

RIVER EDGE BOARD OF EDUCATION
“Building Bright Futures Together”

REVISED AGENDA
May 4, 2022

7:30 PM Public Meeting

In response to the COVID-19 public health emergency and the emergency orders and directives at the federal, State and local levels, the meeting of the River Edge Board of Education scheduled for Wednesday, May 4, 2022 will have a meeting conducted from the Roosevelt School Media Center. Details for how to access and participate through remote means are listed herein and will be posted on the District website at www.riveredgeschools.org. You will be able to fully participate in this meeting including, providing public comment.

The Public may observe and participate in the meeting only via the methods listed below.

Please click the link below to join the Zoom Meeting:

Meeting Access URL

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88061239846?pwd=NjhoV1pkdTBXREhGbjlwdXU5dnhrZz09>

Meeting Access Code / ID: 880 6123 9846

Password: 410711

The Meeting Agenda will be available on the District Website at www.riveredgeschools.org

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

ROLL CALL

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.

CLOSED SESSION (When Necessary)

SPECIAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Public Comments on Agenda Items
- B. 6th Grade Shark Tank Presentation in Old Gym – no live streaming for this presentation. In person only to protect the privacy of our students.
- C. Public Hearing and Adoption of the 2022 – 2023 Proposed School Budget – Mrs. Danahy and Mrs. Napolitano

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 completion of the following emergency drills:

School	Dates
Cherry Hill School	4/25/2022 Lockdown 4/28/2022 Fire Drill
Roosevelt School	4/25/2022 Fire Drill 4/27/2022 Lockdown

- *2. That the Board of Education approve the following class trip: (Addendum)

School	Grade	Destination	Cost to District
Cherry Hill	6	National Museum of Math	\$875.00

- 3. That the Board of Education approved the Second Reading of the following policy:

Policy #	Title
5141.10	Face Coverings

- That the Board of Education approve, with the recommendation of the Superintendent approve the Stronge Model to be used as the District Evaluation Rubric for Teachers, Principals, and other Certified Staff for the 2022-2023 school year.

Motion by: _____ Seconded by: _____

B. **CURRICULUM/EDUCATION** – None

C. **BUILDINGS & GROUNDS** - None

D. **FINANCE/GRANTS/GIFTS**

- That the Board of Education approve the Final 2022-2023 School Year Budget as follows:

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Local Tax Levy</u>
Total General Fund	\$22,548,270	\$16,679,059
Total Special Revenue Fund	\$ 1,246,942	N/A
Total Debt Service	\$ 1,389,600	\$ 1,125,141
Total	\$25,184,812	

Be It Further Resolved, that the Board of Education requests the approval of a Capital Reserve Withdrawal in the amount of \$1,267,500. The District intends to utilize \$1,267,500 for new boilers at Cherry Hill School and Roosevelt School.

Motion by: _____ Seconded by: _____

E. **PERSONNEL**

- That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the employment of Non-tenured Staff in the REEA for the 2022-2023 School year as per the list on file in the District Office.
- That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the employment of the following Non-tenured Administrator for the 2022-2023 school year:

Eric James Assistant Principal

- That the Board of Education approve the employment of Stan Stevens, Supervisor of Buildings & Grounds, effective July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 at a salary on file in the District Office.
- That the Board of Education approve the revised retirement date for Marlene Rhodes effective August 1, 2022. (Addendum)
- That the Board of Education, accepts with regret, the resignation of Stephanie Repetti, Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant, effective June 30, 2022. (Addendum)

6. That the Board of Education post-approve the following teacher(s) for Cycle IV (SEL) of the Post Dismissal Instructional Academy for the 2021-2022 School Year:

Roosevelt School
MaryAnn Crudello

7. That the Board of Education approve the following ABA Aides for Cycle IV (SEL) of the Post Dismissal Instructional Academy for the 2021-2022 School Year, as per Contract:

Helen Belitz
Cathy Nyhan
Amanda Sanzari

8. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent, appoint Mayerling Martinez, as the District Liaison to the Board of the River Edge Public Library for the 2022-2023 school year.

9. That the Board of Education, with the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve professional day requests for the following staff members to attend workshops/conferences as noted and in accordance with appropriate statute:

Name/Position	Workshop/Conference	Date(s)	Cost to District Excluding Mileage at State Rate
Nevin Werner Supervisor Science & Math	NJDOE NJLSA – Science Committee: Statistical Review Meeting	August 24–25, 2022	None

Motion by: _____ Seconded by: _____

F. RIVER EDGE SPECIAL EDUCATION – None

G. REGION V ADMINISTRATION & TRANSPORTATION

1. That the Board of Education post approve the following Quote Contracts for the 2021-2022 school year.

Route	Transporter	Per Diem	Per Diem Aide (if applicable)
Q026	Morgan Educational Services	\$277.00	\$89.00

2. That the Board of Education post approve the following Addendum Contracts for the 2021-2022 school year.

Route	Transporter	Per Diem
2988	Kids Choice Transportation	\$242.00
3011	J&W Financial, LLC.	\$420.00

Motion by: _____ Seconded by: _____

OLD/NEW BUSINESS

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

CLOSED SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Board Meetings

May 18, 2022 – Student Led Board of Education Meeting
June 8, 2022 -- Retirees
June 22, 2022