

**TRENTON BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**108 North Clinton Avenue**  
**Trenton, New Jersey 08609**  
**BOARD REGULAR MEETING**  
**Monday – April 26, 2010 – 7:00 P.M.**  
**MINUTES**

**Completed April 28, 2010**  
**Convened at 7:03 P.M.**

**Call to Order**

Dr. Diane Campbell, President, called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. In the absence of a quorum, formal action was delayed until 7:35 p.m.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Dr. Diane Campbell, President, led the salute to the flag.

**Roll Call**

**Present:**

T. Missy Balmir – arrived 7:40 p.m.

Harry Luna

Donald O. Shelton

Marcellus Smith

Nicola Tatum – arrived 7:35 p.m.

L. Diane Campbell

**Excused Absent:**

Alexander Brown

Elizabeth Johnson

**Superintendent of Schools** - Rodney Lofton - Present

**New Jersey Sunshine Law** - Read by Jayne Howard, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

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**

President Campbell advised the Board of the following changes to tonight's agenda:

- There is an addendum to tonight's agenda.
- Finance Items V-X (Financial Reports for February 2010) will be pulled and placed on the May agenda.
- Finance Item A has been updated to show the Award of Contract to the vendor.
- Finance Item O will be pulled to the May 17 Reorganization Meeting.
- There is a second addendum relative to a Student Study Trip for Franklin and Grant Schools.

Dr. Campbell asked for a motion to adopt the agenda.

Motion by Mr. Smith and seconded by Ms. Tatum 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>
T. Missy Balmir		not present for vote	
Alexander Brown		absent	
Elizabeth Johnson		absent	
Harry Luna	X		
Donald O. Shelton	X		
Marcellus Smith	X		
Nicola Tatum	X		
L. Diane Campbell	X		

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

President Campbell read the following statement prior to public comment:

*The Board President is the spokesperson for the Board of Education. It is not the role of the individual board members to respond to the public during Public Comment. This is the public's time. If the Board President feels that concerns need more clarification or background information for a factual response, it will be referred to the administration for a response.*

Ms. Tanisha Powell, President of the Trenton Business & Technical Association, expressed disappointment with the proposed abolishment of Security positions on the agenda.

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Ms. Marlena Ventura, Teacher at Kilmer School, voiced her support for the Security Officers in the District.

Principal Tunstall from Washington School spoke in support of the Security Officers. She also expressed her concerns about the elimination of the Senior Secretary positions at the schools.

Mr. Elroy Young, Security Officer at Kilmer School, felt that essential personnel were being abolished.

Ms. Patricia Vogt and Ms. Ann Sciarrotta, President and Vice President of the Trenton Educational Secretaries Association, expressed concern about the number of secretaries whose positions are slated for abolishment, and they asked the rationale behind the decision.

Mr. Jack Washington, Teacher at TCHS Main, said that teachers need security at the high school, and he felt that cost reductions could be made in other areas in order to save the security and secretary positions.

Ms. Hope Jarvis, Security Officer, expressed concern about the reduction in force for Security.

Mr. James Crawford, Security Officer at TCHS West, expressed concern about the possible privatization of Security.

The following Security Officers spoke about the economic hardships they would face with loss of employment: Ms. Lera Nock, Security Officer at Dunn Middle School; Mr. Edgardo Figueroa, Security Officer at Dunn Middle School; Ms. Edith Cheek, Security Officer at Dunn Middle School

Mr. Tyrone McNeese, Security Officer at TCHS Main, spoke with two fellow Officers regarding the daily challenges they face at the high school.

Mr. Phillip Ravenell, parent, spoke in support of the Security Officers and felt the unit should not be privatized.

Ms. Susan Nardi, field representative from the NJEA for the Trenton Business & Technical Association and for the Trenton Educational Secretaries Association, spoke against the possible privatization of Security. She also questioned the bidding process on supplying uniforms for the Security Officers.

Ms. Philicia Baker, Security Officer at TCHS West, spoke about the many ways the Security Officers serve the students.

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Mr. Tony Mack, Trenton resident, asked the Board to vote “no” on the privatization of Security. He felt the savings would not be significant enough to justify the force reduction.

Ms. Sherry Watkins, Vice President-Security for the Trenton Business & Technical Association, spoke about the many services the Security Officers provide.

Officer Stills from TCHS Main spoke about the daily challenges that Security Officers face.

**SUPERINTENDENT’S REMARKS**

Mr. Lofton read an In Memoriam for Dr. Alma McCloud Salter, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment. Dr. Salter passed away on March 26, 2010.

Mr. Lofton advised that the Office of Legislative Services does not support the Governor’s budget proposal, and he hoped this would continue when the Legislature votes on the budget.

Mr. Lofton said that the Board has received notice of almost 200 students failing the Alternative High School Assessment (AHSA) test. This is a Statewide problem, with over 90 percent of students who took the AHSA returning a failing grade. The State Department of Education is reassessing the way the test is scored, and they will re-administer it in August.

**BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS**

Mr. Smith urged everyone to work together for the good of the children. Mr. Shelton gave his perspective as a Board Member on the reductions in staff and ways to cut expenses.

**BOARD ACTION ON THE CONSENT AGENDA**

**Meeting Minutes:**

March 8, 2010 Board Conference and Executive Session

March 19, 2010 Special Board Meeting

March 22, 2010 Regular Board and Executive Session

March 26, 2010 Special Board Meeting

**Superintendent’s Recommendations:**

Curriculum, Instruction, Assessment & Student Services (1)

Human Resources (2)

Finance & Facilities (3)

**Board Committee Reports:**

Curriculum, Mr. Smith, 3/4/10

Human Resources (Confidential), Dr. Campbell, 3/22/10

There were no comments or questions on the Consent Agenda.

Motion by Mr. Smith and seconded by Ms. Balmir to approve the Consent Agenda with the changes noted at adoption. Consent Agenda was **approved** by all Board Members present with the **exception** of Human Resources “b” – Abolishment of

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Positions, on both the original Superintendent’s Recommendations and the April 26 addendum.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
T. Missy Balmir	X		
Alexander Brown	absent		
Elizabeth Johnson	absent		
Harry Luna	X		
Donald O. Shelton	X		
Marcellus Smith	X		
Nicola Tatum	X		
L. Diane Campbell	X		

A concentrated discussion ensued among Board Members and the Superintendent regarding the ramifications of the Board’s vote. A Special Board Meeting will be held on May 3 at 8:00 a.m. for the purpose of taking action on the Reappointment Lists and the Reduction in Staff.

**Addendum:**

**Add - 1. CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, ASSESSMENT & STUDENT SERVICES**

**CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION & ASSESSMENT:**

**a. Student Study Trips**

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

					Type	No. of				
Agenda	Applicant	School	Destination	Purpose	Edu./Inct.	Students	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
Apr.	Bohn	TCHS West	Trent Center Trenton	Musical Concert Performance	Edu/Inct	40	5/12/10	Board	100	15-190- 100-890- 0051-00- 05
Apr.	Cooper, Houghton	Harrison	Stony Brook Watershed Pennington NJ	Nature Studies	Edu/Inct	19	5/14/10			No cost to the board
Apr.	Irvin, Merritt, Shabazz	TCHS ROTC	Medieval Times Lyndhurst NJ	History	Edu/Inct	45	5/7/10	Board	600	15-000- 270-512- 0050-00- 05
Apr.	Brown	TCHS	Princeton University Princeton NJ	Social Studies	Edu/Inct	22	5/14/10	Board	400	15-000- 270-512- 0050-00- 05 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
Apr.	Plunkett, Pucciatti	TCHS	Trinity Cathedral Church Trenton NJ	Battle of the Bands	Edu/Inct	25	5/1/10	Board	250	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65

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Apr.	Plunkett, Pucciatti	TCHS	Marriott Trenton NJ	TPEF Fundraiser Performance	Edu/Inct	25	5/6/10	Board	400	11-000- 270-106- 0009-00- 65 15-140- 100-101- 0059-00- 05
Apr.	Plunkett, Pucciatti	TCHS	Mercer County Comm. College Student Center West Windsor NJ	Youth College Awards Ceremony Performance	Edu/Inct	25	5/8/10	Board	700	11-000- 270-106- 0009-00- 65 15-140- 100-101- 0059-00- 05
Apr.	Stillitano, Chesner, Garrett, Tandy, Hicks, Fuller, Peterson, Vereen, Gregory, Grom, Carrasquillo, Waseleski, Jones, Tandy, Sanasac, Montgomery, Wiggins	Hill	Minskoff Theatre New York City	"The Lion King" Musical	Edu/Inct	200	4/28/10 Date change - Originally Board approved on 12/7/09	Donati ons And Fund- raising	16,105	20-236- 200-890- 0000-09- 32 20-464- 100-800- 0000-10- 32 20-236- 200-580- 0000-09- 32 15-190- 100-890- 0000-00- 32
Apr.	Lofton	All TPC Schools	Jasna Polana Golf Club Lawrenceville NJ	Life Skills, Inspirational Program	Edu/Inct	400	5/11/10	Board	720.00	11-000- 221-320- 0000-00- 51

**b. Resolution for Jasna Polana Area Wide Junior Clinic**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Jasna Polana Area Wide Junior Clinic** on May 11, 2010 at a cost not to exceed **\$720.00**. The program will allow 400 students in Grades 4-12 the opportunity to learn life skills through this inspirational program using the sport of golf as a basis for the lessons. The cost represents the payment of the bus drivers' overtime fees. Jasna Polana has offered to supply two buses for transporting students.

