, Rose Caldwell, Yvonne	Mott Elementary	Princeton Country Club Park West Windsor Township, NJ	Students will complete physical challenges based on physical conditioning and fitness	430	<u>2015</u> June 11 (Rain date June 16)		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>

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	Allison, Danita Christmas, Kimberly Marcucci, Dieisha Campbell, Rickie Kennedy, Susan Meyer, Rasheeda Robinson, Catherine McCarthy, Joy Ons, Elba Rivera, Joyce Thomas, Deena Jiles-Shu'aib, Barbara Dickman, Susan Franko, Kenneth Mayberg, Eunie Park, Jill Wiley-Maurice, Patricia Weiss, Scot Exner, Deirdre Kiley, Karen McNear, Lisa Pulliam, Yvonne Mitchell, Michelle Begonja, Susan Kiley, James Conrad, Lorscha Lewis, Ola Wayne Johnson, Brian Brunell, Troy Soto, Renne Hall McKee, Nicole Stephens, Stephanie Gammone, Andres Marrero, Leslie Sparks, Iman Haikal, Bernetta Washington, Carmen Reyes, Jonathan Grom, Janet Montague, Matthew Wormely, Linda McCrae, Madeline Ennis, Bolaji Onigbanjo, Tammy Roberson, Yvette Jamison, Lorraine Bernas, Eric Bullock, Rhoneesa Matthews, Gerald Nobles,								
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	Kerron Smith, Jina Samaan, Rania Saad, Donna Miller, Stacy Washington, Karen Davis, Gloria Olmeda, William Guevara, Washington Pressley, Tyshon, Matlock, Capria Covington, Roosevelt Toh, Sr.								
Revision to December 15, 2014 Agenda	Stahlbrand, Lowery, Berry,Slipp, West, Ciaccia	Monument	NJ State Museum Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to make connections to their own lives and the families of the past	24	Revised <u>2015</u> April 2 (rain date April 16)		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Claire Becerra, Barbara Gizo, Sara Shein, Laura Lambert, Cynthia Quayson, Rachel Herring, Katherine Wearing	Parker Elementary	New Jersey State Museum Trenton, NJ	Students will learn that vibration of objects causes sound	112	<u>2015</u> May 21		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Lynn Jones- Sandler	Rivera Middle	Princeton Blairstown Center Blairstown, NJ	To improve the Culture and Climate of Rivers School Turnaround Principle 8.0	58	<u>2015</u> April 6 – 8 (Spring Break)		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Ashlee Ennis, Ms. Baranowski, Ms. Johnsn, Ms. Goodwyn, Ms. Fisher, Ms. Sadowy, Ms. Harmon	Stokes Elementary	Jenkinson’s Aquarium Point Pleasant, NJ	Students will be able to identify sea animals and their habitats	30	<u>2015</u> May 4	Grant	\$467.25	<b>20- 218- 200- 516- 0000- 00-59 (\$238. 25) 20- 218- 100- 500- 0000- 00-59 (\$229)</b>
March 23, 2015	Ashlee Ennis, Ms. Baranowski, Ms. Johnson, Ms. Goodwyn, Ms. Fisher, Ms. Sadowy, Ms. Harmon	Stokes	Shafer School of Gymnastics	Students will demonstrate gross motor manipulative skills and balancing skills	30	<u>2015</u> May 26	Grant	\$365	<b>20- 218- 200- 516- 0000- 00-59 (\$95) 20- 218- 100- 500- 0000- 00-59 (\$270)</b>
March 23, 2015	Jaimie Freire, Ms. O’Hara	Stokes Elementary	Jenkinson’s Aquarium Point Pleasant, NJ	Students will be able to identify sea animals and their habitats	31	<u>2015</u> May 28	Grant	\$455.64	<b>20- 218- 100- 500-</b>

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									0000-00-59 (\$215) 20-218-200-516-0000-00-59 (\$240.64)
March 23, 2015	T. Ratti, W. Reed, A. Hagg, Tiona Edge, Maureen Dougherty	Stokes Elementary	Jenkinson's Aquarium Point Pleasant, NJ	Students will be able to gain an appreciation for animal life and learn/identify various forms	47	<u>2015</u> June 3	Grant	\$811.50	20-218-100-500-0000-00-59 (\$335) 20-218-200-516-0000-00-59 (\$476)
Revision to November 17, 2014 Agenda	John Pollock, Monica Morris and Nicole Akromas	Trenton High Main	Chinatown/Fortune Cookie Factory Philadelphia, PA	Broaden student awareness of world cuisine and culture (China)	40	<u>2015</u> March 31	Grant	\$1,853.40	20-361-200-500-0000-15-05 (\$285.90) 20-361-100-800-0000-15-05 (\$1,567.50)
March 23, 2015	Phyllis Riley Coleman, Ms. Gonzales	Trenton High Main	Philadelphia 76ers Wells Fargo Center Philadelphia, PA	Students will participate in activity to learn about the members of their team and how to work together	16	<u>2015</u> April 13		\$0	No Cost to Board
March 23, 2015	Nicole Akromas, Karen Barksdale, Barry Conboy	Trenton High Main	Stone Terrace Hamilton, NJ	2015 Mercer County Consumer Bowl Competition (Regionals)	7	<u>2015</u> April 14		\$0	No Cost to Board
March 23, 2015	Yvonne Johnson, Lou Smith, Tracey Davis, Deanna Cosgrove, Barbara Bierach, Nafessah Johnson, Susan Williams, Gail Bryant, Stephanie Ash, Danielle Holly	Trenton High Main, Trenton High West, Daylight/Twilight High Schools	Senior Transition Fair Trenton Board of Ed Ellis Auditorium Trenton, NJ	Students and parents will meet agencies to discuss career opportunities within their organization for our adult-ready students	95	<u>2015</u> April 15	Grant	\$200	20-250-200-580-0000-15-84
March 23, 2015	Britton Garnjost, Lindsay Rogers	Trenton High Main	Trenton College of New Jersey Campus Ewing, NJ	Students will learn about the themes and materials used in An Unfixed Image	24	<u>2015</u> April 16		\$0	No Cost to Board

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March 23, 2015	Annie M. Coleman, Ronald Butka	Trenton High Main	University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA	Students will be able to participate in running and field events for universities and colleges to preview and inquire and communicate with college students and coaches	12	<u>2015</u> April 23 - 25		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Nicole Akromas, Karen Barksdale, Barry Conboy	Trenton High Main	Stone Terrace Hamilton, NJ	2015 Mercer County Consumer Bowl Competition (Regionals)	7	<u>2015</u> May 18		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Valerie Hedgpeth	Trenton High West	Mercer County Technical School Assunpink Center Trenton, NJ	To spend a full day in a Mercer County Technical School program of interest and to get the full experience being a student there by interacting with program participants and the teacher as well as engaging in lecture and hands-on activities	5	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Valerie Hedgpeth	Trenton High West	Mercer County Technical School Sypek Center Pennington, NJ	To spend a full day in a Mercer County Technical School program of interest and to get the full experience being a student there by interacting with program participants and the teacher as well as engaging in lecture and hands-on activities	7	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Valerie Hedgpeth	Trenton High West	Mercer County Technical School Sypek Center Pennington, NJ	To spend a full day in a Mercer County Technical School program of interest and to get the full experience being a student there by interacting with program participants and the teacher as well as engaging in lecture and hands-on activities	6	<u>2015</u> April 1		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Jessica Keels	Trenton High West	Princeton Blairstown Center Blairstown, NJ	To improve the Culture and Climate of Rivers School Turnaround Principle 8.0	35	<u>2015</u> April 6 – 8 (Spring Break)		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Jocelyn White, Larry Parker, Sergeant Troup Major, Damien Carpenter, Valerie Hedgpeth	Trenton High West	Martin Luther King Elementary School Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to serve as local elementary classroom role models, tea-teaching Junior Achievement's age appropriate hands-on activities that foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy skills	40-50	<u>2015</u> April 17		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Jocelyn White, Larry Parker, Cheryl Malach, Damien	Trenton High West	Gregory Elementary Trenton, NJ	Students will be able to serve as local elementary classroom role models, tea-teaching Junior	40-50	<u>2015</u> April 21		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>

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	Carpenter, Valerie Hedgpeth			Achievement's age appropriate hands-on activities that foster work-readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy skills					
March 23, 2015	Jocelyn White, Larry Parker, Damien Carpenter, Valerie Hedgpeth	Trenton High West	Women's Future Leadership Program Princeton, NJ	Students will be able to pair with other female business leaders as mentors for a day	25	<u>2015</u> April 24		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Jacqueline Jacobs, Brittney Green, Renard Kardashi, Kouoa Mea, Janet Devine, Thomas Mantanari, Nancy Jean-Mary, Kira Royster, Ericson Mentor, Sossi Armani, Josephine Devasagayaraj, Nana Manful, Yetunde Araromi	Trenton High West	Millennium Skate World Camden, NJ	Students will be able to explore how the concepts of science, technology, engineering and math can be found in everyday experiences	100	<u>2015</u> May 1		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 23, 2015	Frances Willever, Wanda Valedéz-Harris, Eugene Litynskiy, Katherine Hammons, Hugh Donaghy, Shawn Feeney, Lysette Toro-Mays, Dana Steele	Wilson Elementary	Hyatt Regency of Princeton Princeton, NJ	Students will be able to perform a Latin and Swing Dance at Young Audiences' "Dazzle" Gala	46	<u>2015</u> April 11		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
March 26, 2015	Dr. Kendra Johnson, Elizabeth DeJesus, Hope Grant	Dunn MS, TCHS-Main	Trenton Board of Education – Progressive Science Initiative (PSI)	Students will describe their science classroom experience using the Progressive Science Initiative (PSI)	6	<u>2015</u> March 26		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>

