Salem City Board of Education Salem, New Jersey 08079 Board of Education Meeting December 14, 2016

**CALL TO ORDER:** A meeting of the Salem City Board of Education is called to order at

p.m. in the Salem High School Library located at 219 Walnut Street in Salem,

New Jersey 08079.

**OPEN MEETING:** Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in the local news media

and a place of public notice located at the Salem City Board of Education Office, 205 Walnut Street, Salem, New Jersey as required in the Open Public

Meeting Act, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975.

**FLAG SALUTE** 

**Board Members** 

Carol Adams Joan Hoolahan Stephanie Walsh
Christopher Colon Yuenge Groce Heidi Holden
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**District Representatives:** 

Quinton: Alicia Sperry

Administrators:

Dr. Patrick Michel Superintendent Pascale DeVilmé Principal Salem Middle School

Herbert Schectman School Business Administrator
Pamela Thomas Director of Special Services

Will Allen VP Salem Middle School
Michele Beach VP Salem Middle School

Linda Del Rossi Supervisor of Literacy/SS PreK-12

John Mulhorn Principal Salem High School

Syeda Woods Principal John Fenwick Academy
Sharen Cline Supervisor of Early Childhood

Jordan Pla VP Salem High School Darryl Roberts VP Salem High School

OTHERS: Corey Ahart - Solicitor Dr. Theodore Johnson – Consultant

#### **AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION**

Audience members attending Board of Education Meetings are permitted to voice their opinions on school related topics at specified times during the regular meeting. These times are included in the printed agenda for the meeting. Members of the public are encouraged to speak during the public portion of the meeting. Complaints stated, or actions requested by the public, will be taken under advisement by the Board for investigation, discussion, and action or disposition at a later time/date.

When addressing the Board of Education, please respect the following procedure:

- 1. Be recognized by the Board President.
- 2. State your full name and address before commenting.
- 3. Identify the resolution on which you will be commenting.
- 4. Wait to be recognized before making your comment(s).
- 5. Limit your comments to the specific resolution.
- 6. Time is limited to three (3) minutes per person.
- 7. If your questions or comments pertain to litigation, student or personnel items or negotiations, we would ask that you see the Superintendent after the meeting since we do not discuss these items in public.

### **PRESENTATION**

### **Students of the month for November 2016:**

John Fenwick	Cameron Vile	Grade 2	Mr. Tunstall
	Da'Zire McCall	Grade 2	Ms. Ali
Salem Middle School	Mech'E'La Brittingham	Grade 5	Mr. Day
	Quaron Staton	Grade 5	Ms. Taylor
Salem High School	Anthony Robinson	Grade 9	Ms. Lynard
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Aliyah Thomas Grade 10 Mr. Levitsky & Mr. O'Brien

# Staff Member(s) of the month for November 2016:

John Fenwick Academy Heather Meehan – Teacher of Preschool

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

Auditors – Presentation of the School Audit Michael J. Welding, CPA, RMA, Partner Shawn M. Glynn, CPA, Supervisor BOWMAN & COMPANY LLP

#### **BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### PRINCIPALS'/ADMINISTRATORS' REPORTS AND COMMENTARY

#### SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS/REPORTS

Motion Educat	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	re minutes of November 9, 2016 Board of
BOARD SI	ECRETARY/BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR REPORT	<u>'S</u>
Board Motion A.	Reports (Exhibit A)  ( / ) To approve the Board Secretary's  *Request Board approval of the transfer of the funds pursuant to 18A:22-8.1 for the month of October 20	as previously approved by the Superintendent
В.	*Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c) 3, I certify for item account has obligations and payments (contract appropriated by the Salem City Board of Education 18A:22-8.2 and no budgetary line item account has 6A:23A-16.10 (a) 1	tual orders) which in total exceed the amount oursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-8.1 and N.J.S.A.
	Board Secretary	 Date
C.	*Treasurer's Report in accordance with 18A:17-36 a Treasurer's Report and Secretary's Report are in ag audit. (Attachment)	
D.	Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A: 23A-16.10 (c) 4, the Salem ending October 2016 and after review of the Secreta Monthly Financial Report and upon consultation with Boards' knowledge, no major account or fund has be 16.10 (a)1 and that sufficient funds are available to remainder of the fiscal year.	ary's Monthly Financial Report and the Treasurer's the appropriate district officials, to the best of the een over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-
E.	To approve the Payment of Bills and Purchase Rep	ort:
	From the General Account for Balance as summarize	ed on attached board memo(s)
	To approve Purchases Report for November 2016	
	November <b>\$246,375.32</b>	
	To approve Payment of Bills for December 2016	
	General Account \$996,050.77	Food Service <b>\$228,354.53</b>
	Confirmation of payrolls for November 2016	
	November 15, 2016 General Acct. Trans  November 30, 2016 General Acct. Trans	

