

# North Caldwell Public Schools North Caldwell, NJ



# **Board of Education**

Public Meeting *July 19, 2023* 



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#### NORTH CALDWELL BOARD OF EDUCATION

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC SESSION GRANDVIEW SCHOOL CAFETERIA VIA ZOOM MEETING

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July 19, 2023 7:30 P.M. AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

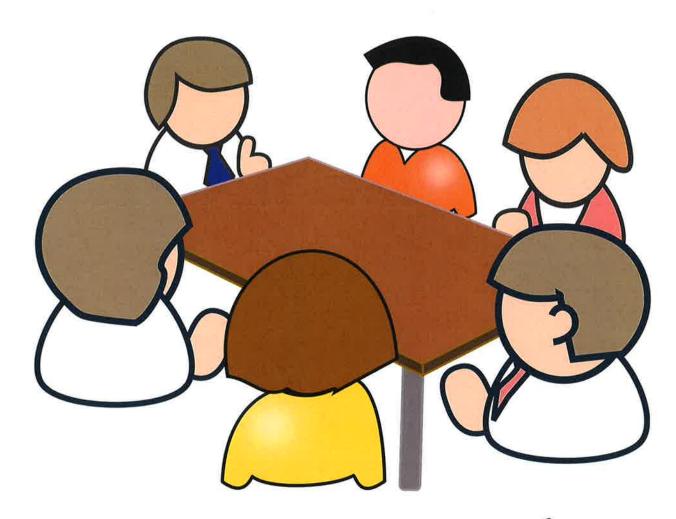
In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, notice of this meeting has been properly advertised in the designated newspaper and the agenda has been posted at the appropriate locations.

- 4. ROLL CALL
- 5. BOARD PRESIDENT'S REPORT
- 6. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT
- 7. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
- 8. ACTION ITEMS
  - •General Resolutions
  - G1. Approve Facilities use application for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Brownies
  - G2. Approve contract for State of New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired
  - G3. Approve Waiver of Subscription Busing Fee
  - G4. Approve submission and acceptance of IDEA Grant Award
  - G5. Approve the submission of School Self Assessment
  - **G6.** Approve Behavior Plus Therapies sessions
  - G7. Approve Neurological Assessment
  - G8. Approve Policies and Regulations at first reading
  - **G9.** Approve Facilities Management Consulting Services
  - Business Resolutions
  - B1. Approve Public and Confidential minutes of June 20th, 2023
  - **B2.** Approve Payroll
  - **B3.** Approve Hand Check registers
  - **B4.** Approve Bills and Claims
  - B5. Approve Board Secretary Certification for the month of May 2023
  - **B6.** Approve Board Secretary & Treasurer Financial Report for May 2023
  - **B7.** Approve Transfer from Capital Reserve
  - Personnel Resolutions
  - P1. Approve Extracurricular stipend positions as per NCEA Agreement
  - P2. Approve Instructional Assistant Contract
  - P3. Approve listed professional development

P4. Approve staff retirement
P5. Approve listed staff members for Child Study Team Meetings
9. OLD BUSINESS
10. NEW BUSINESS
11. ADJOURN TO CONFIDENTIAL SESSION
12. □ Legal □ Attorney-Client Privilege □ Personnel
□ Negotiations □ School Security/Public Safety □ Student Matter

The next scheduled public meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday August 16, 2023.

Posting: Board Members, Principals, NCPE Co-Presidents, NCEA Co-Presidents, Caldwell Progress Press Member, Board Office, Schools, and Town Hall.



Resolutions 19, 2023 July 19,

### **GENERAL RESOLUTIONS**

**G1. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the following facilities use application as per North Caldwell Board of Education Policy 7510:

Organization:	Brownies 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade		
User Class:	Class 4		
Activity:	Monthly Troop Meeting		
Facility:	Grandview Kindergarten Wing		
Dates:	10-5, 11-2, 12-7, 1-4, 2-1, 3-7, 4-11, 5-2, 6		
Time:	3:30-4:30		
Fee:	\$50.00		

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Seconded:

Yes:

No:

G2. RESOLVED that the Board of Education approve the contract for services with State of New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired.

Student#	<b>Contract Dates</b>	Cost
8005153	Sept 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024	\$2,200.00

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**G3. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the waiver of Subscription Busing fees for the following students for the 2023-2024 school year:

Student#	Grade	School
8005864 8006130 8005962 8005838	6 K 3 3	Gould Grandview Grandview Grandview
Moved:		Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**G4. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the submission and acceptance of the fiscal 2024 IDEA Grant Award:

Basic Preschool \$167,908.00 \$ 8,026.00

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**G5. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the submission of 2022-2023 School Self-Assessment for Determining Grades under the Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights Act for Grandview and Gould Schools.