**2. HUMAN RESOURCES**

**a. Abolishment(s) of Positions**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following abolishment of position(s) :

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>
Assistant Superintendent of School Support	Office of School Support	CFA
Manager Student Discipline/Attendance	Office of School Support	CFA

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Human Resources Manager	Human Resources Department	CFA
Human Resources Manager (Evaluations)	Human Resources Department	CFA
Grants Manager	Curriculum Dept.	CFA
Legal Manager	Legal Department	CFA
Administrative I Secretary	Transportation Department	TESA
Administrative I Secretary	Monument School	TESA
Administrative II Secretary	Buildings & Grounds	TESA
Administrative II Secretary (2)	Office of School Support	TESA
Administrative II Secretary	FACE Department	TESA
Administrative II Secretary (4)	Human Resources Department	TESA
Senior Secretary	Monument School	TESA
Senior Secretary (1)	Special Education Department (CST)	TESA
Data Processors (2)	Business Office	BST
Data Processors (2)	Human Resources Department	BST
Attendance Officer /Field Monitor	Office of School Support	BST
Payroll Specialist	Payroll Office	BST
Jr. Accountant	Business Office	BST
Compliance Specialist	Daylight/Twilight	BST
Compliance Specialist	Early Childhood Dept.	BST
Employment Specialist	Daylight/Twilight	BST
Principal Benefits Analyst	Human Resources Dept.	BST
Painter Foreman	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Painter Journeyman (2)	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Carpenter Foreman	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Carpenter Journeyman (2)	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Laborer Foreman	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Laborers (2)	Buildings & Grounds	MEL
Director of Abbott Facilities Construction	Buildings & Grounds	TASA
Supervisor of Mathematics	Curriculum Department	TASA
Supervisor of Science	Curriculum Department	TASA
Supervisor of ESL	Curriculum Department	TASA

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Supervisor of Bilingual/World Languages	Curriculum Department	TASA
Supervisor of School Support	Office of School Support	TASA
Supervisor of Scheduling /Custodian of Student Records	Office of School Support	TASA
Supervisor of Special Education (Elementary)	Special Education Department	TASA
Principal	Monument School	TASA
Vice Principal	Grant School	TASA
Vice Principal	King School	TASA
Vice Principal	Daylight/Twilight High School	TASA
Vice Principal	Dunn Middle School	TASA
Vice Principal	Trenton High School (West)	TASA
Coordinator Workforce Relations	Trenton High School (Chambers)	TASA
School Climate & Culture Leader	Gregory	TEA
School Literacy Leader	Monument	TEA
School Math Leader	Monument	TEA
School Nurse	Monument	TEA
School Counselor	Monument	TEA
Media Specialist	Monument	TEA
School Psychologist (1)	Child Study Team	TEA
Speech Language Specialist (1)	Child Study Team	TEA
School Social Worker (2)	Child Study Team & Daylight/Twilight High School	TEA
LDTC (1)	Child Study Team	TEA
Special Education Teachers - Self Contained (2)	Monument School	TEA
Special Education Teachers – Resource (11)	Various Locations	TEA
Special Education Teachers – Inclusion (3)	Monument & Dunn	TEA
In-School Suspension Teachers (15)	Various Locations	TEA
Intervention Teachers (4)	Dunn, Franklin, Grant, and Monument	TEA
Elementary Teachers - Grades Pre-K to 5 (5)	Various Locations	TEA
Bilingual Elementary Teachers – Gr K to 5 (2)	King School	TEA
English Teachers (3)	Trenton High School (Chambers & West)	TEA
Mathematics Teachers (5)	Various Locations	TEA
Science Teachers (4)	Various Locations	TEA



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Social Studies Teacher	Trenton High School-West	TEA
Art Teacher	Monument School	TEA
Music Teachers (4)	Various Locations	TEA
Health/Physical Education Teachers ( 9 )	Various Locations	TEA
Computer Teachers (5)	Various Locations	TEA
World Language Teacher	Trenton High School-Chambers	TEA
SLC/Business Teachers (2)	TCHS-Chambers & Daylight/Twilight	TEA
Custodians - Various Titles ( 33 )	Buildings & Grounds Department	CUS
Parent Liaison	Monument School	PAR
Paraprofessionals (One-on-One) ALL	Various Locations	PAR
Paraprofessionals - Special Education (11)	Various Locations	PAR
Paraprofessional (Bilingual)	King School	PAR
Paraprofessional – Kindergarten (2)	Monument School	PAR

**b. Creation of Position(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following creation of position(s):

1. Approve the creation of position and job description for Assistant Superintendent Human Resources and Talent Development, Human Resources Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Administrators, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.  
**attachment 2-b-1**
  
  2. Approve the creation of position and job description for Student Information Support Programmer/Analyst (2), Business Department, salary in accordance with Business & Technical contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.  
**attachment 2-b-2**
  
  3. Approve the creation of position and job description for Senior Payroll Specialist, Payroll Department, salary in accordance with Business & Technical contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.  
**attachment 2-b-3**
  
  4. Approve the creation of position and job description for Supervisor of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics – STEM (Pre-K -12), Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.  
**attachment 2-b-4**
- NOTE : Replacing the positions of Supervisor of Science & Supervisor of Math.**

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5. Approve the creation of position and job description for Supervisor of English as a Second Language/Bilingual Education, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-b-5**  
**NOTE : Replacing the positions of Supervisor of ESL & Supervisor of Bilingual.**
6. Approve the creation of position and job description for Director of Student, Parent & Community Support, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-b-6**
7. Approve the creation of position and job description for Director of Instructional School Support, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **(note: with removal of items 5b and 15 from the job description)** **attachment 2-b-7**
8. Approve the creation of position and job description Principal of Grant Management, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-b-8**
9. Approve the creation of position and job description for Facilities Administrator, Buildings & Grounds Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Administrators, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-b-9**  
**NOTE : Replacing the position of Executive Administrator of Buildings & Grounds.**
10. Approve the creation of position Assistant Director of Early Childhood, Early Childhood Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
11. Approve the creation of position Transportation Manager, Transportation Department, salary in accordance with Business & Technical contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
12. Approve the creation of position Human Resources Analyst (2), Human Resources Department, salary in accordance with Business & Technical contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
13. Approve the creation of position Confidential Secretary, Human Resource Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Secretaries, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
14. Approve the creation of position Vice Principal, Gregory Elementary School, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
15. Approve the creation of position School Counselor, Daylight/Twilight High School, salary in accordance with TEA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

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16. Approve the creation of position World Language Teachers (10), Various Elementary Schools, salary in accordance with TEA contract, effective July 1, 2015` through June 30, 2016.
17. Approve the creation of position Administrative II Secretary, Director of Student, Parent, and Community Support, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TESA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.
18. Approve the creation of position Administrative II Secretary, Director of Instructional Support, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TESA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

**c. Job Description(s) - Revised**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following revised job description(s) :

1. Approve the revised job description for the position of Chief Academic Officer, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Administrators, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-1**
2. Approve the revised job description for the position of Human Resources Analyst, Human Resources Department, salary in accordance with Business & Technical contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-2**
3. Approve the revised job description for the position of Mason Foreman, Buildings and Grounds Department, salary in accordance with Mechanics & Laborers contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-3**
4. Approve the revised job description for the position of Mason Journeyman, Buildings and Grounds Department, salary in accordance with Mechanics & Laborers contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-4**
5. Approve the revised job description for the position of Assistant Director Early Childhood, Early Childhood Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-5**
6. Approve the revised job description for the position of Executive Director of Human Resources, Human Resources Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Administrators, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-6**
7. Approve the revised job description for Board Counsel /Public Information Officer, Legal Department, salary in accordance with Confidential Administrators, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-7**
8. Approve the revised job description for Supervisor of Instructional Technology,

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Accountability, and Research, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-8 - PULLED**

9. Approve the revised job description for Supervisor of Social Studies, Gifted/Talented (Pre-K – 12), Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-9**
10. Approve the creation of position and job description for Supervisor of Language Arts, and Literacy Partnerships (Pre-K – 12), Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-10**
11. Approve the creation of position and job description for Supervisor of Fine Arts, Performing Arts and World Languages, Curriculum Department, salary in accordance with TASA contract, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. **attachment 2-c-11**

**d. Retirement(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following retirements:

1. Ms. Barbara Bierach – 25 years of service – Learning Consultant – Special Education Department, effective May 1, 2015.
2. Mr. Roy Hasty - 39 years of service – Storekeeper I – Warehouse -Buildings & Grounds Department, effective August 1, 2015.
3. Ms. Judith Sears – 22 years of service - Art Teacher – Trenton Central High School – Chambers (Visual & Performing Arts Academy), effective July 1, 2015.
4. Ms. Lynn Ann Gravenstine – 34 years of service – Speech and Language Pathologist, Special Education Department, effective July 1, 2015.
5. Ms. Brenda Dixon – 21 years of service – Custodian Engineer Grade 3 – Columbus Elementary School, effective August 1, 2015.
6. Mr. Robert Lee - 36 years of service – Paraprofessional (Special Education) - Dunn Middle School, effective July 1, 2015.
7. Ms. Gloria Duany – 4 years of service - World Language Teacher – Trenton Central High School - Chambers, effective July 1, 2015.
8. Mr. Everett Collins – 23 years of service - Executive Administrator Buildings & Grounds, Buildings & Grounds Department, effective January 1, 2016.

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9. Ms. Yeta Markham-Phillips – Special Education Teacher (Inclusion) – Dunn Middle School, effective May 1, 2015.
10. Ms. Patricia Peterson – 36 years of service - Paraprofessional (Special Education) – Hill Elementary School, effective July 1, 2015.
11. Ms. Patrice Fuller – 31 years of service - Elementary Teacher Gr 3 – Hill Elementary School, effective July 1, 2015.
12. Ms. Clara Boatwright – 26 years of service - Special Education Teacher – Hill Elementary School, effective July 1, 2015.
13. Mr. Jose Montalvo –25 years - Custodian – Trenton High School-Chambers, effective July 1, 2015.

