

**BROOKFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Brookfield Public Schools**  
**REGULAR MEETING - WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023**  
**BROOKFIELD HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM**  
**7:00 p.m.**  
**AGENDA**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**III. ROLL CALL**

**IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**

The Board of Education welcomes public comment. Each speaker shall have up to three minutes to provide input to the Board. At the start of each regular meeting, a maximum of 20 minutes is allotted for comment on any item included on the agenda for that meeting. At the end of each regular meeting, time is allotted for comment on any item which is within the Board's jurisdiction, which would also include overflow time for individuals who were not able to speak in the initial 20 minute time slot. Discussion of school personnel, individualized students or of individual members of the Board is prohibited.

**V. WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE**

**VI. APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES**

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

Regular Meeting- 6/7/2023  
Special Meeting- 6/15/2023  
Special Meeting- 6/22/2023  
Special Meeting- 7/6/2023  
Special Meeting- 7/12/2023

**EXHIBIT A**  
**EXHIBIT B**  
**EXHIBIT C**  
**EXHIBIT D**  
**EXHIBIT E**

**VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

**VIII. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

Special Finance- 6/5/2023  
Facilities- 6/7/2023  
Finance- 6/12/2023  
Finance- 7/10/2023  
CAPE- 7/12/2023

**EXHIBIT F**  
**EXHIBIT G**  
**EXHIBIT H**  
**EXHIBIT I**  
**EXHIBIT J**

## **IX. CONSENT AGENDA**

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

### **NEW HIRES**

Nathan Wilda, (1.0) Tech Teacher-for BHS, effective 8/28/2023, replacing Robert Zapor who retired.

Taylor Albert (1.0) 4th Grade Teacher for CLES, effective 8/28/2023, New position.

Casey Gruppuso (1.0) 3rd Grade Long-term sub, effective 8/28/2023, replacing Nicole Doyle on a one year leave.

### **RESIGNATIONS**

Heather Batchelor, (1.0) Social Studies Instructional Coach at WMS, effective 6/30/2023.

Marian Ferando (1.0) Para at CLES, effective 8/10/2023.

Hayley Yule (1.0) SPED Teacher at CLES, effective 6/15/2023.

Cathy Davidson (1.0) Para at CLES, effective 8/21/2023.

Steve DelValle (1.0) Night Custodian at WMS, effective 8/9/2023.

Rachel Carnazza (1.0) School Counselor at CLES, effective 7/6/2023.

Melanie Lesieur (1.0) ABA Para at BHS, effective 7/13/2023.

### **TRANSFERS**

Dennis Petrino, (1.0) moving from 6th grade at WMS to 4th grade teacher at CLES, effective 8/30/2023 replacing Lee Morgan who retired.

May Financials

**EXHIBIT K**

## **X. NEW BUSINESS**

### **1. STUDENT REQUEST FOR NON-RESIDENT ATTENDANCE**

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve a student request for non-resident attendance as recommended by Superintendent Dr. John Barile.

### **2. AP HISTORY TEXTBOOK APPROVAL**

Recommended Motion: that the Board approve the following AP History textbook to be used as a curricular tool and instructional resource for the AP World History class beginning in the 2023-2024 school year, as recommended by the CAPE subcommittee and Assistant Superintendent Dr. Anna Mahon:

*Traditions and Encounters - A Global Perspective on the Past, Bentley, Ziegler, Streets-Salter, Benjamin, 7th Edition, AP Edition, 2023, McGraw-Hill.*

**EXHIBIT L**

### **3. BUDGET ADJUSTMENT**

Recommended Motion: That the Board approve the budget adjustment in the amount of \$397,579, to account for the supplemental appropriation approved by the Boards of selectman and finance as recommended by the finance subcommittee.

**EXHIBIT M**

## **XI. OLD BUSINESS**

### **1. UPDATE FROM SPECIAL EDUCATION DIRECTOR, MR. BILL ROLAND- CREC REPORT FOLLOW UP**

Recommended Action: that the Board receive an update on the CREC report regarding the Special Education review, given to the Board on June 7, 2023, as presented by Special Education Director Bill Roland.

**XII. PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**XIII. CANDLEWOOD LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT**

Recommended Action: that the Board 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 Superintendent’s contract.