

14. Recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools

(at this time the Board will take formal action on the following items)

A. PERSONNEL

1. Retirement – Non-Certificated Staff

Move to accept with regret the retirement of Jo Ellen Toro, Guidance Secretary at Metuchen High School effective January 1, 2017.

2. Resignation – Non-Certificated Staff

Move to approve the resignation of Amber Michaliszyn, Paraprofessional at Moss School, effective August 22, 2016.

3. Appointment – Certificated Staff

Move to approve the appointment of Stephanie Kandel as a Kindergarten Teacher at Moss School effective August 31, 2016 at the salary of Step 3-D, \$56,141.

4. Appointment – Leave Replacement

Move to approve the appointment of Caroline Forde as a leave replacement for Lindsay Kenyon at Edgar Middle School from August 31, 2016 through June 30, 2017 at the salary of Step 1-A, \$50,618.

5. Salary Adjustment – Certificated Staff

Move to approve the salary adjustment of Lori Meyer, Elementary Teacher (Grade 5) at Edgar Middle School from the salary of Step 1-C, \$52,268 to Step 1-F, \$56,368 (pro-rated) effective date depends upon her release date from another district.

6. Amendment – Certificated Staff

Move to approve the contract amendment of Anna Buddin to a 3/5 Long Term Substitute effective August 31, 2016, at the rate of \$164.17/day (pro-rated 3/5), start date of tenure track position begins upon receipt of certification. (Agenda 6-28-16, XIV, A2)

7. Amendment – Certificated Staff

Move to approve the amendment of the effective date for Barbara Zeman from August 31, 2016 to the effective date depends upon her release date from another district. (Agenda 8-16-16, XIV, A13)

8. Appointment – Long Term Substitute

Move to approve the appointment of Danielle Pallotta as a long term substitute for Lori Meyer (Grade 5) at Edgar Middle School starting August 31, 2016, at the rate of \$90/day for days 1-20 and \$273.61/day for days 21 through the end of the assignment.

9. Appointment – Substitute Teachers

Move to approve the appointment of the following substitute teachers for the 2016-2017 school year as shown on the attached chart:

10. Appointment – Non-Certificated Staff

Move to approve the appointment of the following paraprofessionals effective August 31, 2016:

Name	Assignment	Hourly Rate
Christian Erbig	Edgar	\$17.11/hr.
Jennifer Woods	Moss	\$17.11/hr.

11. Appointment – Substitute Paraprofessionals

Move to approve the appointment of the following substitute paraprofessionals for the 2016-2017 school year:

Name	Position	Rate
New Hire:		
William McDuffie, Jr.	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Reappointments:		
Raquel Class	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Mary Ellen DeMary-Polye	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Amy Jeney	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Lucy Ann MacDonald	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Caryn Skolnick	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Annmarie Sorg	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.
Deborah Zupan	Substitute Paraprofessional	\$13.00/hr.

12. Summer Work Curriculum

Move to approve the following teacher to design a teacher-led workshop in Authentic Student Engagement at the September 1, 2016 In-service from July 1, 2016 – August 30, 2016, 3-6 hours at a rate of \$35.00/hr. from 2016-2017 Curriculum Writing funds:

Nick Zaneto	Google Classroom for PE/Health
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13. The Zone

Move to approve the following appointment of The Zone staff for the 2016-2017 school year:

Youth Mentor	Rate
Saxena, Arvind	\$8.00/hour

14. Coach

Move to approve the following coach for the fall 2016-2017 school sport season:

Sport	Coach	Position	Step	Stipend
Boys' Soccer	Sean Haugh*	Freshman Coach	1	\$5,223

*not a member of the district staff

15. Rescissions, Additions and Amendments – Sixth Period Stipends

Move to approve the following rescissions, additions and amendments of Sixth Period Stipends for the 2016-2017 school year as shown on the chart listed below: (Agenda 7-12-16. XIV, A5)

Name	Assignment	2016-2017 Stipend
Rescind		
Sarah Anderson	Moss extended day	\$ 6,661
Christine Rockwell Wardlow	MHS English language Arts .5	\$ 3,331
Amend		
Karen Logan	From Edgar G&T (5) .5 to Edgar G&T (6) .5	\$ 3,331
Nicole Valera	Tobii Eye Gaze System & Tobii Eye Gaze System Programming	\$5,679 \$5,679
Add		
Vivian Petrakakos	Edgar G&T (5) .5	\$ 3,331

16. Rescissions, Additions and Amendments – Co-Curricular Salaries

Move to approve the following rescissions, additions and amendments of Co-Curricular Salaries for the 2016-2017 school year as shown on the chart listed below: (Agenda 6-28-16, XIV, A13)

	METUCHEN HIGH SCHOOL	2016-17	Dates
CO-CURRICULAR:			
Amend			
Class Advisors Senior	Christine Rockwell Wardlow(3)	\$ 3,809	Sept./Dec. \$1,905.00
Add			
Class Advisors Senior	Katie McKeown (1)	\$ 3,478	Jan./June \$1,739.00
CLUBS:			
Rescind			
Gay Straight Alliance (GSA)	Christine Rockwell Wardlow	\$ 1,375	Dec./June \$ 687.50
Add			
Gay Straight Alliance (GSA)	Shawn Doremus	\$ 1,375	Dec./June \$ 687.50

17. Rescind and Approval of Mentor Teachers

Move to approve the rescission of the mentor teacher chart approved on the July 12, 2016, XIV, A18 agenda and approve the following mentor teachers who worked with mentee teachers at the New Teacher Academy on August 25, 2016 from 8:30 am – 11:30 am at the rate of \$35.00/hour for a total of \$105.00 per teacher:

Anderson, Julie	Bethe, Michelle	Cheung, Judi
Fischer, Laura	Gil, Staci	Gumbrecht, Jennifer
Kato, Yoko	Stanski, Bonnie	Wrublewski, Frank