**e. Resignation(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following resignations:

1. Mr. Eric Boateng – Principal – Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School, effective April 27, 2015.
2. Ms. Michelle Shelton – English Teacher – Daylight/Twilight High School, effective April 24, 2015.
3. Ms. Kari Domitrovits – Language Arts Teacher – Dunn Middle School, effective May 1, 2015.
4. Mr. Larry Howlen – Custodian – Robbins Elementary School, effective March 4, 2015.
5. Ms. Danielle Larca – Media Specialist – Jefferson Elementary School, effective May 11, 2015.
6. Ms. Amaliah Gellman – Paraprofessional (One-on-One) – Hill Elementary School, effective March 13, 2015.
7. Ms. Alexa Ingram – Assistant Superintendent Special Education – Special Education Department, effective July 1, 2015.

**f. Termination(s):**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following terminations :

1. Mr. Kerron Smith –Paraprofessional (One-on-One) – Mott Elementary School, effective February 27, 2015. **NOTE: Abandonment of position.**

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**g. Appointment(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following appointments:

1. Mr. Joseph Kellogg – Assistant Boys Spring Track Coach – Trenton Central High School – Chambers, at a stipend of \$6,524.00, effective March 24, 2015 through June 4, 2015. (11-402-100-101-0009-00-55)
2. Approve the following Middle School Coaches – Various Locations – at a stipend of \$2,518.00, effective March 24, 2015 through May 24, 2015. (11-402-100-11-0010-00-55)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>
Tiffany Hawley	Head Softball Coach	Rivera
Darryl Moody	Head Boys Track Coach	Kilmer
Clifford Pollard	Head Girls Track Coach	Kilmer
Katharin Scally	Head Softball Coach	Kilmer
Jonathan Reiner	Head Baseball Coach	Kilmer
Jason Sabol	Head Baseball Coach	Hedgepeth/Williams
Andrea Cortese	Head Girls Track Coach	Hedgepeth/Williams
Michelle Dice	Head Softball Coach	Hedgepeth/Williams
David Smith	Head Girls Track Coach	Dunn
Mitzi Hightower-Teel	Head Boys Track Coach	Dunn
Robert Rubino	Head Softball Coach	Dunn
Jared Pasko	Head Baseball Coach	Dunn

3. Mr. Mohammad El-Sherbini – Interim Head Football Coach, Trenton High School – Chambers, at the stipend of \$8,481.00, effective August 1, 2015 through November 30, 2015. (11-402-100-101-0009-00-55)

**h. Transfers/Re-assignments**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following transfers/re-assignments :

1. Mr. Tyler Anewalt – Art Teacher –from: Columbus Elementary School, to: Robeson Elementary School, no change in salary, effective March 2, 2015 through June 30, 2015.  
**NOTE: Replacing Sandra Jiminez who was reassigned.**
2. Ms. Sandra Jiminez – Art Teacher –from: Robeson Elementary School, to: Columbus Elementary School, no change in salary, effective March 2, 2015 through June 30, 2015.  
**NOTE: Replacing T. Anewalt who was reassigned.**

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3. Ms. Diane Biegley – Language Arts Middle School Teacher – from: Hedgepeth/Williams Middle School, to: Dunn Middle School, effective February 26, 2015 through June 30, 2015. **NOTE: Replacing K. Hartmann who retired.**
4. Ms. Mandy Sadowy – from : Special Education Teacher (Inclusion), Stokes Elementary School, to: Special Education Teacher –Pre-School Disabled, Stokes Elementary School, effective March 16, 2015 through June 30, 2015. **NOTE: New class opened due to enrollment.**

**i. Leave(s) of Absence**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following leave(s) of absence:

1. Ms. Janet James – Paraprofessional – Dunn Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 18, 2015 through March 2, 2015 and without pay, effective March 3, 2015 through May 12, 2015.
2. Ms. Leslie Medina – Paraprofessional (Bilingual) – Parker Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 10, 2015 through March 6, 2015.
3. Ms. Sharon Ward – Special Education Teacher – Dunn Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 2, 2015 through March 20, 2015.
4. Ms. Carmen Lanning – Paraprofessional (Bilingual) – King Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 18, 2015 through March 4, 2015.
5. Mr. Orlando Tirado – Paraprofessional – Wilson Elementary School – medical leave of absence without pay, effective January 8, 2015 through March 31, 2015.
6. Ms. Susan Johnson – Administrative II Secretary – Human Resources Department – medical leave of absence without pay, effective February 20, 2015 through March 23, 2015.
7. Ms. Lorena Santiago – Bilingual Kindergarten Teacher – King Elementary School – family medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 9, 2015 through April 20, 2015.
8. Mr. Philip Harding – In School Suspension Teacher – Rivera Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 2, 2015 through March 19, 2015.
9. Mr. Edward Walz – Health and Physical Education Teacher – Daylight/Twilight School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 20, 2015 through March 30, 2015.
10. Mr. Miguel Martinez – Custodian – Dunn Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 27, 2015 through April 8, 2015.

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11. Ms. Katherine Graham – Elementary Teacher Gr 5 – Franklin Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 9, 2015 through February 12, 2015, and without pay, effective February 13, 2015 through March 16, 2015.
12. Ms. Sonia Orense – Special Education Teacher – Trenton Central High School – Chambers, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 11, 2015 through March 16, 2015, and without pay, effective March 17, 2015 through April 15, 2015.
13. Ms. Robin Strand – Social Studies Teacher – Dunn Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 20, 2015 through March 18, 2015
14. Ms. Ottamease Bethea – Elementary Teacher Gr 4 – Hill Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 12, 2015 through May 11, 2015.
15. Mr. James Barnes – Attendance Officer – Administration Building – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 23, 2015 through March 13, 2015.
16. Ms. Gwendolyn Green – Kindergarten Teacher – Columbus Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 26, 2015 through March 6, 2015.
17. Mr. Robert Pawson – Computer Teacher – Kilmer Middle School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 9, 2015 through April 30, 2015.
18. Ms. Vernell Williams – Custodian – Trenton Central High School – West – medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 12, 2015 through May 11, 2015.
19. Ms. Blair Della Pena – Elementary Teacher Gr 1 – Grant Elementary School – medical leave of absence with pay, effective April 24, 2015 through May 1, 2015, and without pay, effective May 2, 2015 through November 2, 2015.

**j. Extended Leave(s) of Absence**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following extended leave(s) of absence:

1. Ms. Clara Boatwright – Special Education Teacher (Resource Room) – Hill Elementary School – extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 23, 2015 through March 6, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave December 2, 2014 through February 20, 2015.**
2. Mr. George Rosario – Bilingual Elementary Teacher Gr 4 – Grant Elementary School – extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 27, 2015 through



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March 13, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave February 13, 2015 through February 26, 2015.**

3. Ms. Prudence Wade – Coordinator – Workforce Relations – Trenton Central High School – Chambers, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 16, 2015 through February 20, 2015; and without pay, effective February 23, 2015 through March 30, 2015.  
**NOTE: Original leave December 9, 2014 through February 13, 2015.**
  4. Ms. Lissette Davila – School Nurse - Grant Elementary School – extended medical leave of absences with pay, effective March 6, 2015 through May 4, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave January 6, 2015 through March 5, 2015.**
  5. Ms. Janet Winthrop – Math Teacher – Trenton Central High School – West – extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 2, 2015 through March 30, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave January 29, 2015 through March 1, 2015.**
  6. Mr. Eugene Magalif – Music Teacher – Monument Elementary School – extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 2, 2015 through April 1, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave February 3, 2015 through March 2, 2015.**
  7. Ms. Alexandra Barrera – Parent Liaison – Robbins Elementary School – extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective February 3, 2015 through April 13, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave December 9, 2014 through February 2, 2015.**
  8. Ms. Pamela Smith-Walter – Health and Physical Education Teacher – Trenton Central High School – West, extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 12, 2015 through April 10, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave February 1, 2015 through March 11, 2015.**
  9. Ms. Claudette Turner – Kindergarten Teacher – Parker Elementary School – extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 16, 2015 through April 24, 2015. **NOTE: Original leave February 3, 2015 through March 15, 2015.**
- k. **Return from Leave(s) of Absence**  
BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following return from leave(s) of absence:
1. Ms. Leslie Medina – Paraprofessional (Bilingual) – Parker Elementary School – return medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 9, 2015.

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2. Ms. Clara Boatwright – Special Education Teacher (Resource Room) – Hill Elementary School – return from medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 9, 2015.
3. Ms. Luz Rios – Bilingual Elementary Teacher Gr 3 – Grant Elementary School – return from medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 20, 2015.
4. Ms. Gail Gaynor-Bryant – Learning Consultant – Trenton Central High School – Chambers – return from medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 23, 2015.
5. Ms. Jennifer Pentinga-Santiago – School Counselor – Grant Elementary School – return from medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 24, 2015.
6. Ms. Brooke Hasher – Special Education Teacher – Trenton Central High School – West, return from medical leave of absence without pay, effective April 1, 2015.
7. Ms. Valerie Allgood – Paraprofessional – Stokes Early Childhood, return from medical leave of absence without pay, effective April 1, 2015.
8. Ms. Maria Canals – Bilingual Elementary Teacher Gr 1 – Robbins Elementary School, effective April 1, 2015.