#### Miscellaneous

Motion ( ) Board to Approve: #2-F-6/DIST

1. Board to approve:

Resolved, that the Board of Education to authorize Herbert Schectman, Business Administrator, to provide information to Synnergy, LLC to allow the company to perform an in-depth analysis of electricity costs and determine the feasibility of a solar project for the district with the purpose of creating savings on utility costs.

2. Board to approve:

Resolved, that the Board of Education authorize Herbert Schectman, Business Administrator, to submit the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) with no corrective action plan. The audit synopsis will be made available to the public.

3. Board to approve:

Resolved, that the Board of Education authorize Dr. Michel to update the Memorandum of Understanding with the NJ Office of Emergency Management to authorize Herbert Schectman, Business Administrator, as the primary agent, and Dennis Spence, Facilities Manager as the alternate agent.

4. Board to approve services through Collegewise (Christopher LaBounty) for our Salem High School Junior program, available to 35 students at \$5,300.00 per student per month. Services will be from January to December 2017 at a total cost of \$185,500.00.

January - June - \$92,750.00 15-000-223-320-03-SHS

July - December - \$92,750.00 ESSA/SHS

\*Potential Forman Acton Foundation reimbursement.

5. Board to approve the online IB Diploma Programme for classes: IB Spanish SL, AB Initio, and IB Language B Spanish SL for the 2016-2017 school year, prorated from August 2016, with Pamoja Education.

Cost: \$28,500.00

6. Board to approve the contract for The Princeton Review Master Services Agreement for TPR-Led Classroom Course. The ACT Ultimate course will be led by the Princeton Review with maximum class size of 25 pupils.

Cost: \$30,000.00 Acct # 15-190-100-320-03-SHS

#### STUDENT MATTERS HIGH SCHOOL

#### A. Field Trips/Student Activities #4-A-6/HS

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #4-A-6/HS

1. Board to approve the following HS Field Trip(s):

Place	Date	Teacher Subs./Buses
Skate 2000 Bridgeton, NJ	12/21/16 30 Students SBYSYC	4 staff members Bus – \$220.90 x 1 bus (20-435-200-800-00-SPP)

Salem Community	02/02/17	Mr. Botbyl, Ms. Murray
College	20 students	Bus - \$220.90 x 1 bus (15-000-270-512-03-SHS)
Carneys Point, NJ	Choir/Band Rehearsal	2 Substitutes - \$416.00 (15-140-100-101a-03-SHS)
	02/13/17 (2 sessions)	Mr. Botbyl, Ms. Murray
Salem Community	20 students	Bus - \$441.80 x 1 bus x 2 trips (15-000-270-512-03-
College	Session 1 – Rehearsal	SHS)
Carneys Point, NJ	Session 2 - Concert	2 Substitutes - \$416.00 (15-140-100-101a-03-SHS)

2. Board to approve Fitness Camp for the winter cheerleaders on Saturday 12/17/16, and Sunday 12/18/16 from 12:00pm-5:00pm in the Salem High School gym. Sessions will be conducted by Barry Ford of GetFit4Life Training Association. This includes 4 coaches, trainers, equipment, training aides, catered dinner, and a hosting fee. Total costs for the camp are \$2,100.00.

#### B. Miscellaneous

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #7-B-6/HS

1. Board to approve the participants attending the Positive Change Through Social Interaction Program to receive an incentive of a \$200 gift certificate for attending sessions 4 days a week for 10 weeks beginning October 17<sup>th</sup> through December 22<sup>nd</sup>. 4 students totaling \$800.