(Account Code: 11-000-221-320-0000-00-51)

**Add - 2. HUMAN RESOURCES**

**a. Retirements**

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

1. Mr. Paul Khauli – 25 years – Custodian – Trenton Central High School – Main Campus, effective July 1, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)

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2. Ms. Lillian Occhipinti – 39 years – Director of Bilingual/ESL & Foreign Born Education – Central Services Bldg, effective July 1, 2010. (11-000-221-104-0000-00-81)
3. Ms. Rhonda Kaufmann – 11 years – Special Education Teacher – Jefferson Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-23)
4. Ms. Virginia Allen – 3 years – Security Officer – Hill Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-000-266-110-0001-00-23)
5. Ms. Joyce Kirby – 25 years – Cleaner Light Full Time – Joyce Kilmer Elementary School, effective June 1, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)
6. Mr. Cleveland Heading – 10 years – Custodian – Hill Elementary School, effective September 1, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)

**b. Abolishment of Positions – NOT APPROVED**

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

Special Services	1	Administrative I Secretary
Various Locations	76	Security Officers (10 months)
Various Locations	4	Security Officers (12 months)
Admin Bldg.	3	Dispatchers
Security Dept.	2	Roving Patrol Officers
Security Dept.	1	Director of Security

**Add - 3. FINANCE & FACILITIES**

**a. 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 for the month of April 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	Purpose	Location	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
Katherine Litman	Teacher	Dunn	NJ GEAR UP Professional Development in Classroom Management	New Brunswick NJ	5/7/10			No cost to the Board
Audrey Montero	Paraprofessional	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010	Somerset NJ	5/18-19/10	Grant	148.66	20-245-

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			Spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators					200-800-0000-10-82
Nicole Bethea	Reading First Intervention Teacher	Various	Coaching in a Climate of Change	Philadelphia, PA	5/11-12/10	Grant	97.00	20-307-200-580-0000-10-82
Marie Giquinto	Reading First Intervention Teacher	Various	Coaching in a Climate of Change	Philadelphia, PA	5/11-12/10	Grant	97.00	20-307-200-580-0000-10-82
Mary Tomlin	Reading First Intervention Teacher	Various	Coaching in a Climate of Change	Philadelphia, PA	5/11-12/10	Grant	97.00	20-307-200-580-0000-10-82
Rodney Lofton	Superintendent	Admin.	Big Ideas in the Big Apple - Success Maker	New York, NY	6/10-11/10			No cost to the Board
William Tracy	Proj. Dir. Communications	Admin.	Safe Schools/Healthy Grant Communications Institute Training	Bethesda, MD	5/10-13/10	Grant	1,324.00	20-316-200-580-0000-10-57
Cordelia Staton	Community Liaison	Admin.	Safe Schools/Healthy Grant Communications Institute Training	Bethesda, MD	5/10-13/10	Grant	1,324.00	20-316-200-580-0000-10-57
Nicole A. Carmichael	Math Coach	Harrison	Using Math Centers to Strengthen Your Math Prog.	Drexel Hill, PA	5/6/2010	Grant	199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Jill Wiley-Maurice	Math Coach	Washington	Using Math Centers to Strengthen Your Math Prog.	Drexel Hill, PA	5/6/2010	Grant	199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Judie Winogron	Math Coach	Cadwalader	Using Math Centers to Strengthen Your Math Prog.	Drexel Hill, PA	5/6/2010	Grant	199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82

**b. Summer Food Service Program Contract**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **Summer Food Service Program Contract** between *Aramark Services (TBOE)* and *the City of Trenton*, as per the terms and conditions of the contract (**Attachment Add-3b**).

**c. Acceptance of Donations to P. J. Hill School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution accepting **Donations to P. J. Hill School totaling \$1,693.00** from the following:

Target Field Trip Grants Program	\$800.00
Jean Stieber Memorial Fund	\$500.00
Susan Ferrara	\$100.00
Dionne S. Jones	\$90.00
National Association of University Women	\$76.50

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Debutante	
National Association of University Women	\$76.50
Dianne Partee	\$50.00

The funds will be used to benefit the Hill school student trip to the Broadway production of The Lion King.

**d. Resolution to Change School Hours for 2010-2011**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Change School Hours for 2010-2011** as follows: *transportation of special education & public school students arrival and dismissal times will change from 8:45 AM – 3:25 PM, (K – 8). Dunn Middle School & Trenton High Main Campus will start at 8:25 AM – 2:55 PM. Trenton High West Campus will start at 8:05 AM - 2:35 PM & Daylight Twilight will start at 7:30 AM – 1:55 PM.*

**Second Addendum:**

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Apr.	Ramirez	Grant & Franklin	TCHS Main Campus	Arbor Day Celebration	Edu./Inct.	20	4/30/10			No cost to the Board

**SUPERINTENDENT’S RECOMMENDATIONS:**

**1. CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, ASSESSMENT & STUDENT SERVICES**  
**CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION & ASSESSMENT**

**a. Resolution to Approve District Technology Plan for 2010-2013**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for the **District Technology Plan for 2010-2013** to be submitted to the Mercer County Distance Learning Coordinating Council for approval. (**Attachment 1-A**)

**CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION & ASSESSMENT – SCHOOLS:**

**b. Student Study Trips**

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BE IT RESOLVED: “that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following field trips. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**”

Agenda	Applicant	School	Destination	Purpose	Type	No. of	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
					Edu./Inct.	Students				
April	L. Tindall, Roy, Rand, Young	Robbins	Liberty Science Center Jersey City NJ	Science	Edu/Inct	100	4/13/10	Board	Originally approved at no cost to Board; Cost = \$690.00	15-190-100-890-0000-00-23
April	G. Spencer, Ellis	Cadwalader	Franklin Institute Philadelphia PA	Science & Reading	Edu/Inct	13	4/16/2010	Board	170	15-190-100-890-0000-00-16
April	S.Mueller	Harrison	NJ Museum Trenton	Science	Edu/Inct	23	5/12/2010			No cost to the board
April	R.Rubino	Mott	Trenton Thunder Waterfront Park Trenton	Social Studies	Edu/Inct	140	5/25/2010			No cost to the board
April	C.O'Donnell, C. Mason	Hill	Stuart Country Day Princeton NJ	Citizenship	Edu/Inct	45	5/25/2010			No cost to the board
April	Maurais, Bachik, Rios	Grant	Camden Aquarium Camden NJ	Environmental Studies	Edu/Inct	60	6/17/2010			No cost to the board
April	Diaz, Royster, Albarran	Dunn/ESL	Sun Center Trenton	Barnum Circus Show	Edu/Inct	27	5/14/2010			No cost to the board
April	McKinney, Whittaker, Eutz, Frey	Grant	Sun Center Trenton	Ringling Bros. Circus	Edu/Inct	57	5/14/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Gary, Cook, Rivera	Cadwalader	Franklin Institute Philadelphia PA	Technology	Edu/Inct	42	4/26/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Albright, Toth,	TCHS-West	Seton Hall University Newark NJ	Mock Trials	Edu/Inct	15	4/15/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Harris, Alexander	Washington	Philadelphia Zoo Philadelphia PA	Science	Edu/Inct	50	4/15/2010	Board	400	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Harris, Rios, Delate	Washington	Philadelphia Zoo Philadelphia PA	Science	Edu/Inct	50	4/14/2010	Board	400	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Jennings, Steele, Hoggan	Monument	Philadelphia Zoo Philadelphia PA	Science	Edu/Inct	45	4/13/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Brooks, Brunell, Marreera	Mott	Mercer County Park Hamilton NJ	Phys. Ed.	Edu/Inct	500	7/15/2010	Board	2,400	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Barksdale, Williams, Sadoff, Morrison, Malach, D. Brown, R. Brown,	TCHS-Main	Business & Marketing Education Day – Six Flags Jackson NJ	Marketing & Business	Edu/Inct	102	5/6/2010	Board	600	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65