**I. Salary Adjustment(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following salary adjustment(s):

1. Ms. Erika Bosco – Special Education Teacher – Wilson Elementary School – from: \$87,950 (\$86,450-MA, Step 15-TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), to: \$88,360(\$86,860-MA+30, Step 15-TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), effective February 27, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (11-204-100-101-0000-00-84) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
2. Ms. Janet Behrens – Special Education Teacher – Kilmer Middle School – from: \$57,600 (\$56,100-BA+30, Step 8-TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), to: \$58,800(\$57,300-BA+60, Step 8-TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), effective February 11, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (11-213-100-101-0000-00-84) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
3. Ms. Nicolina Contardo – Science Teacher – Daylight/Twilight High School - from: \$52,200-BA, Step 1-TEA, to: \$55,100(\$53,600-MA, Step 1-TEA+\$1,500 dual certification, effective February 10, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-401-100-101-0000-00-35) **NOTE: Submitted proof of Master’s degree and**

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**dual certification.**

4. Ms. Angela Guagliardi – ESL Teacher – Robbins Elementary School – from: \$56,900-MA+30, Step 7-TEA, to: \$61,400-MA+60, Step 7-TEA, effective February 10, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (11-240-100-101-0000-00-81) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
5. Ms. Rene Lintz – Computer Teacher – Rivera Middle School – from: \$86,450-MA, Step 15-TEA, to: \$86,660-MA+30, Step 15-TEA, effective February 11, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-130-100-101-0000-01-15) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
6. Ms. Mia Moore-Seal – Math Teacher – Rivera Middle School – from: \$52,200-BA, Step 1 – TEA, to: \$53,600-MA, Step 1-TEA, effective February 25, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-130-100-101-000-00-15) **NOTE: Submitted proof of Master’s degree.**
7. Ms. Leslie Sparks – ESL Teacher – Mott Elementary School – from: \$88,350(\$86,850-BA+60, Step 15 – TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), to: \$88,550(\$87,050-BA+90, Step 15 –TEA+\$1,500 dual certification, effective February 25, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (11-240-100-101-0000-00-81) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
8. Dr. Priscilla Dawson – Principal – Mott Elementary School – from: \$157,431 (\$156,231 Step 13 + \$1,200 doctoral stipend, to: \$158,720 (\$157,520 Step 13 + \$1,200 doctoral stipend), effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014. **NOTE: Salary adjustment per contract.**
9. Mr. Weily Lin – Math Teacher – Dunn Middle School – from: \$52,200-BA, Step 1-TEA, to: \$53,600-MA, Step 1 – TEA, effective February 26, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-130-100-101-0000-00-10) **NOTE: Submitted proof of Master’s degree.**
10. Ms. Lasandra Stamper – Intervention and Referral Teacher –Early Childhood Department from: \$70,448(\$62,900-MA+30, Step 10-TEA+12%), to: \$75,600 (\$67,500-MA+60, Step 10-TEA+12%), effective March 4, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (20-218-200-104-0000-00-59) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
11. Ms. Lisette Bethea – Intervention and Referral Teacher – Early Childhood Department - from: \$74,748 (\$65,400-MA, Step 11-TEA + 12% +\$1,500 dual certification), to: \$80,460 \$70,500-MA+60, Step 11-TEA+12% + dual certification), effective March 10, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (20-218-200-104-0000-00-59) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 60 additional credits.**
12. Mr. Renard Kardhashi – Math Teacher – Trenton Central High School - West –

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from: \$55,600-BA, Step 7-TEA, to: \$56,900-BA+30, Step 7-TEA, effective March 4, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-04)

**NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**

13. Mr. Carlos Bell – Elementary Teacher Gr 4 – Robeson Elementary Teacher - from: \$86,860-MA+30, Step 15-TEA, to: \$91,450-MA+60, Step 15-TEA, effective March 9, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-12)

**NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**

14. Ms. Sazaya Simmons – Senior Secretary – Gregory Elementary School – from: \$30,061, Step 3/0 credits, to: \$31,883, Step 3/0 credits, effective October 2, 2014 through January 14, 2015, pro-rated. (15-000-240-105-0000-00-21)

**NOTE: Performing the duties of an Administrative I Secretary who is on a leave of absence. In accordance with Article 20B – TESA contract.**

15. Ms. Chelsea King – Special Education Teacher – King Middle School – from: \$52,700-BA, Step 2-TEA, to: \$54,200(\$52,700-BA, Step 2 – TEA+\$1,500 dual certification), effective March 11, 2015 through June 30, 2015, pro-rated. (11-213-100-101-0000-00-84)

**NOTE: Submitted proof of dual certification.**

16. Longevity

<b>Name</b>	<b>Years of Service</b>	<b>Amt. Due</b>	<b>Eff. Date</b>	<b>Bargaining Unit</b>
Ronald Royster	10	\$750	9/1/2014	CUS
Herbert Thompson	10	\$750	9/1/2014	CUS
Tracey Conway	10	\$750	12/22/2014	CUS
Patrick Gore	10	\$750	10/4/2014	CUS
Jabar Richardson	10	\$750	11/22/2014	CUS
Renee Thomas	10	\$750	11/8/2014	CUS

**m. Contractual Entitlements**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools to approve the following contractual entitlements:

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Unit</u></b>	<b><u># Sick Days</u></b>	<b><u># Vacation Days</u></b>	<b><u>Amount</u></b>
Estate of Alfred Jackson	MEL	0	77 ½	\$21,661.25
John Pack	MEL	0	75 ½	\$22,534.48
Dennis Vereen	MEL	0	32 ½	\$9,083.75

**n. Before/After School Program(s)**

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BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following before/afterschool programs(s):

1. Approve the following Parent Liaisons – Parental Involvement Activities – Districtwide – at the rate of \$29.00 per hour with students, and \$22.00 per hour without students, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015.

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>GAAP Code</u>	<u>Not to exceed</u>
Regina Jenkins	Hedgepeth/Williams	20-235-200-173-0809-15-82	\$1,243.00
Dawn Reyes	Dunn	20-235-200-173-1009-15-82	\$4,350.00
Yolanda Rodriguez	Grant	20-235-200-173-2009-15-82	\$1,584.00
Eris Tunstall	Kilmer	20-235-200-173-2409-15-82	\$1,100.00
Patricia Planter	Parker	20-235-200-173-2709-15-82	\$550.00
Glendi Alcantrana	Washington	20-235-200-173-3009-15-82	\$550.00
Freddy Albarran	Wilson	20-235-200-173-3109-15-82	\$550.00

2. Ms. Jennifer Petinga (Substitute) – Extended Day Learning Program – Grant Elementary School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-100-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Previously approved December 15, 2014. Not to exceed \$37,800.00 total program for all approved staff.**
3. Ms. Stephanie Gammone – Extended Day Learning Program – Mott Elementary School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through April 30, 2015. (20-235-100-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$3,016.00 total.**
4. Ms. Danielle Inducci – Student Mentor – Daylight/Twilight High School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-100-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed (55) hours and \$2,310.00 total program. Replacing M. Shelton who resigned.**
5. Approve the following Teachers Afterschool School Enrichment– Robbins Elementary School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-100-101-0009-15-82- \$15,989) (20-235-200-101-0009-15-82 - \$1,777) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$17,766.00 total.**

Luz Castillo	Nora Linton	Lenora Hines	Florance Louis
Lauren Redmond	Deborah Yellen	Maria Canals	Marissa Esposito
Stephane Pisabaj	Erica Hardon-Brooks	Lajuana Fogg	Sandra Estrada
Karen Ryan	Jennifer Ayling	Laurie Tindall	Sandra Soles
Ana Vasquez	Karen Delgado	Tara Gillins	Anne Grant
Pauline Kothare	Lloyd Burwick	Eman Nassif	Maria Lissette Rodriguez
Natasha Agrawal	Debra Gagnier	Jocilyn Fitts	Mia Christie
Angela Guagliardi	Christine Masterson	Jessica Bernstein	Sylvia DeLeon
Diana Riukas	Michael Kurlander	Susan Mahde	John Casalino
Alvina-Platt Gregory	Alexander Hager		

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6. Approve the following Teachers – School Leadership Team - Jefferson Elementary School – at the rate of \$36.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (15-120-100-101-0009-00-14) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$3,240.00 total.**

Maria Spirito	Andrea Guilliani
Robin Hall	David Phillips
Mary Tomlin	Michelle Liwacz
Byron Carmichael (Substitute)	

7. Ms. Leora Booker – Parent Liaison - School Leadership Team - Jefferson Elementary School – at the rate of \$22.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (15-190-106-101-0009-00-14) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$390.00 total.**

8. Approve the following Teachers – CTE Afterschool Tutors – Trenton Central High School – Chambers – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-36-100-101-0009-15-05) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$8,952.00 total. (\$8,316.00 - \$636.00-FICA)**

Gary Pirrera	Mark Peroni
Scott Sorrentino	Nicole Akromas
Karen Barksdale	Monica Morris
John Pollock	Ed Schmidt
Dan Monzon	

9. Approve the following Teachers – Afterschool Extended Learning Program – Hill Elementary School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-236-100-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$14,468.00 total. (\$13,440.00 - \$1,028.00 – FICA)**

Cynthia Mason	Jamie Lewis
Leah Mitchell	Christopher Tatro
Erin Pinelli	Shari Allen
Viktor Lawson	Rehan Majeed (Substitute)

10. Approve the following Teachers – DECA/CTSO Advisors – Districtwide – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-361-100-101-0009-15-05) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$1,680.00.**

Nicole Arkomas  
Karen Barksdale

11. Approve the following Teachers – NOCTI Advisors – Daylight/Twilight High School – at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-361-100-101-0009-15-05) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$1,085.00.**

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Jamie Maniatis  
Eileen Smyth  
Dale Archie

