

BROOKFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION
Brookfield Public Schools
IN PERSON REGULAR MEETING, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 2021
BROOKFIELD HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
7:00 P.M.
AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. RECOGNITION OF STAFF AND STUDENTS

The Board would like to recognize the following Teachers of the Year:

Center Elementary School- Rosa Barrero
Huckleberry Hill School- Dee Pearson
Whisconier Middle School- Kayla Ryan
Brookfield High School- Chris Buckley

The Superintendent would like to announce that Brookfield High School Social Studies teacher Chris Buckley has been voted as the 2021 District Teacher of the Year.

The Board would like to recognize the following 2021 Staff Members of the Year:

Center Elementary School- Beth O'Connor
Huckleberry Hill School- Renee Byrne
Whisconier Middle School- Dennis Hyl
Brookfield High School- Rosa Hopcroft
Town School Office- Terri Kavanagh

The Board would like to recognize the following Top 10 graduating seniors from Brookfield High School, Class of 2021 for their academic achievements:

Maathangi Nellicherry (*University of Pennsylvania*), Christopher Esneault (*Yale University*)
Adharsh Kandula (*Northeastern University*), Mahika Yarram (*Stony Brook University*),
Avery Huang (*Northeastern University*), Tanvi Chennuru (*Boston University*), Ian Belles
(*Springfield College*), Grace Haxhinasto (*Gordon College*), Paul Kurkky (*Carnegie Mellon
University*), Jessica Huang, (*Northeastern University*).

The Board and Superintendent would like to thank Tanvi Chennuru for her service to the Board of Education as the student representative.

V. PUBLIC COMMENT

The Board of Education welcomes public comment. Individuals or groups may address the Board concerning any subject which is within the Board’s jurisdiction. Three minutes will be allotted to each speaker. Comments and questions at a regular meeting may deal with any topic related to the Board’s management of the schools. Discussion of personnel or of individual members of the Board shall not be considered appropriate.

VI. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

VII. WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE

VIII. APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

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

Regular Meeting- 5/19/2021

EXHIBIT A

IX. SUPERINTENDENT’S UPDATE

X. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

CAPE- 5/20/2021

Special Finance Subcommittee- 5/26/2021

EXHIBIT B

EXHIBIT C

XI. CONSENT AGENDA

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the items on the consent agenda as recommended:

RESIGNATIONS:

Samantha Hannon, (1.0) Teacher at CES, effective at the end of the 2020-2021 School Year. She will be moving to another district in CT.

Lindsay Jankun-Harsch, (1.0) BCBA for the district, effective at the end of the 2020-2021 School Year. She will be moving to another district in CT.

Kasey McCullough, (1.0) ABA ParaEducator WMS, effective at the end of the 2020-2021 School Year, for personal reasons.

Erin Powers-Stockl, (1.0) Teacher at HHES, effective at the end of the 2020-2021 School Year, for personal reasons.

RETIREMENTS:

Susan Schmidt, (1.0) Technology Technician at HHES, effective July 5, 2021 after almost 32 years of service in Brookfield.

XII. NEW BUSINESS

A. GRID PALS PRESENTATION

Recommended Action: that the Board receive a presentation on Grid Pals from Mr. Keith Johnston, Foreign Language teacher at WMS, and as presented at the May 20th CAPE subcommittee meeting.

B. ARP ESSER GRANT PRESENTATION

Recommended Action: that the Board receive a presentation on the ARP ESSER Grant as presented by Superintendent Dr. John Barile.

C. FOOD SERVICE CONTRACT EXTENSION

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the extension of the Whitsons Food Service contract for the 2021-2022 school year as recommended by Director of Business and Operations Ken Post. **EXHIBIT D**

XIII. OLD BUSINESS

A. SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE/JULY-DECEMBER 2021

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the subcommittee meeting schedule from July- December 2021 as discussed with adjustments at the May 19, 2021 Board of Education meeting. **EXHIBIT E**

B. CANDLEWOOD LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

The Board will receive an update on the Candlewood Lake Elementary school building project.

3 MAIN POINTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION ANTICIPATED

Recommended Motion: that the Board enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing the employment contracts for Superintendent Dr. John Barile, Assistant Superintendent Dr. Maureen Ruby and Director of Operations Ken Post, the Superintendent's evaluation and Unaffiliated salaries.