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April	Mylowe, Montague, Williams	Stokes	Johnsons Corner Farm Medford NJ	Seasonal changes	Edu/Inct	60	5/13/2010	Board	400	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Grady	TCHS SLC	Millennium Skating Rink Camden NJ	Consumer, Family & Life Skills	Edu/Inct	150	7/16/2010	Grant Board	1,649 670	20-315- 200-580- 0001-10- 82 11-000- 270-106- 0009-00- 65
April	Grady	TCHS SLC	Hamilton Bowling Lane Hamilton NJ	Consumer, Family & Life Skills	Edu/Inct	150	7/9/2010	Grant Board	1,650 750	20-315- 200-580- 0001-10- 82 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Encamacion , Mitala, Hofer, Toth, Long, Devine, Fennell, McCamy	TCHS- West	Millennium Skating Rink Camden NJ	Science	Edu/Inct	275	6/16 & 6/17	Board	7,725	15-000- 270-512- 0050-00- 50 15-190- 100-890- 0051-00- 05 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Schwartz	TCHS- West	Liberty Science Center Jersey City NJ	Bridge to Employment	Edu/Inct	20	4/13/2010	Board	200	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Beaston, Gaonzales, Brown	Kilmer	Animal Kingdom Zoo Bordentown NJ	Science/Lang.Arts	Edu/Inct	15	5/4/2010	Grant Board	141 200	20-218- 100-800- 0000-00- 59 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Beaston, Brown	Kilmer	Sun Bank Trenton	Ringling Bros. Circus	Edu/Inct	15	5/14/2010	Grant Board	331 200	20-218- 100-800- 0000-00- 59 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	Hopke, Brown	Gregory	Sun Bank Trenton	Ringling Bros. Circus	Edu/Inct	30	5/14/2010	Grant Board	651 200	20-218- 100-800- 0000-00- 59 11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	McKinney, Chant, Whittaker, Eutz, Frey	Grant	Sun Bank Trenton	Ringling Bros. Circus	Edu/Inct	57	5/14/2010	Board	200	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65
April	L'Oiseau, Rand,	Robbins	Kidsbridge Children's Museum	Visual & Performing Arts,	Edu/Inct	50	4/19/2010 Date	Board	200	11-000- 270-160-

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	Young, Rodriguez, Simpson		Ewing NJ	Career Ed & Consumer, Family & Life Skills			Change			0009-00-65
April	Grant	TCHS-SBYSP	The Kimmel Center Philadelphia PA	Social, Recreational & Cultural Activity	Edu/Inct	40	4/22/2010	Board	4,362	20-470-200-580-0019-10-05
April	Julie Thomas	All Schools	War Memorial Bldg. Trenton	TEDI Performances	Edu/Inct		Week of 5/17/10			No cost to the board
April	Julie Thomas, Ruth Palmer	Mott H/W Rivera Wilson Franklin	H/W War Memorial Bldg.	TEDI Rehearsals	Edu/Inct		5/14/2010 Week of 5/17/10			No cost to the board
April	I.Frey, Caarral, Niver	Grant	Jenkinson's Aquarium Point Pleasant NJ	Science	Edu/Inct	65	5/25/2010			No cost to the board
April	Schlamm	Dunn	National Constitute Center Philadelphia PA	American History	Edu/Inct	50	5/6/2010			No cost to the board
April	Toth, Albright	TCHS-West	Mercer County Courthouse Trenton	Citizenship	Edu/Inct	30	5/7/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Phillips, Lakins, Rubino, Marrero	Mott	Curtis Bowling Lane Ewing NJ	Phys. Ed.	Edu/Inct	35	6/18/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	McKinney, Chant	Grant	Ringling Bros. Circus Trenton NJ	Visual & Performing Arts	Edu/Inct	30	5/14/2010	Grant Board	350 200	20-218-100-800-0000-00-59 11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Wyatt-Simpson, Hauselt	Harrison	Kidsbridge Children's Museum Ewing NJ	Consumer, Family & Life Skills	Edu/Inct	27	4/27/2010			No cost to the board
April	Wyatt-Simpson, Clark	Harrison	Kidsbridge Children's Museum Ewing NJ	Consumer, Family & Life Skills	Edu/Inct	21	4/29/2010			No cost to the board
April	Wyatt-Simpson, Spears-Bishop	Harrison	Kidsbridge Children's Museum Ewing NJ	Consumer, Family & Life Skills	Edu/Inct	24	4/30/2010			No cost to the board
April	Swain, Posner, Ordini	Franklin	NJ State Museum Trenton	Science	Edu/Inct	75	4/28/2010	Board	400	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Phillips, Larkins, Rubino, Marrero	Mott	Holiday Skating World Delanco NJ	Citizenship, Phys. Ed.	Edu/Inct	40	6/16/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Phillips, Larkins, Rubino, Marrero	Mott	Princeton Market Fair	Arts	Edu/Inct	35	6/22/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Phillips, Brown, Rubino, Marrero	Mott	Curtis Bowling Lane Ewing NJ	Citizenship, Phys. Ed.	Edu/Inct	35	6/21/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65
April	Phillips, Larkins, Rubino, Marrero	Mott	Coco Key Mount Laurel NJ	Citizenship, Phys. Ed.	Edu/Inct	35	6/18/2010	Board	200	11-000-270-160-0009-00-65

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April	McKinney, Chant, Demino, Mayfield	Grant	Sun Bank Arena Trenton	Ringling Brothers Circus	Edu/Inct	30	5/14/2010	Board Grant	300 60	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65 20-469- 100-580- 0000-10- 84
April	Beaston, Gonzalez, Brown, Petro, Tard	Kilmer	Animal Kingdom Zoo Bordentown NJ	Science, Wildlife	Edu/Inct	12	5/4/2010	Board Grant	300 189	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65 20-469- 100-580- 0000-10- 84
April	Gonzalez, Beaston, Petro, Tard	Kilmer	Sun Bank Arena Trenton	Ringling Brothers Circus	Edu/Inct	12	5/14/2010	Board Grant	300 288	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65 20-469- 100-580- 0000-10- 84
April	Stahlbrand, Cattani	Cadwalader	Popcorn Zoo Lacey Twp NJ	Science, Wildlife	Edu/Inct	12	4/14/2010	Board Grant	300 34	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65 20-469- 100-580- 0000-10- 84
April	Stahlbrand, Cattani	Cadwalader	Jenkinsons Aquarium Point Pleasant NJ	Science, Ocean Life & Habitat	Edu/Inct	12	5/6/2010	Board Grant	300 102	11-000- 270-160- 0009-00- 65 20-469- 100-580- 0000-10- 84
April	Garcia, Tompkins	Monument	TCHS West	High School Orientation	Edu/Inct	30	5/11&12/ 2010			No Cost to the Board

**c. Proposal for TCHS Inspirational Choir Performance on Royal Caribbean Cruise Line – PULLED by staff request**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Proposal for **TCHS Inspirational Choir Performance on Royal Caribbean Cruise Line** for the period May 17, 2010 through May 21, 2010 at a cost not to exceed **\$3,834.00**. The Trenton Central High School Inspirational Choir entered a choral DVD in a competition and, along with other schools throughout the world whose DVDs were selected, has been invited to perform on Royal Caribbean Cruise Line as ambassadors for the Trenton Public Schools representing “**Great Public Schools Fine Arts Programs.**” This program will provide 50 students in Grades 9-12 the experience of performing abroad as well as the opportunity to visit and tour historic and cultural sites of Miami and the Bahamas. Fundraising, donations and sponsorships from local churches and civic organizations will help defray the cost of the trip. The cost to the Board represents staff stipends.

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**d. Proposal for Professional Learning for Parker School Staff**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Proposal for **Professional Learning for Parker School Staff** on May 1, 2010 at a cost not to exceed **\$1,188.00**. This program will provide 33 faculty members with professional development in data analysis and examining student work.

(Account Code: 15-120-100-101-0009-00-27)

**e. Student Teacher Internship at Robbins School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for a **Student Teacher Internship at Robbins School** for the period April 27, 2010 through May 31, 2010 at **no cost to the Board**. Assignment is as follows:

<b>STUDENT TEACHER</b>	<b>UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>SCHOOL PLACEMENT</b>
Lauren Rosenstock	The College of New Jersey	Robbins School

**f. Student Teacher Internships at Franklin and Grant Schools**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Student Teacher Internships at Franklin and Grant Schools** for the period September 7, 2010 through December 17, 2010 at **no cost to the Board**. Assignments are as follows:

<b>STUDENT TEACHER</b>	<b>UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>SCHOOL PLACEMENT</b>
Katherine Hannan	The College of New Jersey	Grant School
Mara Herling	The College of New Jersey	Franklin School
Shang Huang	The College of New Jersey	Grant School
Nicole Jefferson	The College of New Jersey	Franklin School
Richard Libensperger	The College of New Jersey	Franklin School

**g. Student Teacher Internships at Dunn, Franklin, Grant and Mott Schools**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Student Teacher Internships at Dunn, Franklin, Grant and Mott Schools** for the period January 18, 2011 through April 29, 2011 at **no cost to the Board**. Assignments are as follows:

<b>STUDENT TEACHER</b>	<b>UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>SCHOOL PLACEMENT</b>
Lindsay Bernstein	The College of New Jersey	Franklin School

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John Kuhlthau	The College of New Jersey	Mott School
Kelsey Kutch	The College of New Jersey	Dunn Middle School
Gloria McCarthy	The College of New Jersey	Mott School
Melissa Nemitz	The College of New Jersey	Grant School

**h. Resolution Approving Peer Review of Unified School Plans by Washington School Staff for the 2010-2011 School Year**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Peer Review of Unified School Plans by Washington School Staff** for the 2010-2011 School Year.

