

**CLINTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

AGENDA

Special Meeting - June 4, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.

Virtual Access



CALL TO ORDER: _____ called the meeting to order at _____ p.m.

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE:

In accordance with the provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, Laws of 1975, adequate notice of this meeting was provided through public notice on June 2, 2020.

- a. Sent to three newspapers designated by the Board – Hunterdon County Democrat, Hunterdon Review and Express Times.
- b. Posting on the District Website.
- c. Emailed to Clerk of Clinton Township.

2019/2020 DISTRICT GOALS:

- 1. To implement and integrate Social-Emotional Learning programs in grades Pre-K to eight by June of 2020.
- 2. To assess our current special services programs and services to identify strengths and needs and to create an action plan based on the results of the assessment.
- 3. To implement facilities upgrades and programming for safety and security in all buildings district wide to ensure the safety and security of students and staff.
- 4. To establish greater transparency and build trust by identifying and implementing strategies including expansion of the utility of our website, possible 2-way communication on the site, and branding of our district.

ROLL CALL:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Time of arrival after the meeting has been called to order.</i>
Ms. Lana Brennan			
Dr. Laura Brasher			
Ms. Mary Beth Brooks			
Ms. Catherine Mary Emery			
Ms. Maria Grant			
Dr. Alison Grantham			
Mr. Scott Hornick			
Mrs. Jennifer Kaltenbach			
Dr. Catherine Riihimaki			

Present: *District Administrators:*
 _____ Dr. Michele Cone, Superintendent of Schools
 _____ Kelly Morris, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Also Present: _____ Vito Gagliardi, Esq., Board Attorney

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: _____ led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PROCESS GUARDIAN: _____ was appointed Process Guardian.

BOARD PRESIDENT’S COMMENTS/REPORT:

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT:

FIRST RECOGNITION OF THE PUBLIC:

PLEASE RESPECT THE 3-MINUTE SPEAKING RULE, AS PER BOARD OF EDUCATION BYLAW #0166R, SO THAT THE BUSINESS OF THE BOARD MAY PROCEED IN A TIMELY MANNER.

PERSONNEL:

Motion to approve Action Items 20-P-261 through 20-P-262

Action 20-P-261:

Motion to approve paid administrative leave for Employee # **56175227** from May 21, 2020, though the conclusion of their contract, June 30, 2020.

Action 20-P-262:

Motion to approve Michael Falkowski as interim School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, retroactive to May 22, 2020, for two days per week at \$500 per day, and continuing through June 30, 2020, subject to a contract to be approved [or approved] by the Executive County Superintendent, and pending further action of the Board.

Board of Education Roll Call Vote

	Dr. <u>Brasher</u>	Ms. <u>Brooks</u>	Ms. <u>Emery</u>	Ms. <u>Grant</u>	Dr. <u>Grantham</u>	Mr. <u>Hornick</u>	Ms. <u>Kaltenbach</u>	Dr. <u>Riihimaki</u>	Ms. <u>Brennan</u>
Motion									
Aye									
Nay									
Abstain									
Absent									

NEGOTIATIONS-CTAA/CTEA:

Lana Brennan, Catherine Riihimaki, Alison Grantham, Laura Brasher
CTAA -

Ad-hoc Committee for Superintendent Search:

Laura Brasher, Lana Brennan, Catherine Riihimaki, Jennifer Kaltenbach

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

SECOND RECOGNITION OF THE PUBLIC:

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EXECUTIVE SESSION:

WHEREAS, while the Sen. Byron M. Baer Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.) requires all meetings of the Clinton Township Board of Education to be held in public, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b) sets forth nine (9) types of matters that may lawfully be discussed in “Executive Session,” i.e. without the public being permitted to attend, and

WHEREAS, the Clinton Township Board of Education has determined that the following issues are permitted by N.J.S.A. 10: 4-12(b) to be discussed without the public in attendance and shall be discussed during an Executive Session.

WHEREAS, the nature of the matter(s) to be discussed, reviewed, or heard before the Board, detailed as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:37-13.2 et seq., shall include Personnel.

WHEREAS, the length of the Executive Session is estimated to be 30 minutes, after which the meeting shall reconvene and proceed with business wherein action may be taken.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Clinton Township Board of Education will go into Executive Session for the above stated reasons;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board hereby declares that its discussion of the aforementioned subject will be made public at such time as the reason for confidentiality no longer exists.

Motion made by _____, seconded by _____, to move to Executive Session at _____ (time).

(_____ Ayes; _____ Nays; _____ Abstain; _____ Absent)

RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION:

Motion made by _____, seconded by _____, to move to Executive Session at _____ (time).

(_____ Ayes; _____ Nays; _____ Abstain; _____ Absent)

ADJOURNMENT:

Action 20-AJ-020:

Motion made by _____, seconded by _____, to adjourn the meeting of the Clinton Township Board of Education at _____ (time).

(_____ Ayes; _____ Nays; _____ Abstain; _____ Absent)