12. Ms. Yalira Castaneda – Bilingual Paraprofessional – Immigrant Parent Education Program – Various Locations- Bilingual ESL Centers, at the rate of \$29.00 per hour with students, and \$22.00 per hour without students, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-246-200-106-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$870.00 total.**
13. Ms. Sharon Harmon – Teacher – Immigrant Parent Education Program – Various Locations- Bilingual ESL Centers, at the rate of \$42.00 for facilitators and \$36.00 for participants, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-246-200-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$1,440.00 total.**

**o. Before/After School Program-Revision(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following revisions for before/afterschool programs(s):

1. Mr. Robert Fink – Custodian Engineer II – School Leadership Team – Dunn Middle School – at the rate of \$33.02 per hour, effective February 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (15-130-100-101-0009-00-10) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$3,630.00 total program. Previously approved on the February 23, 2015 agenda. To provide custodial duties. To revise the hourly rate.**
2. Approve the following Teachers – Extended Learning Program – Grant Elementary School, at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective December 16, 2014 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-100-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$40,692.00 total. (\$37,800.00-Salaries) (\$2,892.00-FICA) Previously approved on December 15, 2014 agenda. Revised to extend end date to June 30, 2015.**

Kurt Appleby  
Joyce Clark  
Michelle DePompo  
Irene Frey  
Milangee Herrera  
Dawn Kunkel  
Nancy Livesay  
Ingrid Megeed  
Mildred Ortiz  
Brittany Preston  
Luz Rios  
George Rosario  
Natalie Tymczynsyn  
Christine McKinney

Cora Bachik  
Johanna Cortez  
Dorren Dineen  
Debby Grant  
Bonita Johnson  
Regina Landgraf  
Cheryl Longo  
Evette Morales  
Callvin Peterson  
Charlotte Rankin  
Enrique Rivera  
Mary Beth Stewart  
Barbara Winckler

Mary Carral  
Blair Della Penna  
Stene Eutz  
Sharon Grube  
Archie Jones  
Sung Kane  
Margaret Mason  
Mary Jane Niver  
Erin Pirrera  
April Reid  
Marta Rivera  
Brittany Thomas  
Dora Vynnytsky

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3. Approve the following Teachers – Afterschool Extended Learning Program – Jefferson Elementary School, at the rate of \$42.00 per hour, effective January 21, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-101-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$33,910.00 total. (\$2,410.00-FICA). Previously approved on the January 20, 2015 agenda. Revision to extend date to June 30, 2015.**

Carrie Epifan	Renee Bailey	Roxanne Henry
Laura Perez	Susan Zevada	Robin Hall
Maria Spirio-Iavarone	Elena Stremlo	Lidia Durling
Andrea Guiliani	Tammy Harris	Jennifer LaGrassa
Alakee Bethea	Byron Carmichael	Marzell Munnerlyn-Brown
Carol Cekoric	Tia Townsend	Bree Williams
Robin Indeddi	Denise Mylowe	Joyce Williams
Shirley Williams	Adrienne Agnoli	Danny McEaddy
Doreen Harmon	Lisa Katz-Ballman	Mary Tomlin
David Phillips	Edie Brody	Ellen Decker
Leora Booker	Don Dixon	Jason Hui
Tore Hanssen	Claudette Jones	Danielle Larca
Jennifer Cartagena	Rosemary Ohanian	Michelle Liwacz

4. Approve the following Teachers – Afterschool Extended Learning Program – Hedgepeth /Williams Middle School, at the rate of \$42.00 per hour with students, and \$36.00 per hour without students, effective January 21, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-235-101-101-0009-15-82 - \$40,320.00) (20-235-200-101-0009015-82 - \$3,240.00) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$46,892.00.00 total. Previously approved on the January 20, 2015 agenda. Revision for additional names not submitted.**

Talihea Briggs  
Leslie Sanders  
Gavin Kramer

**p. Professional Development(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following professional development(s):

1. Approve the following Teachers – Progressive Science Initiative – Chemistry Cohort – Location TBD – at a stipend of \$1,000.00 per teacher, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-275-200-101-0009-15-82) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$5,000.00 total.**

Rupa Bhattacharya	Renard Kardhashi
Walter McCord	Mariah Foster
Gretchen Martus-Uray	



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2. Approve the following Teachers – Professional Development for School Leadership Team-Hegepeth/Williams Middle School, at the rate of \$36.00 per hour, effective March 24, 2015 through June 16, 2015. (20-236-200-101-0009-15-8)

**NOTE: Not to exceed \$3,000.00 total.**

Talihea Briggs	Armond Harris
Bruce Williams	Pamela Goff
Derek Taylor	Thomas Harrington

3. Approve the following Teacher – Science Lead Professional Development – Administration Building – at the rate of \$36.00 per hour, and \$42.00 per hour to turn-key to staff, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (20-275-200-101-0009-15-82)

**NOTE: Not to exceed \$500.00 per participant.**

Barbara Helfrey-Hayes	Linda Davis
Laurie Jennings	Myra Washington
Kimberly Cardona-Garcia	Alex Lozano

4. Approve the following Teachers – AMAO Related Initiatives – Bilingual/ESL Department, all Bilingual/ESL centers, at the rate of \$42.00 per hour for facilitators, and \$36.00 per hour for teachers, effective March 24, 2015 through June 30, 2015. (11-240-100-101-0009-00-81) **NOTE: Not to exceed \$100.00 per participant.**

Lanise Hill	Lynda Finlay	Doris Capo
Gail Chamberlain	Gavin Kramer	Shu-Fen Tiao
Xiomara Chen	Maegarita Maldonado	Deborah Davis
Orman LaFrance	Maria Eiras	Alba Wager
Ethan Schlamm	Reynaldo Fernandez	

**q. Student Teacher Practicum/Intern(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the resolution for the following candidates to complete their student teaching or internship practicum within the school district:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>School</u>
Javier Nicasio	King School	TCNJ
Elizabeth Hultberg	King School	TCNJ
Aileen Agosto	King School	TCNJ
Megan Eichmann	King School	TCNJ
Keri McGowan	King School	TCNJ

**r. Volunteers**

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BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following volunteers:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Kirk Greenawalt	Franklin
Sid Shah	TCHS West
Michelle Cooper	Franklin

**3. FINANCE & FACILITIES**

**a. Appropriation Transfers – January 2015**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A requires that the Board of Education approve appropriation transfers; and;

WHEREAS, the Superintendent has authorized the budget adjusted to reflect the appropriation transfers;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, does ratify the transfers approved by the Superintendent of Schools. (**Attachment 3-A**)

**b. A-148 Secretary’s Report – January 2015**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A-17-9, the Secretary of the Board of Education shall report to the Board at each regular meeting but no more than once each month, the amount of total appropriations and the cash receipts of each account, and the amount for which warrants have been drawn against each account and the amount of orders and contractual obligations been drawn against each account and the amount of orders and contractual obligations incurred and chargeable against each account since the date of the last report; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner has prescribed that such reporting take place on Form A-148;

WHEREAS, in compliance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11©3, the secretary has certified that, as of the date of the report(s) no budgetary line item account has obligations and payments (contractual orders) which in total exceed the amount appropriated by the district board of education;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education accepts the above referenced reports and certifications and orders that they be attached to and made part of the record of this meeting;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, in compliance with N.J.A.C 6A:23-2.11©4, the Board of Education certifies that, after review of the secretary’s monthly financial reports for January 2015, and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, to the best of its knowledge, no major account or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(b), and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district’s financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year. (**Attachment 3-B**)

**c. A-149 Treasurer’s Report – January 2015**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A-17-31 et seq. boards of education are required to have the appointed position of Treasurer of School Monies; and

WHEREAS, the Treasurer shall serve in trust to receive and hold all school monies belonging to the district; and

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WHEREAS, the Treasurer shall report to the Board of Education on a monthly basis on the Form A-149, which is prescribed by the Commissioner of Education;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, for the period ending January 31, 2015, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, adopt the A-149 and cause it to become a part of the official minutes of this meeting. **(Attachment 3-C)**

**d. Staff Travel**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, ratified staff attendance/participation in the following professional conferences, workshops, seminars or trainings with the requirements, that staff turn-key as required by administration those issues addressed at the approved professional development events which have relevance to improving instruction and/or operation of the school district.

Applicant	Position	School/ Dept.	Purpose	Location	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
Gretchen Biancone-Groff	Transportation Mgr.	CSB	Annual Cooperative Transportation Meeting	Piscataway NJ	3/25/15	Board	\$20.46	11-000-270-580-0000-00-65
Francisco Durán	Superintendent	CSB	NJASA/NJAPASA Spring Conference	Atlantic City NJ	5/13-15/15	Board	\$862.00	11-000-230-580-0000-00-51
Joanne M. Ford REVISED from 1/20/15 agenda	School Nurse	Trenton High Main	A Basic Guide To Intervention and Referral Services (I & RS)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	2015 April 21 REVISED		\$0	No Cost to Board
Rosa H. Ortega REVISED from 1/20/15 agenda	Social Worker/ IR&S Chairperson	Daylight/ Twilight HS	A Basic Guide To Intervention and Referral Services (I & RS)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	2015 April 21 REVISED		\$0	No Cost to Board
Debra A. Lopreato REVISED from 2/23/15 agenda	Teacher	Wilson	A Basic Guide To Intervention and Referral Services (I & RS)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	2015 April 21 REVISED		\$0	No Cost to Board
Pamela Owens	Executive Director	CSB	Edison Township Schools - Califon Seminar	Galloway NJ	4/17/15	Board	\$355	11-000-251-580-0000-00-52
Marcella Holmes	Soc. Wker	CSB	FEA Reducing Racial Disparities	Monroe, NJ	6/4/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Nicola Occhipinti	Sch. Psyc.	CSB	NJ Assoc. of School Psychologists	E.Windsor, NJ	5/8/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Kathryn Graf	PD Teacher	CSB	FEA Danielson Framework for Teaching	Monroe, NJ	4/14/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Sharron Grady	Director	Bldg. & Grounds	Accompany Girls & Boys Track Team for Penn Relays	Phila., PA	4/23-24/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Janice Phillips	Sp. Lang. Spec	CSB	Treatment Strategies for Apraxia of Speech	Voorhees, NJ	3/26/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Phyllis Plasky	Supervisor	CSB	NJDOE Fractions, Grades 3-5	Trenton, NJ	4/30/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Terry Hunter	Soc. Wker	CSB	FEA Keys to Close the Gap	Monroe, NJ	3/4/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Terry Hunter	Soc. Wker	CSB	FEA Reducing Racial Disparities	Monroe, NJ	6/4/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Sheila Polite	Learn. Consult	CSB	NJ Assoc. of School Psychologists	E. Windsor, NJ	5/8/2015		\$0	No Cost to Board
Gretchen Biancone-Groff	Transportation Mgr.	CSB	Mercer Co. Transportation Coordinator	Hamilton, NJ	04/13/15	Board	\$4.58	11-000-270-580-0000-00-65
Gretchen	Transportation	CSB	Mercer Co.	East Brunswick,	04/02/15	Board	\$17.80	11-000-270-