**STUDENT SERVICES:**

**i. Resolution for Nursing Services for Students with Disabilities – Bayada Nurses**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **Resolution for Nursing Services for Students with Disabilities. Bayada Nurses** will provide nursing services for those students with disabilities who have intensive medical needs, for the period July 1, 2009 through August 31, 2009 at a cost not to exceed **\$23,243.87**.

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: 20-252-100-300-0000-10-84)

**j. Memorandum of Agreement with New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **Memorandum of Agreement with New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids** and the participation on the Trenton Core Planning Team, for the period April 2010 through December 2015 at **no cost to the Board**. A Core Planning Team was formed in the City of Trenton to plan and accomplish the mission of reversing childhood obesity by the year 2015. The team consists of partners from the Greater Trenton YMCA, City of Trenton, Henry J. Austin Health Center, Inc., St. Francis Medical Center, Capital Health System, Children’s Futures, Isles, Inc., Hamilton YMCA and the Trenton Public Schools.

**2. HUMAN RESOURCES**

**a. Creation of Position**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following creation of position and job description:

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1. Teacher (After School ) – Grant Writing – Administration Building, – rate in accordance with TEA contract. . (20-235-200-104-0000-10-82)

**ATTACHMENT 2-a-1**

**ACTION : April 12, 2010**

**b. Abolishment of Positions – NOT APPROVED**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following abolishment of positions effective July 1, 2010:

Central Office	(1)	Assist. Superintendent Curriculum Instruction & Assessment
Central Office	(1)	Assist. Superintendent School Based Operations
Central Office	(1)	Assist. Superintendent Special Services
Central Office	(3)	Assist. Managers/Human Resources
Central Office	(1)	Para Legal /Human Resources (v)
Central Office	(1)	Assist. Business Administrator/ Business Office
Stokes	(1)	Principal
Rivera	(1)	Principal
Harrison	(1)	Principal
Columbus	(.05)	Vice Principal
Franklin	(.05)	Vice Principal
Monument	(0.5)	Vice Principal
Parker	(0.5)	Vice Principal
Washington	(0.5)	Vice Principal
Wilson	(0.5)	Vice Principal
Daylight	(1.0)	Vice Principal
TCHS Main	(1.0)	Vice Principal
TCHS Main	(1.0)	Vice Principal
TCHS West	(1.0)	Vice Principal
Central Office	(1)	Director Legal Hearings (v)
Central Office	(1)	Director of Bilingual
Central Office	(1)	Director of Assessment & Accountability
Central Office	(1)	Director of Curriculum / Secondary

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Central Office	(1)	Director of Curriculum / Elementary
Central Office	(1)	Director of Professional Development
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of English
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of Special Subject Ares
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of Science
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of Mathematics
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of Social Studies
Central Office	(1)	Supervisor of Gifted Programs
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator City Liaison
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator / Parent Liaisons
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator Truancy
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator Security
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator of Testing
Central Office	(1)	Coordinator of Custodian / Grnds
Various Schools	(11)	Math Coaches (All)
Various Schools	(13)	Literacy Coaches (All)
Various Schools	(2)	Literacy Resource Coaches (All)
Hedgepeth Williams	(1)	Nurse
Hedgepeth Williams	(1)	School Counselor
Hedgepeth Williams	(1)	Substance Abuse Counselor
Dunn	(1)	Substance Abuse Counselor
TCHS West	(1)	Substance Abuse Counselor
TCHS Main	(1)	Substance Abuse Counselor
Special Services	(1)	Social Worker
Central Office	(1)	Floater Nurse
Central Office	(3)	Attendance Officers
Central Office	(1)	Media Communications Assistant
Central Office	(1)	Junior Accountant/ Business Office
Various Schools	(19)	Senior Secretaries
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary / Superintendent

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Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Security
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Professional Development
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Receptionist
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Assessment
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Curriculum/Secondary
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Curriculum/Elementary
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Funded Programs
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary /Bilingual
Central Office	(2)	Admin II Secretary /Curriculum
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary/Business Office
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary/Abbott Facilities
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary/Purchasing Department
Central Office	(1)	Admin I Secretary/Purchasing Department
Central Office	(1)	Senior Secretary/Purchasing Department
Central Office	(1)	Admin II Secretary/Student Services
Central Office	(2)	Admin I Secretary/Special Services
Hedgepeth/Williams	(1)	Admin I Secretary
Bldg & Gnds	(1)	Custodian Engineer Gr 2
Bldgs & Gnds	(1)	Groundskeeper
Bldgs & Gnds	(1)	Heavy Cleaner
Bldgs & Gnds	(1)	Heavy Cleaner
Bldgs & Gnds	(1)	Heavy Cleaner
Bldgs & Grnds	(1)	Custodians
Harrison	(1)	Head Custodian
Harrison	(1)	Custodian
Harrison	(1)	School Nurse
Harrison	(1)	Admin I Secretary
Harrison	(1)	Media Specialist
Harrison	(1)	School Counselor

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Harrison	(1)	Health/Physical Education Teacher
Harrison	(1)	Art Teacher
Harrison	(.05)	Computer Teacher
Harrison	(.05)	Music Teacher
Harrison	(.05)	Special Education Teacher
Rivera	(1)	Computer Teacher
Rivera	(1)	Psychologist
Rivera	(1)	Custodian Eng. Gr. 2
Rivera	(1)	Heavy Cleaner
Rivera	(1)	Custodian
Rivera	(1)	Media Specialist
Rivera	(1)	Senior Secretary
Rivera	(1)	Admin I Secretary
Rivera	(1)	Learning Consultant
Rivera	(1)	Health/Physical Education Teacher
Rivera	(1)	Speech Language Specialist
Rivera	(2)	School Counselors
Rivera	(2)	Computer Teacher
Rivera	(1)	Music Teacher
Stokes	(1)	Admin I Secretary
Stokes	(1)	Senior Secretary
Stokes	(1)	Computer Teacher
Stokes	(1)	Custodian
Stokes	(1)	Custodian
Stokes	(1)	Head Custodian
Stokes	(1)	Health/Physical Education Teacher
Stokes	(1)	Media Specialist
Stokes	(1)	Reading First Intervention Teacher
Stokes	(1)	School Counselor
Stokes	(1)	School Nurse

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Stokes	(1)	Speech Language Specialist
Stokes	(.05)	Art Teacher
Stokes	(.05)	Music Teacher

**c. Retirements**

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

1. Ms. Elizabeth Paddy – 25 years – Elementary Teacher – Gregory Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-21)
2. Ms. Jeannette Herron – 15 years – Special Education Teacher – Jefferson Elementary School, effective March 17, 2010. (15-204-100-101-0000-00-23)
3. Mr. Lawrence Brown – 28 years – Art Teacher – Stokes Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-01-29) (15-120-100-101-0000-01-16)
4. Ms. Doris Beverly – 21 years – School Nurse – Parker Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-000-213-104-0000-35-27)
5. Mr. John Neville – 36 years – Health/PE Teacher – Trenton High School-Main, effective July 1, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-01-05)
6. Ms. Anne Krahn – 21 years – Psychologist – Wilson Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (11-000-219-104-0000-00-84)
7. Ms. Sharon Taylor – 10 years – Assistant Manager Human Resources – Administration Building, effective July 1, 2010. (11-000-251-104-0000-00-52)
8. Ms. Lynn Cohen – 10 years – School Nurse – Trenton High – West Campus, effective July 1, 2010. (15-000-213-104-0051-00-05)
9. Ms. Sandra Shafkowitz – 10 years – Elementary Teacher – Rivera Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-15)
10. Ms. Gladys Leonard – 40 years – Paraprofessional – Rivera Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010 (15-212-100-106-0000-00-15)
11. Ms. Grace Heaney – 10 years – Elementary Teacher – Mott Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-241-100-101-0000-00-20)
12. Ms. Maria Velit – 36 years – Paraprofessional – Parker Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-190-106-0000-42-27)

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13. Ms. Susan Karolkiewicz – 27 years – World Language Teacher (Spanish) – Hedgepeth/Williams School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-01-08)
14. Mr. John Manfredi – 12 years - Groundskeeper – Buildings & Grounds – effective August 1, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)
15. Mr. Willie Solomon - 37 years – Principal – Parker Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-000-240-103-0000-00-27)
16. Ms. Mary Waters – 31 years - English Teacher – Trenton High School – Main, effective July 1, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-05)
17. Ms. Betty Blackwell – 36 years – School Counselor – Cadwalader Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (15-000-218-104-0000-33-16)

**d. Retirement- Correction for years of service**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following retirement with correction for years of service:

1. Mr. Robert Graham – 25 years – Pre-Kindergarten Teacher – Rivera Elementary School, effective July 1, 2010. (20-218-100-101-0000-41-59)

**NOTE: Originally approved on the March Agenda with 24 years of service.**

**e. Appointment(s)- change of effective date**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following change of effective date for the following appointment:

1. Ms. Valeriana Bandeh – from: Paraprofessional – Dunn Middle School at the salary of \$32,610, Step 4/120 credits, to: ESL Teacher – Franklin Elementary School, at the salary of \$47,201 BA, Step 0 – TEA, effective from: February 16, 2010, to: February 22, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (20-245-100-101-0000-10-82)

**f. Appointments – Interim**

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

1. Mr. Ernest Perez – from: Carpenter Journeyman– Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$72,627 to: Interim Carpenter Foreman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$76,890, effective February 2, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (11-000-262-100-0008-53-61)

**NOTE: Performing the duties of Carpenter Foreman who is out sick.**

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2. Mr. Joseph Matisa – from: Painter Journeyman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$67,940 to: Interim Painter Foreman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$72,207, effective January 12, 2010 through March 12, 2010, pro-rated. (11-000-262-100-0008-53-61)

**NOTE: Performed the duties of the Painter Foreman who was out on Workers Compensation.**

3. Mr. Duane Anderson – from: Custodian – Wilson Elementary School, at the salary of \$49,886 to: Interim Engineer Grade III – Monument Elementary School, at the salary of \$59,307 Step 10, effective March 14, 2010 through March 21, 2010, pro-rated. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)

**NOTE: Performed the duties of Michael Oliver who was on leave.**

**g. Return to Former Position**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following return to former position:

1. Mr. Michael Zagola – from: Interim Carpenter Foreman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$76,890 to: Carpenter Journeyman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$72,627, effective December 29, 2009. (11-000-262-100-0008-53-61)

**NOTE: Ended assignment as Interim Carpenter Foreman.**

2. Mr. Joseph Matisa – from: Interim Painter Foreman – Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$72,207 to: Painter Journeyman - Buildings and Grounds, at the salary of \$67,940, effective March 13, 2010 (11-000-262-100-0008-53-61)

**NOTE: Ended assignment as Interim Painter Foreman**

3. Mr. Duane Anderson – from Interim Engineer Grade III – Monument Elementary School, at the salary of \$59,307 Step 10 to: Custodian – Wilson Elementary School, at the salary of \$49,886 Step 10, effective March 22, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)

**NOTE: Ended assignment as Interim Engineer Grade III**

**h. Emergent Hires-Rescind**

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

1. Ms. Lakshmi Voruganti – Special Education Teacher (Inclusion) – Dunn Middle School, at the salary of \$47,201-BA, Step 0-TEA , effective February 16, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-213-100-101-0000-00-10)

**NOTE: Declined offer of employment.**

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**i. Rehire – Rescind**

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

1. Ms. Lakeyta Francis – Special Education Teacher – Parker Elementary School, at the salary of \$54,701-MA, Step 9-TEA, effective April 16, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated.  
 (15-204-100-101-0000-00-27)

**NOTE: Declined offer of employment.**

**j. Emergent Hires**

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

1. Substitute Teachers – District wide, effective May1, 2010 through June 30, 2010.

Regina Brook	Chadai Bailey
Lana Hale	Maria Robinson
Damian Rodriguez	Yakima Hall-Ledie
Halena Holland	Tracy Scheibel

**NOTE:** \$80 – Substitute Certification  
 \$85 – Certificate of Eligibility Certification  
 \$100 – Certificate of Eligibility with Advance Standing Certification  
 \$125 – Standard Certification

(11-120-100-101-0000-43-52) (Elementary School)  
 (11-130-100-101-0000-44-52) (Middle School)  
 (11-140-100-101-0000-45-52) (High School)

**k. Re-assignments**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following re-assignments effective March 30, 2010 :

Name	Title	From:	To:
Howard Ottenberg	Special Education Teacher	Hill School	Office of Special Education
Benjamin Seabrook	Music Teacher	Monument	Office of Special Education
Sandra Bussey	Supervisor of Mathematics	TCHS-Main	Admin Bldg – Curriculum – Secondary Education

**l. Re-assignment - Rescind**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve to rescind the following re-assignment:

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1. Ms. Patricia Harper – Administrative II Secretary – from: Business Office to: Human Resources Department, at the salary of \$42,133, step 8/60 credits, no change in salary, effective March 23, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (11-000-251-105-0000-00-52)  
**NOTE: Declined position.**

**m. 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. Mr. Anthony Taddei – Health and Physical Education Teacher – Daylight/Twilight School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 22, 2010 through April 11, 2010.  
(15-140-100-101-0000-01-35)
2. Ms. Jacqueline Fentress – Special Education Teacher – Stokes Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 5, 2010 through March 15, 2010.  
(15-212-100-101-0000-00-29)
3. Mr. Robert Salyerds – Mathematics Teacher – Trenton Central High School – Main Campus, medical leave of absence without pay, effective February 16, 2010 through May 16, 2010.  
(15-140-100-101-0000-00-05)
4. Mr. Jonathan Grom – Special Education Teacher – Hill Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 5, 2010 through April 11, 2010.  
(11-204-100-101-0000-00-84)
5. Ms. Doris Freeman – Kindergarten Teacher – Jefferson Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective January 11, 2010 through April 15, 2010.  
(15-110-100-101-0000-00-23)
6. Ms. Rosemary Karen – Special Education Teacher – Parker Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 2, 2010 through May 15, 2010.  
(15-213-100-101-0000-00-27)
7. Ms. Yvonne Mitchell – Special Education Teacher – Mott Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 16, 2010 through April 11, 2010.  
(15-204-100-101-0000-00-26)
8. Ms. Maria Sanderson – School Nurse – Robbins Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 22, 2010 through May 28, 2010.  
(15-000-213-104-0000-35-28)

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9. Ms. Nelia Lebediw – World Language Teacher (French) - Dunn Middle School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective April 19, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (15-130-100-101-0000-01-10)
10. Ms. Eugenia Dragun – Administrative I Secretary – Hill Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 1, 2010 through June 8, 2010. (15-000-240-105-0000-00-32)
11. Ms. MaryAnn Delate – Kindergarten Teacher – Washington Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 29, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (15-110-100-101-0000-00-30)
12. Ms. Deborah Giddens-Green – Principal – Kilmer Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 17, 2010 through April 11, 2010 (15-000-240-103-0000-00-24)
13. Mr. Robert Pawson – Science Teacher – Dunn Middle School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 19, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (15-130-100-101-0000-00-10)
14. Mr. Alex Lozano – Science Teacher – Daylight/Twilight School, military leave of absence with pay, effective March 8, 2010 through March 12, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-35)
15. Mr. John Boyle – Carpenter – Buildings and Grounds, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 23, 2010 through May 24, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-53-61)
16. Mr. Gary Pirerra – Vocational Teacher– Trenton High, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 8, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-140-100-101-000-01-05)
17. Mr. Ted Plunkett – Music Teacher– Trenton High, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 25, 2010 through March 17, 2010. (15-140-100-101-000-01-05)
18. Ms. Andrea Lively Sallie – Administrative II Secretary– Trenton High, medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 18, 2010 through March 31, 2010. (15-000-240-105-000-00-05)
19. Mr. Samuel Washington– Carpenter– Buildings and Grounds, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 24, 2010 through April 24, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-53-61)
20. Ms. Chaneika Harris– Elementary Teacher – Rivera Elementary School, maternity leave of absence with pay, effective April 19, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-53-61)

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21. Mr. Dwayne Taylor – Custodian – Monument Elementary School, medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 17, 2010 through April 5, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)
22. Mr. Jesus Abalos – Science Teacher – Trenton High - Main, medical leave of absence with pay effective March 29, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-05)

**n. 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 leaves of absence:

1. Mr. Charles Cirillo – Social Studies Teacher – Daylight/Twilight School, extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 2, 2010 through April 26, 2010.  
(15-140-100-101-0000-00-35))  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence October 22, 2009 through March 1, 2010.**
2. Ms. Sharon Ellis – Paraprofessional - Cadwalader Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 1, 2010 through March 19, 2010, and without pay effective March 22, 2010 through April 15, 2010. (20-450-100-106-0000-10-84)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 1, 2010 through February 26, 2010.**
3. Ms. Gloria Hernandez – Special Education Teacher – Wilson Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 1, 2010 through April 1, 2010.  
(15-213-100-101-0000-00-31)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence January 4, 2010 through February 28, 2010.**
4. Ms. Ruthann Bailey – Health Teacher – Trenton Central High School – Main, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 8, 2010 through April 30, 2010.  
(15-140-100-101-0000-01-05)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 8, 2010 through March 7, 2010.**
5. Mr. David Randall – Custodian – Rivera Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 16, 2010 through April 15, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence December 14, 2009 through March 15, 2010.**

