# DUNKIRK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT DUNKIRK, NEW YORK

## Special Meeting of the Board of Education

Date:

Thursday, August 23, 2018

Place:

High School, Large Group Instruction Room

Time:

5:30 PM

#### - AGENDA -

1.0 Roll Call:

Members Present:

Members Absent:

Members Excused:

Also Present:

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- 2.0 Written Communications: Meeting Notice
- 3.0 Questions & Oral Communications of the Public Pertaining to This Evening's Agenda Items:
- 4.0 Presentation of Items for Board Action (Resolutions):
- 5.0 Adjournment:

# 1 - Acceptance of Resignation -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that the resignation from Raisa Portman, ESL teacher, be accepted effective August 15, 2018.

## 2 - Appointment of Social Studies Teacher -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Nathan Ahlstrom, Dunkirk, New York, is hereby appointed to the professional educator position of Social Studies teacher in the special subject tenure area of social studies, effective August 29, 2018, Step 2, Column B, \$41,700 pro rata.

His probationary service commenced on August 30, 2017. This appointment will expire on August 29, 2021.

**NOTE:** Mr. Ahlstrom possesses initial certification and his assignment will be at the High School.

#### 3 - Appointment of Business Teacher -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Richard Laspro, Clarence Center, New York, is hereby appointed to the professional educator position of .5 Business teacher in the special subject tenure area of Business Education and .5 as assigned, effective August 29, 2018, Step 9, Column B+30M, \$52,290 pro rata.

His probationary service will commence on August 29, 2018. This appointment will expire on August 28, 2022.

**NOTE:** Mr. Laspro possesses permanent certification and his assignment will be at the Middle School.

4 - Appointment of Temporary Elementary AIS Teacher -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Courtney Smyczynski, East Aurora, New York, is hereby appointed to the position of temporary Elementary AIS teacher, effective August 29, 2018, Step 1, Column B+36M, \$43,908.00 pro rata.

**NOTE:** Ms. Smyczynski possesses initial certification and her assignment will be at School Four.

5 - Appointment of Temporary Elementary Teacher -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Sarah Crane, South Wales, New York, is hereby appointed to the position of temporary Elementary teacher, effective August 29, 2018, Step 2, Column B+30M, \$43,990.00 pro rata.

**NOTE:** Ms. Crane possesses professional certification and her assignment will be at School Three.

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## 6 - Appointment of Spanish Teacher -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Alicia Sciolino, Hamburg, New York, is hereby appointed to the professional educator position of Spanish teacher in the special subject tenure area of Spanish, effective August 29, 2018, Step 1, Column B, \$41,300.00 pro rata.

Her probationary service will commence on August 29, 2018. This appointment will expire on August 28, 2022.

**NOTE:** Ms. Sciolino possesses initial certification and her assignment will be at the High School.

# 7 - Appointment of School Resource Officer -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Steven Zentz, Dunkirk, New York, is hereby appointed to the position of School Resource Officer as per the School Resource Officer Program Partnership Agreement with the City of Dunkirk, effective August 27, 2018.

8 - Appointment of School Wellness Coordinator -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Michael Green, Middle School Health Teacher, is hereby appointed to the position of School Wellness Coordinator for the 2018-2019 school year, effective August 29, 2018.

**NOTE**: Mr. Green will be paid a \$3,400.00 stipend funded by the Creating Healthy School & Communities Initiative Grant.

# 9 - Appointment of High School After School Tutoring Program Staff -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that the following individuals are hereby appointed to the High School After School Tutoring Program, effective September 12 through November 29, 2018 and January 28 through May 2, 2019, Monday through Thursday from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM each day:

Tim Johnson Lindsey Bauza Vincent Vecchio Anna Alvira Sara Henry Caroline Villafrank Walter Robertson Noreen Eckert Renee Pasquale Tracy Schifano Nicole Danato

10 - Approval of Substitute Teacher for Summer School Program -

**RESOLVED**, upon the Superintendent of Schools that the following individual is hereby approved as a substitute teacher for the MS/HS Summer School Program, July & August 2018:

Samuel Medema

11 - Appointment of Temporary School Nurse -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that Juanita Pagan, Dunkirk, New York, is hereby appointed to the position of temporary school nurse, effective August 29, 2018 for the 2018-2019 school year, \$39,579 pro rata.

**NOTE:** Ms. Pagan's assignment will be at School Four where she fills the vacancy for Erica Boner who is on leave.

# 12 - Approval for Extension of Transportation Contracts -

**RESOLVED**, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that the following transportation contracts and rates are extended for the 2018-2019 school year at an increase of 2.09% (95% of annual CPI of 2.2%) for an annual cost as follows:

| Base Transportation (First Student)        | \$545,356.62 |
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| Randolph Academy (First Student)           | \$ 58,534.74 |
| GA Home (First Student)                    | \$ 15,386.81 |
| BOCES Wheelchair (First Student)           | \$ 71,773.52 |
| North Collins School (First Student)       | \$ 53,859.26 |
| Pre K (First Student)                      | \$ 74,305.93 |
| Cassadaga Academy (First Student)          | \$ 20,030.92 |
| St. Mary's SFD, Buffalo Autism Center,     |              |
| Summit Center, (Corvus Bus & Charter Inc.) | \$ 60,717.57 |