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Biancone-Groff	Mgr.		Transportation Coordinator	NJ				580-0000-00-65
Getchen Martus-Uray	Teacher Biology	Daylight/ Twilight HS	Connecting the Dots with STEM Academy Sponsored by FEA, NJASCD Discovery Education	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 14		\$0	No Cost to Board
Nadia Ramcharan	Teacher ESL	Dunn Middle	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Dora Vynnytsky	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27	Revised Grant	\$174	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Margaret R. Mason	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27	Revised Grant	\$174	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Sharon Grube	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27	Revised Grant	\$174	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Mildred Ortiz	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Regina Landgraf	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators,	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82

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			Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)					
Johana Cortez	Teacher ESL	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$259	<b>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</b>
Alfonso Llano	Principal	Grant Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<b>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</b>
Dawn Kelley	Teacher ESL	Hedgepeth /Williams Middle	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$259	<b>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</b>
Lori Nixon	School Nurse	Hedgepeth /Williams Middle	Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (BLS-HCP)	Capital Heath – Life Support Education Center Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 15		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Paula D. McCoy	Teacher Special Ed	Hedgepeth /Williams Middle	Dyslexia and the Reading Brain (K-12)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 15		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Sharon Dawson-Coates	Teacher	Hill Elementary	Problem Solving & Communicating Mathematically in Grades K-5	New Jersey Department of Education Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Cynthia Cech	Teacher	Hill Elementary	Problem Solving & Communicating Mathematically in Grades K-5	New Jersey Department of Education Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Catherine Dixon	Teacher	Hill Elementary	Problem Solving & Communicating Mathematically in Grades K-5	New Jersey Department of Education Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Amanda Diamandidis	Teacher	Kilmer	2014-2015 Mathematics Workshops For Middle School Teachers	Rutgers University New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 22		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Melinda Meyer (Smith)	Teacher	Kilmer	2014-2015 Mathematics Workshops For Middle School Teachers	Rutgers University New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 22		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Andrew	Teacher ESL	King	2015 Spring	Hyatt Regency	<u>2015</u>	Revised	\$259	<b>20-245-200-</b>

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Dorman		Elementary	Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	New Brunswick, NJ	May 27 & 28	Grant		580-0000-14-82
Lauren Wieczorek	Teacher ESL	King Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$259	<del>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</del>
Pauline Saravia	Teacher ESL	King Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<del>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</del>
Silvia Raines	Teacher ESL	King Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<del>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</del>
Nicole Gresko	Teacher Grade 3	Parker Elementary	Evidence, Evidence and More Evidence: Are Your on Target?	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	No Cost to Board
Nicole Gresko	Teacher Grade 3	Parker Elementary	Dyslexia and the Reading Brain (K-12)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 15		\$0	No Cost to Board
Ronald Fell, Jr.	Teacher Music	Rivera Elementary	Evidence, Evidence and More Evidence: Are Your on Target?	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	No Cost to Board
Natasha Agrawal	Teacher ESL	Robbins Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<del>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</del>
Jocilyn Fitts	Teacher ESL	Robbins Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<del>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</del>

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			Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)					
Mijah Christie	Teacher ESL	Robbins Annex Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>
Angela Guagliardi- Manutti	Teacher ESL	Robbins Annex Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$294	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>
Kristina Avisado	Teacher Grade 3	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>
Mayra Hernandez	Teacher Bilingual Grade 1	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>
Tonya Hammond	Teacher Grade 5	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>
Carolyn Plunket	Teacher Bilingual Grade 3	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200- 580-0000- 14-82</b>

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Lataska L. Brown	Teacher Special Ed	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Melanie Tard	Teacher ESL	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Norma Villanueva	Teacher ESL	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Zanaida Sanchez	Teacher Bilingual Grade 2	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Kelly Vogel-Henryk	Teacher Grade 4	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Kristine Burns	Teacher Grade 5	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Katherine Rios	Teacher Bilingual Kindergarten	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82



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			of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)					
Daisy Herrera	Teacher ESL	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</b>
Dalia Azzi	Teacher Kindergarten	Robeson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	<b>20-245-200-580-0000-14-82</b>
Nicole Akromas	Teacher Marketing	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Nicole Akromas	Teacher Marketing	Trenton High Main	CTE Alternate Route Capstone Conference	Brookdale Community College Lincroft, NJ	<u>2015</u> June 5		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Karen Barksdale	Teacher Computer	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Barry Conboy	Academic Chairperson	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Helen Cravo	Teacher Cosmetology	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Monica Morris	Teacher Culinary	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>
Karen Barksdale	Teacher of Business	Trenton High Main	New Jersey Business/Technolog	Crowne Plaza Hotel	<u>2015</u> April 15		\$0	<b>No Cost to Board</b>

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			y Education Association (NJBTEA) Spring Conference	Monroe Township, NJ				
John Pollock	Teacher Culinary	Trenton High Main	CTE Institute – To Obtain new and updated information on CTE Programs from the New Jersey Department of Education	College of New Jersey Ewing, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 28		\$0	No Cost to Board
Dorita Gray	Teacher Cosmetology	Trenton High Main	Visit Cosmetology Programs with very high success rates on the State Board Exam	Monmouth County Vocational School District Hazlet Campus Hazlet, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20		\$0	No Cost to Board
Dorita Gray	Teacher Cosmetology	Trenton High Main	CTE Alternate Route Capstone Conference	Brookdale Community College Lincroft, NJ	<u>2015</u> June 5		\$0	No Cost to Board
Mary Courtney	Vice Principal	Trenton High Main	The Administrators' Guide to Going 100% Google Apps for Education in Six Months	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	Revised <u>2015</u> April 20		\$0	No Cost to Board
Katherine Hammons	Teacher	Trenton High Main	Evidence, Evidence and More Evidence: Are Your on Target?	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	No Cost to Board
Katherine Hammons	Teacher	Trenton High Main	PARCC, Common Core and Writing Connections Grades (6-12)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 22		\$0	No Cost to Board
Katherine Hammons	Teacher	Trenton High Main	Reducing Racial Disparities in Discipline through Transformative Action for Equity	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> June 4		\$0	No Cost to Board
Monica Feliciano	Teacher ESL	Trenton High West	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Yelena Krasnopolskaya	Teacher ESL	Trenton High West	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Heather Koshar	Teacher ESL	Trenton High West	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82

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Sossi Armani	Teacher ESL	Trenton High West	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Cornelio Sabio	Teacher Bilingual	Trenton High West	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Grant	\$254	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Elise Kaye	Teacher ESL	Wilson Elementary	2015 Spring Conference New Jersey Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages/New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated (NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.)	Hyatt Regency New Brunswick, NJ	<u>2015</u> May 27 & 28	Revised Grant	\$349.04	20-245-200-580-0000-14-82
Debra Sewell	Teacher Kindergarten	Wilson Elementary	Evidence, Evidence and More Evidence: Are Your on Target?	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 31		\$0	No Cost to Board
Debra Sewell	Teacher Kindergarten	Wilson Elementary	Connecting the Dots with STEM Academy Sponsored by FEA, NJASCD Discovery Education	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 14		\$0	No Cost to Board
Debra Sewell	Teacher Kindergarten	Wilson Elementary	Dyslexia and the Reading Brain (K-12)	FEA Conference Center –Monroe Township, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 15		\$0	No Cost to Board
Elizabeth DeJesus, Hope Grant, John Dunston, Rupa Bhatracharrya, Nicole Hamlet, Anupama Benegal	Principal HS Teachers	Dunn MS TCHS – Main	Progressive Science Initiative (PSI)	Trenton Board of Education, Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> March 26		\$0	No Cost to Board
Nancy Livesay	Literacy Coach	CSB	NJDOE/Learning Ally Collaborative Workshop	Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20 May 28 June 10		\$0	No Cost to Board
Melody Alegria	Supervisor Special Education	CSB	NJDOE/Learning Ally Collaborative Workshop	Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20 May 28 June 10		\$0	No Cost to Board
Colleen Gillard	LDTC	CSB	NJDOE/Learning Ally Collaborative Workshop	Trenton, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20 May 28 June 10		\$0	No Cost to Board
Yesenia Budhu-Howell	HR Manager	CSB	Rowan University Education Expo	Glassboro, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 17		\$0	No Cost to Board
Paul Apollon	HR Analyst	CSB	Rowan University Education Expo	Glassboro, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 17		\$0	No Cost to Board
Jayne S.	Business	CSB	PSUG-NJ	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u>	Board	\$300.00	11-000-251-

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Wilfredo Ortiz	Supervisor School Support	CSB	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	11-000-221-580-0000-00-85
Hope Grant	Principal	TCHS- Main	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-5580-0000-00-05
Shenette Gray	Principal	Daylight/ Twilight	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-35
Paula Bethea	Principal	Kilmer	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-24
Elizabeth DeJesus	Principal	Dunn	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-10
Bernadette Trapp	Principal	Rivera	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-15
Carlos Gonzalez	Principal	Hedgepeth- Willams	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-08
Dr. Channing Conway	Principal	King	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-23
Lawrence Parker	Vice Principal	TCHS- West	PSUG-NJ Conference 2015	Atlantic City, NJ	<u>2015</u> April 20-22	Board	\$600.00	15-000-223-580-0000-00-04

**e. Facilities Report – March 2015**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** that the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools approves Community Organizations to use Trenton Board of Education Facilities.