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6. Ms. Karen Barksdale – Business Teacher – Trenton High School-Main, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 22, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-01-05)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 22, 2010 through March 21, 2010.**
7. Mr. James Fuccello – Health/Physical Education Teacher – Trenton High School - West, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 1, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-01-05)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence December 16, 2009 through February 25, 2010.**
8. Ms. Nancy Coty – Elementary Teacher – Parker Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 1, 2010 through April 5, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-27)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence September 1, 2009 through February 28, 2010.**
9. Ms. Earline Greene – Kindergarten Teacher – Hedgepeth/Williams School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 16, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-110-100-101-0000-00-08)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence January 25, 2010 through March 15, 2010.**
10. Ms. Andrea Harris – Elementary Teacher – Parker Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 8, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-27)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 22, 2010 through March 5, 2010.**
11. Ms. Jennifer LaGrassa – Elementary Teacher– Stokes Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence without pay, effective March 4, 2010 through June 2, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-29)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence November 2, 2009 through March 3, 2010.**
12. Ms. Doris Beverly – School Nurse – Parker Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 16, 2010 through June 30, 2010. (15-000-213-104-0000-35-27)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence December 7, 2009 through March 15, 2010.**
13. Ms. Elizabeth Paddy – Elementary Teacher – Gregory Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay effective March 23, 2010 through April 11, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-21)  
**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 5, 2010 through March 22, 2010.**
14. Ms. Deborah White – Language Arts Teacher – Hedgepeth/Williams School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective March 22, 2010 through April

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28, 2010 am, and without pay, effective April 28, 2010 pm through April 30, 2010.  
(15-130-100-101-0000-00-08)

**NOTE: Original leave of absence December 8, 2009 through March 19, 2010.**

15. Ms. Vivian Farino – Media Specialist – Hedgepeth/Williams School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective April 2, 2010 through June 30, 2010.  
(15-000-222-104-0000-32-08)

**NOTE: Original leave of absence February 8, 2010 through April 1, 2010.**

16. Ms. Mary Hurly – School Nurse – Hill Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective April 1, 2010 through April 18, 2010. (15-000-213-140-0000-35-32)

**NOTE: Original leave of absence December 4, 2009 through March 31, 2010.**

17. Ms. Lissette Muniz-Vasquez – Elementary Teacher – Rivera Elementary School, extended medical leave of absence with pay, effective February 24, 2010 through May 4, 2010.

(15-130-100-101-0000-01-24)

**NOTE: Original leave of absence January 4, 2010 through February 23, 2010.**

18. Mr. George Montgomery – School Counselor – Kilmer School, extended family leave of absence without pay, effective October 22, 2009 through March 26, 2010.  
(15-000-218-104-0000-33-24)

**NOTE: Original leave of absence September 1, 2009 through October 21, 2009.**

**o. 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 leaves of absence:

1. Ms. Mariel Perez – Senior Secretary – Robbins Elementary School, at the salary of \$46,540 (\$45,940 Step 14/0 credits + \$600 longevity), effective March 1, 2010.  
(15-000-240-105-0000-00-28)
2. Mr. William Russell – Elementary Teacher – Hedgepeth/Williams School, at the salary of \$53,351-BA, Step 9-TEA, effective February 1, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-08)
3. Mr. Benjamin Kenion – Occupational Therapist – Student Support Services, at the salary of \$86,721 (\$84,221-MA+60, Step 15-TEA + \$2,500 national board certification), effective March 15, 2010. (11-000-216-104-0000-00-84)
4. Ms. Cassandra Holcomb – Literacy Coach – Kilmer Elementary School, at the salary of \$100,038 (\$98,538-MA+60, Step 15-TEA + \$1,500 dual certification), effective March 8, 2010. (20-275-200-104-0000-10-82)

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5. Ms. Laura Perez – Elementary Teacher – Stokes Elementary School, at the salary of \$53,351-BA, Step 9-TEA, effective March 8, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-29)
6. Ms. Marian Lewis– English Teacher – Trenton High School-Main, at the salary of \$80,901 (\$79,101-MA, Step 15-TEA + \$300 longevity + \$1,500 dual certification), effective February 2, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-05)
7. Ms. Mary Ellen Tatter-Mancini - Elementary Teacher – Hedgepeth/Williams School, at the salary of \$90,093 (\$88,593-MA, Step 15-TEA + \$1,500 dual certification), effective March 22, 2010. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-08))
8. Ms. Alex Lozano – Science Teacher – Daylight/Twilight School, at the salary of \$62,051-BA, Step 12-TEA, effective March 15, 2010. (15-140-100-101-0000-00-35)
9. Ms. Margaret Mason – ESL Teacher – Grant Elementary School, at the salary of \$79,661-MA+30, Step 15-TEA, effective March 29, 2010. (15-244-100-101-0000-00-20)

**p. Return from Leave of Absence – change of effective date**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following return from leave of absence effective date:

1. Mr. Michael Oliver – Custodian Engineer Grade III – Monument Elementary School, at the salary of \$59,307 Step 10, from: March 15, 2010 to March 22, 2010. (11-000-262-110-0000-52-61)

**q. Salary Adjustments**

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

1. Ms. Madeline Sturm – Speech Language Specialist - Grant Elementary School, from: \$92,343 (\$79,101-MA, Step 15- TEA + 12% + \$3,750 longevity), to: \$92,970 (\$79,661-MA+30, Step 15- TEA + 12% + \$3,750 longevity), effective February 4, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (11-000-216-104-0000-00-84)

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

2. Ms. Susan Scully – Special Education Teacher – Hedgepeth/Williams School, from: \$82,801 (\$79,101-MA, Step 15- TEA + \$2,200 longevity + \$1,500 dual certification), to: \$83,361 (\$79,661-MA+30, Step 15- TEA + \$2,200 longevity + \$1,500 dual certification), effective March 10, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-213-100-101-0000-00-08)

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

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3. Ms. Amy Carlos – Media Specialist – Rivera Elementary School, from: \$58,901 (\$51,251-MA, Step 6- TEA + 12% + \$1,500 dual certification), to: \$62,765 (\$54,701-MA, Step 9- TEA + 12% + \$1,500 dual certification), effective September 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated.  
(15-000-222-104-0000-32-15)  
**NOTE: Submitted proof of additional experience.**
  
4. Ms. Nora Albarran – Paraprofessional – Dunn Middle School, from: \$35,563 Step 10/60 credits to: \$37,573 Step 10/120 credits, effective March 19, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-204-100-106-0000-00-10) **NOTE: Submitted proof of 60 additional credits.**
  
5. Ms. Natasha Boyd – Elementary Teacher – Hill Elementary School, from: \$50,501 (\$49,001 – BA, Step 4 – TEA + \$1,500 dual certification) to: \$51,171 (\$ 49,671 – BA + 30, Step 4 -TEA + \$1,500 dual certification), effective March 18, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-120-100-101-0000-00-32)  
**NOTE: Submitted proof of 30 additional credits.**
  
6. Ms. Ingrid Rodas – Bilingual Kindergarten Teacher – Grant Elementary School, from: \$51,621 (\$50,121-BA+30, Step 5-TEA + \$1,500 dual certification) to: \$52,301(\$50,801-MA, Step 5-TEA + \$1,500 dual certification), effective February 4, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated.  
(15-241-100-101-0000-00-20) **NOTE: Submitted proof of masters degree.**
  
7. Ms. Barbara Newton – Elementary Teacher – Cadwalader Elementary School, from: \$47,651 BA, Step 1-TEA to: \$49,151 (\$47,651-BA, Step 1-TEA+ \$1,500 dual certification), effective November 16, 2009 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-241-100-101-0000-00-20)  
**NOTE: Submitted proof of dual certification.**
  
8. Mr. David Hession – Social Studies Teacher – Daylight/ Twilight, from: \$73,761-MA+30, Step 14 to: \$75,261(\$73,761 – MA +30, Step 14 + \$1,500 dual certification), effective March 30, 2010 through June 30, 2010, pro-rated. (15-14-100-101-0000-00-35)  
**NOTE: Submitted proof of dual certification.**
  
9. Longevity

Name(s)	Years of Service	Amount Due	Eff. Date	Bargaining Unit
Theresa Webb-Harrison	30	\$850	10/30/08	PARA

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Mildred Miranda	25	\$700	1/13/10	TASA
Gwendolyn Jennings	40	\$700	4/27/2010	TASA
Harriet Hall	15	\$700	12/23/09	BST
Tyrone McNeese	15	\$700	9/1/09	BST

**r. Withholding(s) of Increments for the 2010-2011 School Year**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following withholding of the entire increment for the 2010-2011 school year:  
**ACTION : April 12, 2010**

**s. Contractual Entitlements**

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

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Date of Separation</u>	<u># Sick Days</u>	<u># Vacation Days</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Vivian Farino	Assist. Director	TASA	1/4/10	0	20	\$8,351.40
	Teacher Specialist	TEA	6/30/09	0	37	\$20,569.00

**t. Before/Afterschool Program(s)**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following staff for before/after school programs:

1. Approve the following **Teachers for Study Island Math and Reading Academy – Mott Elementary School**, at the rate of \$42 per hour, effective February 2010 through April 2010.