#### C. Home Instruction: In/ out of district/residential

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #7-C-6/DIST

1. Board to approve the 2016-2017 Out of District placements and Home Instruction:

		Costs		
Student ID	Health Care/teacher	(Prorated)	Effective Date	Account #
		\$32.00/hour	10/25/16 –	11-219-100-101-00-CST
01190064	Melissa Skinner	10 hours/week	12/23/16	
	SCSSSD-	\$39,121.00	11/30/16 –	11-000-100-565-00-BUS
01300016	Cumberland		06/30/17	
		\$32/hr	11/11/16	11-000-100-566-00-BUS
01270147	A Step Ahead	10 hours/week	4-6 Weeks	
		\$32/hour	10/21/16	11-000-100-566-00-BUS
		10 hours/	4-6 Weeks	
		week		
01260042	A Step Ahead	(revised)		
		\$45,216.00	01/03/17-	11-000-100-566-00-BUS
01190064	Hampton		06/30/17	
	Creative	\$36,180.00	11/15/16-	11-000-100-566-00-BUS
01240055	Achievement		06/30/17	
	Paul W. Carleton	\$12,284.00	09/08/16 –	11-00-100-561-00-BUS
01250040	Penns Grove, NJ		06/16/17	
		\$350.00	10/20/16 – TBD	11-150-100-320-00-BUS
01210005	Shelter of Hope	(Sept./Oct)		
		\$210.00	09/26/16 –	11-150-100-320-00-BUS
01190109	Shelter of Hope		09/29/16	
		\$32.00/hr	11/21/16	11-150-100-320-00-BUS
01260092	A Step Ahead	10 hours/week	4-6 Weeks	

#### STUDENT MATTERS NON-HIGH SCHOOL

#### A. Field Trips/Activities #4-A-6/NHS

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: **#4-A-6/NHS**1. Board to approve the following MS Field Trip(s):

		Teacher
Place	Date	Subs./Buses
		Mr. Pszwaro, Ms. Bey, Ms.
	01/23/17	Braun, Ms. Montgomery,
Stockton University	College Tour	Mr. Oberman, Ms. Tortella
Galloway, NJ	60 Students	2 buses
		Mr. Pszwaro, Ms.
		Ferincola, Mr. Newell, Ms.
	02/10/17	Owen, Ms. Rufino, Ms.
Delaware State University	College Tour	Skinner
Dover, DE	60 Students	2 buses
		Ms. Bacon, Ms. Skinner,
	12/15/16	Mr. James
Riverwinds	Youth Leadership Summit	2 subs
West Deptford, NJ	26 students	1 bus
Finlaw Building	12/16/16	Mr. Brauer
DCPP	Office Party Performance	Mr. Lindsay
Salem, NJ	50 Students	
	12/15/16	Mr. Brauer
Mt. Zion Baptist Church	Choir Performance	2 buses
Salem, NJ	50 Choir Members	2 มนจะจ
	Transportation \$1,598.48	Substitutes \$125.00
Costs	Acct #15-000-270-512-02	Acct #15-130-100-101-02

2. Board to approve Michael Hughes to establish The Boys Club after school program. The program's focus is to enhance academic skills through character building focusing on emotional and social skills. Mr. Hughes will facilitate the program on a volunteer basis as this is not a stipend position. Metz snack program will allow students to receive snacks at no cost. The program will be held every Thursday through February 2017.

# PERSONNEL DIST/ HIGH SCHOOL

### A. Employment

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #8-C-6/DIST

1. Board to approve the following substitutes for 16-17 SY:

Debra Kuhns Pennsville Standard Elementary School

# **B. Financial Request:**

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #8-D-6/DIST

1. Board to approve the following employees' Spring/Summer 2016 tuition reimbursements.

Robin Winrow \$1,141.74 Rachel Fernicola \$1,332.00

2. Board to approve the following employees' 2015-2016 membership reimbursement.

NJ	IPSA	Dues
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William Allen III	\$820	John Mulhorn	\$820	Pascale DeVilme	\$820
Syeda Woods	\$950	Pamela Thomas	\$820	Michele Beach	\$820
Jennifer Pell	\$82	Sharen Cline	\$820	Jordan Pla	\$820
Linda DelRossi	\$820	Darryl Roberts	\$820		
Miscellaneous Dues F	Reimbur	sement			
Shaun Brauer	NAfME		\$123		
Jennifer Cascaden	NAEYO	}	\$66		
Theresa Derham	NSTA		\$69		
Bruce Ferguson	ACS		\$217		
Bruce Ferguson	NSTA		\$79		
Bruce Ferguson	NewSc	ientist	\$109		
Debbie Garvine	NAEYO	)	\$66		
Jane Luzzo	NAEYO	}	\$66		
Heather Meehan	NAEYO	}	\$66		
Loretta Zink	NJASL		\$65		
Sharen Cline	NAEYO	}	\$110		
Syeda Woods	NAEYO	)	\$86		
Syeda Woods	NCTE		\$75		

