

**RIVER EDGE BOARD OF EDUCATION
"Building Bright Futures Together"**

**REVISED AGENDA
January 17, 2018
Cherry Hill School**

**410 Bogert Road, River Edge, NJ 07661
Media Center**

7:30 Public Meeting

CALL TO ORDER AND FLAG SALUTE

MISSION STATEMENT

The River Edge School District is a partnership of students, parents, staff, and community members. We are dedicated to providing a supportive environment in which all students can reach their maximum academic potential, while developing as responsible citizens who respect individuality. Our goals will be achieved because:

- curriculum and instruction are aligned with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards
- all decisions reflect the academic, social/emotional and physical needs of pre-K to sixth grade students
- cooperation and on-going communication exist between the school district and the community
- school administrators and the Board of Education work together to assess and adjust procedures in response to new mandates and the changing needs of the community

OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS NOTICE

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, notice of this meeting, its date, time and place have been delivered to the Post Office, the Municipal Building, Town News, The Record and posted on the District website, at least 48 hours prior to the time of this meeting.

SPECIAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Public Comment on Agenda Items
- B. Ethics Training- Matt Lee, New Jersey School Board Association (Approximately 60 minutes)
- C. 2018 - 2019 School Calendar Discussion

REPORTS

- 1. SUPERINTENDENT
- 2. PRINCIPAL
- 3. BOARD SECRETARY
- 4. PRESIDENT
- 5. COMMITTEES

MOTIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

A. ADMINISTRATION/POLICY

- 1. That the Board of Education approve the River Edge Elementary School Calendar for the 2018-2019 school year. (Addendum)
- 2. That the Board of Education approve the following class trips:

School	Grade	Destination	Cost to District
Cherry Hill	3	Turtle Back Zoo West Orange, NJ	\$1,390.00
Cherry Hill and Roosevelt	2	Liberty Science Center Jersey City, NJ	\$2,383.50
Cherry Hill and Roosevelt	6 Grade C.R.E.A.T.E.	National Museum of Math New York, NY	\$563.00
Roosevelt	K	River Edge Cultural Center River Edge, NJ	\$0

- 3. That the Board of Education approve the Violence, Vandalism and Harassment Intimidation and Bullying Report and HIB Training Report for Reporting Period 1. (July 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017)
- 4. That the Board of Education appoint Beth Rosen as District School Safety Specialist per state law. (P.L. 2017 c.162)
- 5. That the Board of Education approve the updated Student Code of Conduct. (Addendum)
- *6. That the Board of Education approve the staff development and travel as per the schedules for January 2018 including relevant mileage reimbursement. (Addendum)

Motion by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

B. CURRICULUM/EDUCATION - None

C. BUILDINGS & GROUNDS - None

D. FINANCE/GRANTS/GIFTS

1. That the Board of Education approve the bills & claims dated January 2018 totaling \$419,104.76 including checks #40634 through #40702. Payrolls dated December 15, 2017 and December 22, 2017, totaling \$1,188,534.11 issued therefore, a copy of such warrants list be attached as part of these minutes. (Addendum)
2. That the Board of Education approve the Budget Transfers for the school year 2017-2018 as of November 30, 2017. (Addendum)
3. That the River Edge Board of Education approve the Secretary's and Treasurer's Report for the period ending November 30, 2017.

Further, we certify that as of November 30, 2017 after review of the secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, to the best of our knowledge no major account or fund has been overexpended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11 and that sufficient funds are available to meet the districts financial obligation for the remainder of the fiscal year. (Addendum)

Motion by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

E. PERSONNEL

1. That the Board of Education approve the following teachers for the Cycle III of the Post Dismissal Instructional Academy for the 2017-2018 School Year at the REBOE/REEA CBA hourly rate:

Cherry Hill

Deborah Auriemma
Kristen Corcoran
Breanne DeVico
Noy Frasciello
Jaime Lazor
Katie O'Reilly
Andrea Siclari

Roosevelt

Caroline Church
Abby Burns-Paterson
Leah Taylor
Nevin Werner
*Nicole Colon

2. That the Board of Education approve the following individuals for movement on the step guide effective February 1, 2018* based on educational credentials.

Sabrina Johnston	from	MA to MA+15
Ryan Schmid	from	BA to BA+15

3. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent approve the Child Care Leave of absence for Julie Fallon to commence upon the completion of her Federal/State Family leave of absence, March 16, 2018 through June 30, 2018.

- 4. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent approve Susan Yi, MA, Step 1* to continue as Leave Replacement Teacher through June 30, 2018.
- 5. That the Board of Education approve the transfer of Leslie Blute, Secretary, from the New Bridge Center at Cherry Hill School to Roosevelt School effective February 1, 2018.
- 6. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent approve Cynthia Sherlock as a substitute Clerical Aide for the 2017-2018 School Year (Addendum)
- *7. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve Audrey Traynor, New Bridge Center Secretary, starting on February 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018.
- *8. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent approve Denise Albanese, Part-time Aide, effective on or about February 1, 2018.

**Salary to be determined and adjusted upon the ratification and approval of the negotiated REEA Agreement.*

Motion by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

F. RIVER EDGE SPECIAL EDUCATION - None

G. REGION V ADMINISTRATION & TRANSPORTATION

- 1. That the Board of Education approve the bills & claims dated January 2018 totaling \$923,437.30 including checks #69415 through #69588.
- 2. That the Board of Education approve Triumph Coach, Inc. as a new transporter.
- 3. WHEREAS, the River Edge Board of Education (the "Board") is the lead education agency ("LEA") for the Bergen County Region V Council for Special Education ("Region V"); and

WHEREAS, Region V provides shared services for its member districts such as evaluations, direct services, and consultation; and

WHEREAS, as the LEA, the Board must approve the consultant agreements of the providers that Region V utilizes to deliver shared services to its member districts.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board, upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approves the consultant agreements of the following Region V Shared Services Consultants, Psychologists, Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultants, Social Workers, Speech Language Specialists, Occupational and Physical Therapists, and Translators to provide evaluations, direct services, and consultation, to non-public and public schools for member districts upon request for the 2017-2018 school year:

Woodland Speech Therapy LLC Speech and Language Specialist
 *Preferred Home Health Care and Nursing Services

Motion by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

OLD/NEW BUSINESS

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

CLOSED SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Board Meetings

February 7, 2018 – Cherry Hill School

February 27, 2018-(Tuesday) - Cherry Hill School