**1 hour per day, 3 days per week**

1. Robert Rubino
2. Adekemi Bankole
3. Lorraine Dade-Wilson
4. Gayle McClure
5. Andres Marrero

**1 hour per day, 1 day per week**

1. Tameka Brooks
2. Stephanie Wesch

**Substitute Teacher**

1. Olga Dytyniak

**GAAP Codes:**

20-236-200-110-2009-09-26 Not to exceed \$2,200.00  
20-464-100-101-0009-10-26 Not to exceed \$14,796.00

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20-236-100-101-2009-09-26 Not to exceed \$1,836.00

**u. Volunteers**

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

1. Ms. Ariel Matos –Trenton Central High School, effective May 1, 2010 through June 25, 2010.
2. Mr. Joseph Faulknor – Trenton Central High School, effective May 1, 2010 through June 25, 2010.
3. Ms. Cheryl Curry – Trenton Central High School, effective May 1, 2010 through June 25, 2010.
4. Mr. Andrew Whitmore – Trenton Central High School, effective May 1, 2010 through June 25, 2010.

**3. FINANCE & FACILITIES**

**a. Recommendation for Award of Contract for Prospective Organization to Provide On-Line Courses for Secondary School Students**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Public School Contract Law and the New Jersey Statutes Title 18A:18A-37, the competitive contracting proposal solicitation for **Prospective Organization to Provide On-Line Courses for Secondary School Students** was received on April 13, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the proposals were reviewed by Trenton Board of Education Staff per N.J.S. 18A:18A-4.5d; and

WHEREAS, the Board received the following response(s):

1. Advanced Academics, Inc.
2. Education 2020
3. Plato Learning

WHEREAS, based on the evaluation criteria included in the competitive contracting solicitation ***Plato Learning*** scored the highest within the qualifications listed below:

1. Alignment to NJCCCS;
2. Project Plan;
3. Consultant/Company Qualifications;
4. Budget;

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WHEREAS, funds will be made available from the following Account: TBD

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, awards a contract to *Plato Learning* for aforementioned **Organization to Provide On-Line Courses for Secondary School Students** competitive contracting proposal solicitation as indicated, at a cost not to exceed **\$140,000.00**.

**b. Request for Proposal (RFP) for an Organization to Provide Youth Development Services for Students Attending Trenton Central High School (TCHS) for 2010/2011**

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 **Youth Development Services** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**c. Request for Proposal (RFP) for an Organization to Provide Systems Focused Clinical Counseling for Students Attending Trenton Central High School (TCHS) for 2010/2011**

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 **Systems Focused Clinical Counseling** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**d. Request for Proposal (RFP) for an Organization to Provide Daycare and Transportation Services for Custodial Teen Parents Attending District High Schools for 2010/2011**

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 **Daycare and Transportation Services to Custodial Teen Parents Attending District High Schools** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**e. Request for Proposal (RFP) for an Organization to Provide Monitoring Services of District Alarm Systems for 2010/2011**

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 **Monitoring Services of District Alarm Systems** which shall include all items set forth in 18:18A-4.4. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**f. Resolution to Apply for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Program Grant**

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BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Apply for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Program Grant** in the amount of **\$535,000.00** for the period September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2011. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**g. Resolution to Apply for Improving Literacy through School Libraries Program Grant**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Apply for Improving Literacy through School Libraries Program Grant** in the amount of **\$600,000.00** for the period September 1, 2010 through August 30, 2011. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

**h. Resolution to Apply for New Jersey School Improvement Grant for Tier I and Tier II Schools for 2010-2013**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Apply for New Jersey School Improvement Grant for Tier I and Tier II Schools** for the period 2010 through 2013.

**i. Resolution to Accept Donations from Fay Lochman to Dunn School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Accept Donations from Fay Lochman to Dunn School** for the 2009-2010 school year. Ms. Lochman has donated a piano valued at **\$1,300.00** and an oak console valued at **\$130.00**.

**j. Resolution to Accept Donation from Medavante, Inc. to TCHS West**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Accept Donation from Medavante, Inc. to TCHS West** for the 2009-2010 school year. Medavante, Inc. has donated a Model C3224 Savin copier.

**k. Resolution to Accept TCNJ Grant to Grant School**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution to **Accept The College of New Jersey Grant to Grant School** for the 2009-2010 school year in the amount of **\$200.00**. The funds will be used to benefit the biology program.

**l. Pearson SASI XP Software License Renewal Support Agreement for 2009/2010**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **Pearson SASI XP Software License Renewal Support Agreement** in the amount of **\$45,000.00** for the 2009/2010 school year. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

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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: 11-000-211-590-0000-00-57)

**m. ACCESS 411 License Renewal Support Agreement for 2009/2010**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Resolution for **ACCESS 411 License Renewal Support Agreement** in the amount of **\$48,000.00** for the 2009/2010 school year. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

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: School Accounts)

**n. Out of District Placements – April 2010 and Additional Tuition Rate Due**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **Out of District Placements of 49 students for a total of \$1,613,208.90** for April 2010 and Additional Tuition Rate Due. (**Attachment 3-N**)

**Account Codes:**

11-000-100-566-0000-00-84 - \$70,976.61 – In-State Private Schools

11-000-100-566-0000-00-84 - \$617,206.35 – County/Vocational Technical

**Additional Tuition Rate Due from 2008/2009 School Year:**

Archway	\$23,747.00
Bancroft – includes Transportation	\$139,248.77
Bergen County SSSD	\$167.00
Burlington County SSSD	\$51,906.00
Children’s Day School	\$144,230.83
Coastal Learning	\$13,956.96
Comprehensive Educational Services	\$24,753.60
Hampton Academy	\$111,610.48
Middlesex Regional ESC	\$2,513.00
Sister Georgine Learning Center	\$97,585.40
The Bridge Academy	\$10,091.00

**Balance Due – Audit/Undercharge:**

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Burlington County SSSD – 07/08 & 08/09	\$194,461.50
Moorestown Township Public Schools – 05/06, 06/07 & 08/09	\$82,108.00
New Road School – Undercharge 2009	\$4,646.40
Willowglen Academy – 06/07 audit	\$23,852.00
Willowglen Academy – 07/08 audit	\$148.00

**o. School Calendar for 2010-2011 - PULLED**

BE IT RESOLVED: that the Trenton Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the **School Calendar for 2010-2011**. (Attachment 3-O)

**p. 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 for the month of April 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. **ACTION APRIL 12, 2010.**

Applicant	Position	School	Purpose	Location	Date	Funds	Cost	GAAP Code
Madeline Sturm	Speech/Language Pathologist	Special Services	NJ Speech & Language Assoc. Annual Convention	Atlantic City NJ	5/5/10 – 5/7/10			No cost to the Board
Marella Holmes	CST Social Worker	Special Services	Social & Cultural Competence Seminar	Princeton NJ	4/21/10			No cost to the board
Marella Holmes	CST Social Worker	Special Services	Ethics & The Law Seminar	Princeton NJ	5/19/10			No cost to the board
Nicole Carmichael	Math Coach	Harrison	Marcy Cook Presents Using Math Centers to Strengthen Math Prog.	Philadelphia, PA	5/6/2010		199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Judie Winogron	Math Coach	Cadwalader	Marcy Cook Presents Using Math Centers to Strengthen Math Prog.	Drexelbrook , PA	5/6/2010		199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Jill Wiley-Maurice	Math Coach	Washington	Marcy Cook Presents Using Math Centers to Strengthen Math Prog.	Drexelbrook , PA	5/6/2010		199.00	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Mary Tomlin	Reading First	Grant	Coaching in a Climate of Change	Philadelphia, PA	5/11/- 5/12/10		34.31	20-275-200-580-1000-08-82
Barbara Episale	Media Specialist	Wilson	Judy Freeman's Winners: A closer Look	Voorhees, NJ	4/27/2010			No cost to the