ORGANIZATION/ DEPT.	DATES OF USAGE	DAY	FACILITY	TIME	PER-MIT	TBOE or Outside Usage	MTG	PROG	PD	Rec	Oth
Nicole Marino - Senior Pancake Breakfast	02/28/15	Saturday	TCHS - West	9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	2523	TBOE					X
Janet Nicodemus - Kindergarten Screening	03/07/15 - 03/14/15	Saturday	Grant	9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	10793	TBOE					X
Freddy Albarran - PARCC Awareness Readiness	02/24/15	Tuesday	Wilson	5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	10954	TBOE					X
Michael Tofte - Professional Development	03/04/15	Wednesdays	Columbus	3:30 PM - 5:30 PM	7455	TBOE			X		
Reggie Gillard - Union Meeting	02/21/15	Saturday	King	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	5112	TBOE	X				

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Crystal Dyous - February Family Night	02/26/15	Thursday	Rivera	5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	10619	TBOE													X
Hope Grant - Father/Daughter Dance	05/15/15	Friday	TCHS - 520 Chestnut Ave.	6:00 PM - 10:00 PM	9497	TBOE													X
Hope Grant - Women's TEA	05/17/15	Tuesday	TCHS - 544 Chestnut Ave.	3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	9496	TBOE													X
Wadner Gedeon - Student Recovery and PARCC Readiness Program	02/17/15 - 06/30/15	Tues. - Thurs.	Dunn	3:05 PM - 5:05 PM	10972	TBOE													X
Ann Carlucci - Dance	02/27/15	Friday	Franklin	5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	10761	TBOE													X
Jacqueline Jacobs - Ladies as Leaders Introduction Meeting	03/25/15	Wednesday	TCHS - West	6:00 PM	7459	TBOE	X												
Ann Carlucci - Dance	03/13/15	Friday	Franklin	5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	9703	TBOE													X
Ann Carlucci - PTO Meeting	02/23/15	Wednesday	Franklin	5:30 PM - 7:00 PM	9701	TBOE	X												
Adrienne Hill/Ivey Avery - Heal the City Celebration of Student in the Arts	02/26/15	Thursday	TCHS - 544 Chestnut Ave.	6:00 PM - 8:30	10671	TBOE													X
Monica Carmichael - Provider Meeting	02/25/15	Wednesday	Washington	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	9739	TBOE													X
Rae Richardson/Kep Short - Trenton Children's Chorus Use of Parking Lot	03/27/15 & 05/15/15	Friday	Stokes	5:00 PM - 10:00 PM	9502	OUTSIDE													X
Elizabeth Zwierzynski - Dance Troup Rehearsal	03/02/15 - 06/19/15	Mon., Tues. & Fri.	TCHS - 544 Chestnut Ave.	3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	10814	TBOE													X
Marcellina Grant-Reese - Open Enrollment/Health Fair	05/07/15 - 05/08/15	Thurs. & Fri.	Administration	9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	9738	TBOE													X

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Sheree Dublin - Pre K Fair	03/26/15 03/27/15 03/30/15	Thurs., Fri., & Mon.	Administration	03/26/15- 4:00 PM- 8:00 PM 03/27/15 - 8:00 AM- 8:00 PM 03/30/15 - 8:00 AM- 1:00 PM	9537	TBOE						X
Michael Tofte - PSI Chemistry Classes	<b>March</b> - 3, 5, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 26, 31 <b>April</b> - 2, 14, 18, 21, 28 <b>May</b> - 2, 5, 12, 16, 19, 26 <b>June</b> - 2, 6, 9, 11, 16, 18, 20, 23, 25, 27	Tues., Thurs., & Sat.	TCHS - Chancery Lane	4:30 PM - 7:30 PM - Tues. & Thurs. 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM - Saturdays	9756	TBOE				X		
Pamela Bennett - Teachers Workshop	3/26/2015	Thursday	Stokes	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	1048	TBOE				X		
Janet Nicodemus - Kindergarten Screening	04/25/15 05/02/15 05/23/15 06/20/15	Saturdays	Grant	9:00 AM - 2:30 PM	9580	TBOE						X
Sheree Dublin - Parent Workshop	03/19/15	Thursday	Washington	9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	10978	TBOE						X
Crystal Dyous - Mobile Vision Screening for Parents, Students, and Staff	03/11/15	Wednesday	Rivera	1:00 PM - 8:00 PM	10622	TBOE						X
Crystal Dyous - Math Night for Students and Parents	03/24/15	Tuesday	Rivera	5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	10621	TBOE						X
Crystal Dyous - Parent and Students Game Night	03/18/15	Wednesday	Rivera	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM	10620	TBOE						X
Kathleen Smallwood Johnson - Arbitration	04/20/15	Monday	Administration	9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	10589	TBOE	X					
Elizabeth Gill - TESA Meeting	03/16/15	Monday	Administration	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	10723	TBOE	X					

**f. List of Bills**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 18A:19.1 and N.J.S.A.18:6-31 provides for the Board of Education to authorize the payment of bills; and

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WHEREAS, the Business Administrator/Board Secretary has reviewed the documentation supporting the attached lists of bills;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, authorize and approve the payment of bills on the attached lists for the Monday, March 23, 2015 Board meeting in the amount of **\$28,960,680.93**.  
**(Attachment 3-F)**

**g. Acceptance of Donations**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, accepts funding from the following generous donors:

DONOR	AMOUNT	RECIPIENT	PLANNED USE FOR FUNDS
New Jersey Cares	Planters, Gardens, Wall Quotes	Rivera Middle School	Beautification of school building and grounds by volunteers on May 30, 2015

**h. Joint Transportation Agreement with Waterford Township Board of Education**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the 2014/2015 **Joint Agreement between Trenton Board of Education and Waterford Township BOE** for the provision of transportation services for a DCP&P placed student attending a Choice School in Vineland, a school to which Waterford Township BOE already provides transportation. Trenton BOE will pay Waterford Township BOE **\$10,800.00** for the 2014-2015 School Year Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Board President and Board Secretary are authorized and directed to execute said jointure on behalf of the Trenton Board of Education.

Account Code: 11-000-270-515-0000-00-65

**i. Resolution to Adopt the Final 2015-2016 Budget**

**WHEREAS**, the State Department of Education requires that the Trenton Board of Education adopt a FY 2015/2016 district budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the District administration has presented the Trenton Board of Education with an overview of the budget in the amount of **\$297,779,827**; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED** that the Trenton Board of Education hereby approves the adoption of the FY 2015/2016 district budget as follows: **(Attachment 3-N)**.

General Fund	\$236,789,109
Special Revenue	\$ 39,878,056
Tax Levy	\$ 21,115,662
 Total Budget	 <b><u>\$297,779,827</u></b>

**j. Resolution to Reclassify Tuition Costs for Delaware Valley School and Children's Day School for 2014-2015**

BE IT RESOLVED; that the Trenton Board of Education authorizes the reclassification of previously approved tuition costs at Delaware Valley School and Children's Day School as follows:

FROM: GAAP Code 11-000-100-566-0000-00-84

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TO: GAAP Code 20-250-100-500-0000-15-84  
Funding Source: IDEA - Basic

**k. Revised 2014-2015 School Calendar**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **Revised 2014-2015 School Calendar (Attachment 3-L)**.

**l. Resolution to Withdraw Funds from Maintenance Reserve Account**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the withdrawal of **\$5,000,000.00** from the Maintenance Reserve Account for the purpose of funding proposed required maintenance projects (**Attachment 3-M**).

**m. Resolution Approving Board Advocacy Regarding Charter Schools**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey State Department of Education (NJDOE) has approved three charter schools in the last five years and expanded four charter schools in the last five years, reducing the budget of the Trenton Board of Education (Board) by \$36,013,967 for the 2015-16 school year; and

WHEREAS, these reductions in funding have forced the Board to cut programs and services; and  
WHEREAS, the Board recognizes its important responsibility to provide quality education for ALL of the children of Trenton, not only those who attend existing charter schools or school choice districts; and

WHEREAS, the Board is committed to finding effective solutions that improve the quality of public education for ALL children of Trenton.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board will strongly advocate for a moratorium on approvals of new and expanded charter schools in the city of Trenton and a freeze on the number of school choice placements from the City of Trenton; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board will urge all elected officials representing the city of Trenton to advocate and support this moratorium;

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution will be delivered to all elected officials representing the City of Trenton.

**n. Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Systems Focused Mental Health Counseling**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/ Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Systems Focused Mental Health Counseling for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

**o. Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Youth Development Services**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Youth Development Services for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.