3. Board to approve Winter Coaching Positions for the 16-17 SY:

Basketball (Girls')	Assistant Coach (JV)	\$2,761	Tamara Watkins
Basketball (Girls')	Middle School Varsity Coach	\$1,541	Rachael Ferincola
Basketball (Boys')	Middle School Varsity Coach	\$1,541	Brian Kelly

4. Board to approve John Bacon (\$1,697) to replace James Dickerson (\$3,822) as the Boys' Basketball Assistant Coach (Freshmen).

5. Board to approve the following Winter Athletic Support Positions for the 16-17 SY:

Event Staff HS	As Needed	\$34/game	Jaquelyn Thompson
Ticket Taker (Boys)	10/3*	\$56/32*	Miranda Clour

<sup>\*</sup>Wrestling - 3 events @\$32 per event

6. Board to approve the following Fall Athletic Support Positions for the 16-17 SY:

Announcer	5 games	\$83 per game	Charles Mellon
Scoreboard Operator	5 games	\$53 per game	Ed Biddle
Videotaping	10 games	\$53 per game	Kenneth Buck
Press Box Supervisor	5 games	\$83 per game	Steve Sheffield

Head Ticket Seller	5 games	\$107 per game	Lisa Marich
Ticket Seller	5 games	\$75 per game	Kathleen Hibbard
Ticket Seller	5 games	\$75 per game	Theresa Pitts
Ticket Taker	5 games	\$56 per game	Sally Lamont
Substitute Ticket Taker/Seller	As Needed	\$75/56 per game	Alfreda McCoy-Cuff
Substitute Ticket Taker/Seller	As Needed	\$75/56 per game	Ina Jetter
Substitute Ticket Taker/Seller	As Needed	\$75/56 per game	Diana Mace
Event Staff (HS)	As Needed	\$34 per game	Donald Crane
Event Staff (HS)	As Needed	\$34 per game	Edwin Smith
Event Staff (HS)	1 game	\$34 per game	Harry Preston
Event Staff (HS)	1 game	\$34 per game	Morris Evans

7. Board to approve the following stipends to employees within the Business Office to assume the additional duties as a result of the resignation of an accounting employee. The stipends will begin January 2017 through the remainder of the fiscal year.

Talisha Allison - \$1,000.00 Robin Winrow - \$2,500.00

8. Board to approve the following staff prorated stipends:

Devon Russell

Confidential Secretary to the Superintendent of Schools \$604.00

(January 1, 2017 to June 30, 2017)

Talisha Allison

Confidential Secretary to the School Business Administrator \$408.00

(October 17, 2017 to June 30, 2017)

#### D. Miscellaneous:

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #8-E-6/DIST

1. Board to approve the following request for leave:

Name	Type of Leave	Leave Request	Fed Med Leave (max 90 days)	Time usag e of FML A	NJ Family Leave (max 90 days)	Time Usage of FLA	Use of Sick Days	Use of Personal Days	Unpaid Leave	Return Date
VB	Intermittent - Medical	10/1/16- 9/30/17	10/1/16- 9/30/17	N/A	N/A	12 weeks	14 days	3 days	After exceeding all days	N/A

# PERSONNEL Non-High School

#### A. Financial Requests

Motion (	( /	) Board to Approve: <b>#8-D-6/NHS</b>
1	Board to	approve the following non-contractual stipend position

Dayna Cregar, Academic League Advisor	\$1,009.00
Michelle Stanisce-Schnetzler, Odyssey of the Mind Advisor	\$2,500.00
Brittany Taylor, Odyssey of the Mind Advisor	\$2,500.00
Allyson Bey, Odyssey of the Mind Advisor	\$2,500.00
Sharon Montgomery, Odyssey of the Mind Advisor	\$2,500.00

Shaun Brauer, Odyssey of the Mind Judge \$500.00 Kathleen Eck, Odyssey of the Mind Judge \$500.00

- 2. Board to approve Rhonda Lusby to fill the Office Detention Substitute position as needed at \$24.00 per hour.
- 3. Board to approve Bonitta Gullett to work as Security in the Focus on Education program at Fenwick Plaza from 3:30 4:30 Monday through Thursday beginning December 15, 2016.

