

**BROOKFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Brookfield Public Schools**  
**REGULAR MEETING - WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2013**  
**BROOKFIELD HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER, BROOKFIELD, CT**  
**7:00 p.m.**  
**AGENDA AND SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS**

I. **CALL TO ORDER**

II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

III. **ROLL CALL**

IV. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

V. **WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE**

VI. **APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES**

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the minutes listed below as recommended:

Regular Meeting- 7/17/13

**EXHIBIT A**

VII. **SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE**

1. New Teacher Orientation/ Welcome Back Convocation/PD Days
2. CMT/CAPT

VIII. **SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

none

IX. **CONSENT AGENDA**

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the items on the Consent Agenda as recommended:

**NEW HIRES (CERTIFIED)**

Jessica Baker, (1.0) Social Studies teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Brenda Gilbert who resigned.

Marina Zumaeta, (1.0) Gr. 6 Spanish teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Teresa Garrity who resigned.

Pamela Garrett, (1.0) Applied Education at BHS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Teresa Brooks who resigned.

Giorgia Stabile, (1.0) Gr. 5 Spanish teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Marcela DeAndrade who moved to BHS.

Jason Milde, (1.0) Social Studies teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Tony Corden who retired.

Carey Stephens, (1.0) PE/Health teacher at BHS. Effective 8/20/13. A one year contract to replace Cynthia Adamski who is assuming the Interim Athletic Coordinator position.

Sarah Rondini, (1.0) Speech and Language Pathologist at HHES. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Patricia Walsh who retired.

Kevin Cook, (1.0) Spanish teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Geoffrey Schenker who resigned.

Sarah Prieto, (1.0) Gr. 3 teacher at HHES. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Amy Musella who resigned.

Kimberly Rappoli, (1.0) School nurse at BHS. Effective 8/22/13. To replace Angela Haselwood who retired.

Heather Stoja, (1.0) Spec. Ed. teacher at HHES. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Kristin Zulkowski who resigned.

Patricia Richards, (1.0) School nurse at WMS. Effective 8/22/13. To replace Karen Riesterer who retired.

Katherine Heineman, (1.0) Gr. 1 teacher at CES. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Brenna Sullivan who is on a one year LOA.

Stephen Dore, (1.0) Gr. 8 Math teacher at WMS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Nancy Grapowski who resigned.

Nicole Stolz, (1.0) School nurse at HHES. Effective 8/22/13. To replace Karen Prizio who retired.

Hilary Hughes, (1.0) Social worker for BHS alternative program and CES. Effective 8/20/13. A new position.

Traci Sandler, (1.0) Music teacher at HHES. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Nicole Ferrall who resigned.

Carmen Crisostomo-Lorenz, (.6) Spanish at BHS. Effective 8/20/13. To replace Amanda Caparosa who assumed the full-time position Christine Mattei vacated when she retired.

#### **NEW HIRES (NON-CERTIFIED)**

Lisa Genovese, (.8) School-to-career clerk at BHS. Effective 8/26/13. To replace Ann Kulbieda who resigned.

#### **RECALL**

Katie Mahoney, (1.0) Paraprofessional at HHES. Effective 8/26/13. To replace Mary Blake who resigned.

#### **RESIGNATION**

Teresa Garrity, (1.0) Spanish teacher at WMS. Effective 7/15/13. For personal reasons.

Mary Blake, (1.0) Paraprofessional at HHES. Effective 7/12/13. For personal reasons.

Lynne Covill, (1.0) Teacher at CES. Effective 7/26/13. For personal reasons.

Sydney Cohen, (1.0) Library Media Specialist at BHS. Effective 8/1/13. Accepted a position in another district.

Geoffrey Bergen, (1.0) Technology Education Teacher at WMS. Effective 8/4/13. For personal reasons.

Jane Beal, (1.0) ABA Paraprofessional at HHES. Effective 8/23/13. For personal reasons.

#### **DEGREE CHANGES**

Danielle Olivier, (1.0) PE/Health teacher at HHES. Change in degree status from BA step 3 to BA+15 step 3. A salary increase of \$995. Effective 8/21/13.

Meredith McGlynn, (1.0) Gr. 3 Teacher at HHES. Change in degree status from MA step 6 to MA+15 step 6. A salary increase of \$1,804. Effective 8/21/13.

Lee Gregoras, (1.0) Teacher at BHS. Change in degree status from BA step 8 to BA+15 step 8. A salary increase of \$1,224. Effective 8/21/13.

Christine Irwin, (1.0) Teacher at CES. Change in degree status from MA+15 step 9 to 6<sup>TH</sup> Year step 9. A salary increase of \$3,266. Effective 8/21/13.

Lisa Fearon, (1.0) Teacher at CES. Change in degree status from BA step 6 to BA+30 step 6. A salary increase of \$1,976. Effective 8/21/13.

X. **ADJOURNMENT**

Recommended Motion: There being no further business to conduct, the Board move to adjourn its regular meeting.

**Upcoming Events**

August 20<sup>th</sup> - New Teacher Orientation  
August 21<sup>st</sup> - Welcome Back Convocation  
August 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> - Professional Development Day  
August 26<sup>th</sup> - First Day of School- Full Day  
September 2<sup>nd</sup> - Labor Day