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p. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Daycare and Transportation Services**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Daycare and Transportation Services for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

q. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Case Management, Education and Support Services for Expectant Teens Attending Trenton Central High School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Prospective Agency/Organization to Provide Case Management, Education and Support Services for Expectant Teens Attending Trenton Central High School for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

r. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Organization to Provide Virtual/On-Line Courses for High School Credit to Trenton Public School District for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorize the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared a **Request for Proposal** to provide **Virtual/On-Line Courses for High School Credit to Trenton Public School District** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

s. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide On-Line Professional Development Portal for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorize the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared a **Request for Proposal** to provide an **on-line professional development portal** for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

t. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide On-Line, Differentiated, Common Core State Standard/Trenton Public Schools Curriculum Aligned Instructional Support for Reading in Grades 2-12**

BE IT RESOLVED: that Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorize the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared a **Request for Proposal** to provide **an on-line, differentiated, Common Core State Standard/Trenton Public Schools curriculum aligned instructional support for reading in grades 2-12** for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

u. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Instructional Curricular Framework for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal** (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide **Instructional Curricular Framework** for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

v. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Middle School Literacy Teacher Leaders and Classroom Teachers in English Language Arts and Literacy for 2015-2016**

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BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Middle School Literacy Teacher Leaders and Classroom Teachers in English Language Arts and Literacy** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

- w. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Elementary School Literacy Teacher Leaders and Classroom Teachers in English Language Arts and Literacy for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Elementary School Literacy Teacher Leaders and Classroom Teachers in English Language Arts and Literacy** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

- x. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Math Teachers and Teacher Leaders for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Comprehensive Professional Development for Math Teachers and Teachers Leaders** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

- y. **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Reading and Math Diagnostic Assessment for Grades K-12 for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Reading and Mathematics Diagnostic Assessment for grades K-12** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

- z. **Resolution for Professional Services Contract with Challenge Day for Rivera Middle School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Challenge Day for Rivera Middle School** for the 2014-2015 school year at a cost not to exceed **\$9,450.00**. The program will involve team building and character development.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
Account Code: 20-236-200-300-0000-15-82

- aa. **Resolution for Services Contract with New Jersey PTA in Support of Parental Engagement**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **New Jersey PTA** in support of parental

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engagement for the 2014-2015 school year at a cost not to exceed **\$890.00**. PTA officers from the district will have the opportunity to attend workshops on leadership and parent advocacy

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
Account Code: 20-235-200-300-0000-15-82

**bb. Resolution for Professional Services Contract with Chris Anderson for CTE Professional Development in Precision and General Construction Trades**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Chris Anderson to provide CTE professional development at Trenton Central High School** for the 2014-2015 school year at a cost not to exceed **\$5,325.00**. The New Jersey Department of Education used Chris Anderson to offer training to school districts demonstrating the alignment of curriculum with new standards in Precision and General Construction Trades, CIP 460000. District teachers participated in the training. The district desires to continue the training thus facilitating job-embedded professional development via the actual lab setting at TCHS. The desired outcome of the PD is assurance of fidelity to the implementation of the new standards.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
Account Code: 20-361-200-300-0000-15-05

**cc. Request for Proposal (RFP) for an organization to provide Title I Part A Services to Eligible Non Public School Students in Grades PreK-12 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorize the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared a **Request for Proposal** to provide **Title I Part A Services to Eligible Non Public School Students in Grades PreK-12 2015-2016** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

**dd. Resolution for Professional Services Contract with Gregory Corbin for Kilmer Middle School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Gregory Corbin for Kilmer Middle School** for the 2014-2015 school year at a cost not to exceed **\$3,900**. Students will participate in creating writing workshops culminating in presentations at assemblies and a poetry night.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, directs administration to obtain a purchase order and have it provided to the vendor/consultant prior to receiving any goods or services from said vendor/consultant.  
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**ee. Resolution to Collaborate with Motivation to Success on the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Grant (21<sup>st</sup> CCLC)**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Collaborate with Motivation to Success on the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Grant (21<sup>st</sup> CCLC) for 2015-2016**. Motivation to Success is eligible to submit a grant under the program guidelines and desires to

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partner with the Trenton School District on behalf of Daylight/Twilight High School. The grant will be submitted to the New Jersey Department of Education.

**ff. Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Program Support and Services to Homeless Students under the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth Grant Programs for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/ Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Program Support and Services to Homeless Students under the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth Grant Programs for 2015-2016** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

**gg. Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide 1:1 Aides, Special Education 504 for Grades Pre-K Through 12 to Trenton Public School District for 2015-2016**

BE IT RESOLVED: that Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorize the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared a **Request for Proposal** to provide 1:1 Aides, Special Education 504 for Grades Pre-K Through 12 to Trenton Public School District for 2015-2016 which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

**hh. Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Before & After School Programs (2015-2016)**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation for the Superintendent of Schools, authorizes the School Business Administrator/Purchasing Agent to prepare or have prepared **Request for Proposal (RFP) for Prospective Organization to Provide Before & After School Programs** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4.

**ADJOURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Mr. Truehart to adjourn the meeting into Executive Session. **All** were in favor, **0** opposed **0** abstentions.

Ms. Millington listed the items on this evening's Executive Session agenda:

Any pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiations other than those in Paragraph 4 to which the Board is or may become a party, and any matter falling within the Attorney-Client Privilege, to the extent that confidentiality is required to preserve the Attorney-Client relationship and allow the Attorney to exercise his/her ethical duties as a lawyer;

**MATTER/CAPTION** Settlement Agreements in the matters of C.V. obo R.P. vs. TBOE (special education) and D.J. vs. TBOE (non-renewal of employment contract); TEA vs. TBOE – Board Grievance Committee decision (Involuntary Transfers & Reassignments); Legal Invoices as follows:

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- \$827.50 to Arbitrator Joyce M. Klein – TESA vs TBOE – Admin II Secretary performing duties of Manager of School Discipline, Safe Schools and Student Policies
- \$108.10 to Comegno Law Group – Special Counsel to the Board – Legal Services for the period 1/1/15 to 1/31/15
- \$75.00 to American Arbitration Association – TESA vs TBOE – postponement fee for hearing rescheduled
- \$4096.00 to Florio Perrucci Steinhardt & Fader LLC – General Legal Services
- \$16,591.30 to Florio Perrucci Steinhardt & Fader LLC – IMO NJSDA vs. Hill International
- \$816.00 to Florio Perrucci Steinhardt & Fader LLC – IMO M.V. vs. TBOE (ADA accommodation)
- \$1,776.90 to Florio Perrucci Steinhardt & Fader LLC – IMO NJ Foundation for Open Government (OPRA for meeting minutes)
- \$91.35 to Schenk Price Smith & King LLP – Legal Services for State Monitor on 2/4/15

Personnel matters related to the employment, appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance of, promotion, or disciplining of any specific prospective public officer or employee or current public officer or employee employed or appointed by the public body, unless all individuals who could be adversely affected request, in writing, that the matter be discussed at a public meeting;

**DESCRIPTION OF MATTER(S)** Recommendation for 60-day notice to sever employment contract for B.G.; Discussion of Superintendent’s Evaluation

**ADJOURN 8:34 p.m.**

**REOPEN PUBLIC MEETING**

Open Public Meeting reconvened at 9:00 p.m.

**1. Settlement Agreement – C.V. obo R.P. (Special Ed)**

Motion was made by Dr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Truehart to approve the Settlement Agreement in the special education matter of C.V. obo R.P vs. TBOE. The motion was **approved** unanimously by the Board.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		

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Lucy Vandenberg                   X  
Denise Millington                 X

**2.    Board Grievance Committee Decision (TEA)**  
**Grievance No. 08-15-01-341 – Involuntary Transfer and Reassignment**

Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Ms. Gussin to accept the Grievance Committee’s decision to deny the above grievance. The motion was approved unanimously by the Board.

<b>ROLL CALL</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	X		

**3.    Legal Invoices for Reimbursement**

TESA vs. TBOE  
AAA Case Number 18-20-1400-0182  
Payment of **\$827.50** to Joyce M. Klein, Arbitrator & Mediator

Matter No. TRE-005-002  
Legal Services from Special Counsel – 1/1/15 to 1/31/15  
Payment of **\$108.10** to Comegno Law Group

American Arbitration Association Invoice  
Postponement Fee IMO:18-20-1400-0182  
TESA & TBOE ADM II SEC II FACE Perform Duties of  
Manager of School Discipline  
Payment of **\$75.00**

Florio Perrucci Steinhardt & Fader, LLC  
Attorney Fees – February 2015

Invoice#	IMO	Amount Due
105469	General Legal Services	\$ 4,096.00
105470	NJSDA vs. Hill International	\$16,591.30
105471	Matthew Vick v TBOE	\$ 816.00
105472	NJ Foundation/Open Govt.	<u>\$ 1,776.90</u>
Total amount due:		<b>\$23,253.20</b>

Schenck, Price, Smith & King, LLP  
Legal Advice to State Monitor – February 2015  
Payment of **\$91.35**

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Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Ms. Gussin to approve payment of the above legal invoices. The motion was **approved** unanimously by the Board.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	X		

**4. Settlement Agreement and Release – Donnie Johnson vs. TBOE**

Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Dr. Rosenbaum to approve the above settlement agreement. The motion was **approved** unanimously by the Board.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	X		

**5. Principal Recommendation to give 60 Days Notice to Sever Employment Contract for Brian Greaves**

Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Dr. Rosenbaum to approve the above recommendation. The motion was **approved** unanimously by the Board.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
D. A. Graham	X		
Fiah Gussin	X		
Jason Redd	X		
Jane Rosenbaum	X		
Guillermo Gomez Salazar	X		
Gerald Truehart II	X		
Lucy Vandenberg	X		
Denise Millington	X		

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Motion was made by Mr. Redd and seconded by Dr. Graham to adjourn the meeting at 9:03 p.m.

**ADJOURN** 9:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

*Jayne S. Howard*

Jayne S. Howard  
Business Administrator/Board Secretary