  1 position@15/day x 64 days = \$960

# **Curriculum /Professional Development**

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #11-6/DIST

1. Board to approve the out of district professional development for the staff listed:

Staff Member	Building	Admin. Approving	Title	Date of Program	Location	Registration and Mileage Cost
Cameron Smith John Bacon	SHS	John Mulhorn	John Mulhorn  Understanding the Culture of Urban Poverty – Building Resilience and Resources in Children and Youth		Fairmount Behavioral Health System	\$130.00, \$5.00 – Toll \$130.00 20-231C-200-800F-03- SHS
Tonya Connor	JFA	Syeda Woods	Applied Behavior Analysis: Powerful Interventions and Strategies to Reduce Difficult and Challenging Behaviors	01/09/17	Holiday Inn Cherry Hill, NJ	\$235.00 20-218-200-580-00-JFS

# **Facilities Requests**

Motion ( / ) Board to Approve: #12-6/DIST

\	) Dodia to Approve. #			
Organization	Use	Date	Time	Charge
Salem County	Scholarship Awards	January 14, 2017	11 am – 1 pm	Custodian - \$50/weekend
MLK Jr.	Banquet	(set up)		\$300/holiday = \$350
Scholarship		January 16, 2017	7 am – 1 pm	
Foundation		(Banquet)		
Salem Midget	Sports Banquet	January 29, 2017	12pm – 5pm	Cafeteria \$100
Football				Custodial \$125
				Total \$225
Salem Midget	Fundraiser,	January 28, 2017	1pm – 7pm	Cafeteria \$100
Football	Basketball Game,			Gym \$150
	Community Event with			Custodial \$150
	Speakers			Total \$400
Salem Midget	Chinese Auction	March 3, 2017	5pm – 10pm	Cafeteria \$100
Football				Custodial \$75
				Total \$175

Monthl	y Reports
Motion	) Board to Approve: <b>#13-6/DIST</b>
1.	Board to approve monthly reports for filing: (attached)
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Motion	/ ) Board to Approve: <b>#14-6/DIST</b>
1.	Board to approve the 2nd reading and adoption of the following board policy(s
	5118 Nonresident Students
2.	Board to approve the 1st reading of the following board policy(s)
	4119.26 Acceptable Use of Computer Network(s) / Computers

3. Board to approve the Salem City Board of Education meetings for 2017, meetings will be held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, unless otherwise noted and will take place in the Salem High School library at 6:00pm.

Resources by Teaching Staff Members

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Wednesday January 4, 2017\* Reorganization
Wednesday February 8, 2017
Wednesday March 8, 2017
Wednesday April 12, 2017
Wednesday May 3, 2017\* Public Hearing
Wednesday June 14, 2017
Wednesday July 12, 2017
Wednesday August 9, 2017
Wednesday September 13, 2017
Wednesday October 11, 2017
Wednesday November 8, 2017
Wednesday December 13, 2017

\*1st Wednesday of the month

EXECUTIVE SESS Motion ( /	ION ) Board to adopt the following Resolution to go into executive session at:
	RESOLUTION
Act", P.L., 1975, C.	by the Board of Education of Salem City that in compliance with "The Open Public Meeting 173, NJSA 10:4-6 et seq., that the Board shall move to a closed portion of this meeting from excluded for the purpose of discussing a matter or matters permitted to be so discussed by
	of the matter(s), which the Board intends to discuss, is: cussions shall be taken and released as soon as permitted by law in accordance with the opic discussed.
	e action as a result of such discussions only in an open to the Public session unless there is n of law authorizing or requiring that such action be taken in a closed to the Public portion of
RETURN TO REGU	JI AR SESSION
	) Board to return to open session at
NEW BUSINESS: Motion ( /	) Board to Approve:
ADJOURNMENT Motion ( / Education at	) Board to adjourn the December 14, 2016 meeting of the Salem City Board of