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			at the Year's 100 Best Books for Children					board
Jeanette Mayfield	Teacher	Grant	Eastern Regional Leadership Conference	Virginia Beach, VA	4/22-4/25			No cost to the board
Joe Hankins	Teacher	Dunn	"Just let Me Survive Today" Math Track Workshop	New Brunswick, NJ	5/7/2010			No cost to the board
Susan Wooden	Teacher	Dunn	"Just let Me Survive Today" Math Track Workshop	New Brunswick, NJ	5/7/2010			No cost to the board
Robert Kripinski	Teacher	Dunn	NJ Science Standards Workshop	Jersey City, NJ	5/27/2010			No cost to the board
Robert Kripinski	Teacher	Dunn	21st Century Learning for All Students	Monroe Twp, NJ	4/13-4/14			No cost to the board
Denyce Carroll	Confidential Sec.	CSB-HR	EVVRS 2010 Training	Princeton, NJ	4/13/2010			No cost to the board
Stephanie Wesch	Teacher	CSB-Curriculum	How do fewer, clearer, high standards affect my high school classroom	Jackson, NJ	6/9/2010			No cost to the board
Olga Dytyniak	Media Specialist	Mott	Collection Development Workshop	Monroe Twp, NJ	4/20/2010			No cost to the board
Margaret Mason	ESL Teacher	Grant	NJTESOL BE Spring Conference	Somerset, NJ	5/18-5/19			No cost to the board
Dora Vynnytsky	Teacher	Grant	Lion King with Trenton High Refugee Program	Philadelphia, PA	4/22/2010			No cost to the board
Alvina Platt-Gregory	Teacher	Robbins	NJ Action for Healthy Kids	West Long Branch, NJ	5/17/2010	Board	24	15-120-100-101-0000-01-28
Nettie Robinson-Logan	Assistant Director	Special Ed	Behavior Problems Workshop	New Brunswick NJ	4/12/10			No cost to the board
Mindy Mann	LDT-C	Child Study	YAI Conference	New York NY	4/26/10-4/29/10			No cost to the board
Raman Nadadhur	Teacher	TCHS-West	The New NJ Science Standards	Jersey City, NJ	5/27/2010			No cost to the board
Patricia J. Hicks	Counselor	Wilson	Mercer Co. Prof. Counselors Assoc. Annual Caring Breakfast	Ewing, NJ	5/21/2010			No cost to the board
Kathleen Shegda	Nurse	Early Childhood	Central & Northern NJ Nurses Meeting	Trenton, NJ	5/12/2010			No cost to the board
Carmen Sanchez	Teacher	Dunn	NJ Gear Up Workshop	Monroe Twp, NJ	4/13-4/14			No cost to the board
Rosa Ortesa	Social Worker	Daylight/Twi.	The Littlest Victim: Children & Domestic Violence Workshop	Hamilton Twp, NJ	4/28/2010			No cost to the board
Linda Wyatt Simpson	Counselor	Harrison	The Littlest Victim: Children & Domestic Violence Workshop	Hamilton Twp, NJ	4/28/2010			No cost to the board
Kathleen Shegda	Nurse	Early Childhood	Health in Child Care 2010 Conference	Somerset, NJ	5/20/2010	Grant	60	20-218-200-500-0000-00-59

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Wendy Lockhart	Physical Therapist	Special Services	Practical guidelines on Section 504 in NJ	Princeton, NJ	4/20/2010	Grant	219	20-250-200-300-0000-10-84
Dr Carolyn Gibson	Asst. Supt.	CSB	Women's Leadership Conference	Virginia Beach, VA	4/22-4/25			No cost to the board
Mary Courtney	Teacher	TCHS-West	NJ Gear Up State Project Professional Development NJ Science Standards	Newark, NJ	5/27/2010			No cost to the board
Everene Downing	Director of Elementary Ed	Admin.	Coaching in a Climate of Change - NE Region Tech. Assistance Ctr.	Philadelphia, PA	5/11-12/10		97.00	20-307-200-580-0000-10-82
Myra Hernandez	Teacher	Hedgepeth/Wm.	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		49.66	20-245-200-800-0000-10-82
Mayo Brown	Teacher	Franklin	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		278.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Valerie Bandeh	Teacher	Franklin	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		278.83	20-245-200-800-0000-10-82
Regla Monkan	ESL Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		\$268.66	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Lillian Ochipinti	Bilingual/ESL Director	Admin.	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		\$278.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Lori Byrne	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		208.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Karen Harris	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		208.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Katherine Rios	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		268.66	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Tamara Jakub	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		268.66	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Maryann Papero	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		208.83	20-245-200-500-

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Linda Alexander	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		208.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Dobay Luster	Teacher	Franklin	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		278.83	20-245-200-800-0000-10-82
Mildred Miranda	ESL Supervisor	Admin.	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		278.83	20-245-200-500-0000-10-82
Elmer Arreaga	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		268.66	20-245-200-800-0000-10-82
Silvia Raines	Teacher	Washington	NJTESOL/NJBE 2010 spring Conf. for Bilingual Educators	Somerset, NJ	5/18-19/10		268.66	20-245-200-800-0000-10-82

**q. Facilities Report**

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.	DATE	DAY	FACILITY	LOCATION	TIME	PERMIT	MTG	PROG	Prof Dev	Recre	Other
American Tutor - Martin Luther King (Jefferson)	3/16-5/30/10	Tue,Wed,Thur	Jefferson	Cafeteria	3pm-4:30pm	1855		x			
Aramark - District Meeting	3/18/10	Thursday	Administration	Bd Conf Room	8am-5pm	2059	x				
Benefit Office - Open Enrollment	5/5/10	Wednesday	TCHS-Main Administration	Comm.Room	10am-5pm	2120					x
Board of School Estimate	3/28/10	Monday	Administration	Auditorium	3pm-8pm	3419	x				
Boys & Girls Clus - SES Program - Grant	3/2/10-4/29/10	Mon - Thurs	Grant	Classrooms	3:30pm - 5:30pm	2096		x			
Boys & Girls Clus - SES Program - Gregory	3/2/10-4/29/10	Mon - Thurs	Gregory	Classrooms	3:30pm - 5:30pm	2094		x			
Boys & Girls Clus - SES Program - PJ Hill	3/2/10-4/29/10	Mon - Thurs	PJ Hill	Classrooms	3:30pm - 5:30pm	2097		x			
Capital Prep Charter High School	3/10-5/31/10	Tues & Thurs	Dunn Middle	Base Ball Field	4pm-5:30pm	4253				x	
Children's Futures - Mayor Candidates Forum	4/29/10	Thursday	Administration	Auditorium	6pm-9pm	2098					x
City of Trenton Recreation - SummerCamp	6/28/10 - 8/20/10	Mon - Friday	Mott	Classrooms	8am-4:30pm	2095				x	
Curriculum - University Summit	3/18/10	Thursday	MLKing/Jeff	Library	7am-1pm	2123	x				
Dunn Middle - Student Science Fair Exhibits	6/11/10	Friday	Dunn Middle	Cafeteria	5:30pm-8pm	4255					x
Dunn Middle - Women's Health Fair	5/15/10	Saturday	Dunn Middle	Aud/Gym	8am - 3pm	4252					x
Early Childhood - Preschool Parent Workshop	5/27/10	Thursday	Administration	Auditorium	4:30pm-8pm	4141					x
Early Childhood - Provider's Meeting	4/23/10	Friday	Administration	Auditorium	8am-12pm	3680	x				
Education Futures - SES Program	3/28/10-5/28/10	Tues,Wed,Thurs	Gregory	Classrooms	3:30pm-5pm	4357		x			
Elementary Ed Math & Science Fair	5/26 & 27	Wed/Thurs	Kilmer	Auditorium	8am-6pm	4423					x
Gregory School - March Madness Physical Fitness	3/9,16,23,30/10	Tuesdays	Gregory	Gym/Cafe	5:30pm-7:30pm	4269				x	



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bills on the attached lists for the Monday, April 26, 2010 board meeting in the amount of \$29,078,314.58. (**Attachment 3-R**)

**s. Appropriation Transfers – January 2010**

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-S**)

**t. A-148 Secretary’s Report – January 2010**

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 2010, 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-T**)

**u. A-149 Treasurer’s Report – January 2010**

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

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;

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NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trenton Board of Education , for the period ending January 31, 2010, 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-U**)

**v. Appropriation Transfers – February 2010 - PULLED**

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-V**)

**w. A-148 Secretary’s Report – February 2010 – PULLED**

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 February 2010, 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-W**)

**x. A-149 Treasurer’s Report – February 2010 - PULLED**

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 February 28, 2010, 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-X)

**REVISED BOARD POLICY: Second Reading**  
5141.21 Administering Medication

Motion by Ms. Tatum and seconded by Ms. Balmir to accept as second reading Policy 5141.21 – Administering Medication. Policy was **approved** by all Board Members present.

<b><u>ROLL CALL</u></b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
T. Missy Balmir	X		
Alexander Brown	absent		
Elizabeth Johnson	absent		
Harry Luna	X		
Donald O. Shelton	X		
Marcellus Smith	X		
Nicola Tatum	X		
L. Diane Campbell	X		

**GUIDANCE BY STATE MONITOR**

Mr. Mark Cowell advised the Board he will need to make the decision if a voting deadlock remains at the May 3 Special Meeting. He stated he would rather the Board collectively make the decision regarding the Budget. Mr. Cowell said he, along with the Business Administrator and Superintendent, will be looking at the Budget again in detail during the upcoming week.

At this time, Dr. Campbell advised there will not be an Executive Session this evening. It was motioned and properly seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:25 p.m.

**ADJOURN** 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

*Jayne S. Howard*

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Business Administrator/Board Secretary