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**G6. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following therapy sessions:

Student #	8005677			
Provider:	Behavior Plus Therapies	Behavior Plus Therapies		
Service:	ABA Therapy			
Facility:	In-Home			
Date:	7/25/23-8/25/23			
Sessions:	12 -two hour sessions			
Fee:	\$150.00 per hour			

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**G7. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the following neurological assessment for listed student:

Student #	8006112			
Provider:	Dr. Joseph A. Holahan	Dr. Joseph A. Holahan		
Service:	Neurological Assessment			
Facility:	St. Joseph's Hospital			
Date:	06/13/2023			
Fee:	Not to exceed \$800.00			

Moved:

Yes:

Seconded:

		Yes:	No:
G8.	RESOLVED	Regulations	d of Education approve the listed Policies and at first reading:
		Policy Policy Regulation Policy	0144 Board Member Orientation and Training 2520 Instructional Supplies 2520 Instructional Supplies 3217 Use of Corporal Punishment
		_	4217 Use of Corporal Punishment 5305 Health Services Personnel 5308 Student Health Records 5308 Student Health Records
		Policy Regulation Policy	5310 Health Services 5310 Health Services 6112 Reimbursement of Federal and Other Grant Expenditures
		Regulation Policy Policy	6115.01 Federal Funds-Internal Controls 6115.04 Federal Funds-Duplication of Benefits 6311 Contracts for Goods and Services Funded by Federal Grants
		Policy Policy	P7440 School District Security 9100 Public Relations ABOLISHED
		Moved:	Seconded:
		Yes:	No:
G9.	RESOLVED		d of Education approve JDM Consultant Services LLC Management Services for the 2023 - 2024 school year led basis.
		Moved:	Seconded:

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# **BUSINESS RESOLUTIONS**

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B1.	RESOLVEI	that the Board of Education approve the Public and Confidential Minutes of June 20th, 2023		
		Moved:	Seconded:	
		Yes:	No:	
B2.	RESOLVE	that the Board of Education appr	ove the following <b>Payroll:</b>	
		June 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2023	\$9,945.00	
		Moved:	Seconded:	
		Yes:	No:	
В3.	RESOLVED	that the Board of Education appr Register(s):	ove the following <b>Hand Check</b>	
		June 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2023 June 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2023	\$ 638.88 \$60,310.68	
		Moved:	Seconded:	
		Yes:	No:	
B4.	RESOLVED	that the Board of Education appr Claims:	ove the following <b>Bills and</b>	
		June 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2023 June 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2023	\$ 1,908.00 \$178,857.14	
		June 29th, 2023	\$ 371.43	
		Moved:	Seconded:	
		Yes:	No:	
B5.	WHEREAS	that as of May 2023, no b encumbrances and expenditures	) 3, the Board Secretary does certify udgetary line-item account has which in total exceed the amount d of education pursuant to N.J.S.A. re, be it	

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RESOLVED

that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.11(c) 4, the Board of Education does certify that as of **May 2023**, the Board Secretary Monthly Financial Report, did not reflect an over expenditure in any Major Account or Fund, and based on the Appropriation Balances reflected on this report and on the advice of District Officials, that sufficient funds are available to meet the District's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Moved: Seconded:

Yes: No:

**B6. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve the attached Board Secretary's and Treasurer's **Monthly Financial Reports** for **May 2023**.

Moved: Seconded:

Yes: No:

B7. RESOLVED that the Board of Education approve transferring \$815,000 from the Capital Reserve Fund to Fund 30 (Capital Projects) to fund the Access Road Project at the Grandview Elementary School State Project Number 3630-060-13-3630, with any remaining funds being returned to Capital Reserve at the completion of the project.

Moved: Seconded:

Yes: No:

#### PERSONNEL RESOLUTIONS

P1. RESOLVED that the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following teachers for extracurricular stipend positions as per NCEA Agreement listed below for the 2023-2024 school year:

Teacher	Position	Rate	
Greg De Rosa	Teacher-in-Charge	\$800.00	
Kim Shay	Teacher-in-Charge	\$800.00	
Lisa Linden	Yearbook Advisor	\$800.00	
Cathy Zimmermann	Yearbook Advisor	\$800.00	
Kim Williams	Honor Choir	\$750.00	
Toni Arena	Student Council	\$30.00/hr	
Kari Lynne Jones	Student Council	\$30.00/hr	
James Whitney	Grandview Recess \$1,800.00		
	Coordinator		

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Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**P2. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve **Peter Decilla** as an Instructional Assistant Step 2 at a salary of \$32,058.00 effective August 31, 2023 to June 30, 2024.

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

**P3. RESOLVED** that the Board of Education upon recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the Professional Development Workshops/Conferences costs for the following teachers:

Name	Date	Workshop	Cost	Travel
Shay, K.	7/25/2023	Improving Morphemic	\$45.00	
		Awareness Through		
		Word Study		
Laurenzano, D.	8/3/2023	The Impact of	\$89.00	
		Processing Speed		
Lista, E.	9/28/2023	Non-Violent	\$1,549.00	
		Intervention Certificate		
		Renewal		
Giantonio	9/28/2023	Non-Violent	\$1,549.00	
		Intervention Certificate		
		Renewal		

Moved:

Seconded:

Yes:

No:

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P4.	RESOLVED	that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, regretfully accept the retirement of <b>Thomas Falce</b> effective September 1, 2023.		
		Moved:		Seconded:
		Yes:		No:
P5.	RESOLVED	that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve the following teachers to attend CST meetings at their per diem hourly rate effective June 26, 2023 to August 30, 2023.		owing teachers to attend CST
			Kim Shay Tara Newman Jill Lagattuta Rebecca Jones	
		Moved:		Seconded:
		Yes:		No: