

DANBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
Wednesday, January 22, 2014, 7:00 p.m.

Town Clerk

NOTE CHANGE IN LOCATION
Broadview Middle School Auditorium, 72 Hospital Avenue

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to develop in all children the knowledge, skills, attitudes and values which will enable them to live a productive and self-fulfilling life and engage in responsible citizenship in a global society.

A G E N D A

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

Eileen Alberts, Gladys Cooper, Michael Ferguson, Annrose Fluskey-Lattin,
Richard Hawley, Richard Jannelli, David Metrena, Kathleen Molinaro,
Ralph Pietrafesa, Robert Taborsak, Phyllis Tranzillo

EXHIBIT

IV. RECOGNITIONS

DECA Direct Magazine - Dan Maffucci, Nick Goetz, Nick Mortara 14-12(pg.5)

V. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Board welcomes Public Participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to 3 minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. The Board will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, or against any person connected with the Danbury Public School System.

VI. CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION - that the Board of Education approve the items on the Consent Calendar, as recommended:

A. MINUTES

Special Board Meeting (Exp), 1/7/14 14-13(pg.8)
Board Meeting, 1/8/14 14-14(pg.9)

B. PERSONNEL REPORT 14-15(pg.18)

Accept Resignations: Philip Cioppa, Gretchen Guendelsberger,
Ann Lindenmeyer, Jennifer Selino,
Dan Donovan (DHS Head Football Coach Only)

Accept Retirement: Joan Nash (23 years, 6 months)

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New Hires- January 2-16, 2014:

CERTIFIED		
Name	Location	Subject
Lisa Morlock	MRP	LA Specialist
Bernadette Parisi	Pembroke	Grade 1
Frank LaBanca	MRP	Principal - Exploration Academies
Stephanie Spiridon	DHS	L/T SUB Bal. of YR. - Bus. ED

Non-Certified		
Name	Location	Subject
Cara Caputo	Hayestown	.6 Speech Language Path. - SUB
Brittney Rozum	Ellsworth	CRC Enrichment Associate
Laura Reel	WERACE	Asst Inst. Spec. Infant-Toddler
Magaly Macaluso	Osborne St.	Admin. Ass't./Bookkeeper
Shawn Sander	BBAC	IT Data Technician
Skylar Pertilla	Hayestown	CRC Enrichment Associate
Marjorie Acosta	South St.	CRC Enrichment Associate
TaNesha Barnes	BVMS	Literacy Interventionist
Tiana Cintron	Ellsworth	CRC Enrichment Associate
Eric Mogor	South St.	CRC Enrichment Associate
Sherrie Blount	DECEC	Tutor

Hannah Zoeller		SUB Teach
Emily Japs		SUB Teach
Nicole Chalk		SUB Teach
Julia Tracey	South St.	Literacy Cadre Sub
Amanda Moscarella Gomez		SUB Teach
Sandra Capriotti		SUB Teach
Jeffrey Zahara	Endeavor	L/T SUB

VII. EMPLOYEE REPRESENTATIVE

VIII. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES

DHS: Nick Goetz, President; Inajmah James, Vice President;
 Kathryn Shannon, Secretary; Danielle Biele, Treasurer
 ACE: Ashley Donahue, Madeline Battista, Samantha Webb

IX. PRESENTATION

English Language Learners (ELL) Update, Presented by Augusto Gomes 14-16(pg.20)

X. ACTION ITEMS

A. Redistricting Recommendations

MOTION: that the Board of Education accept the
 Redistricting Plan 14-17(pg.40)

B. December 2013 Operating Results Analysis (General Fund)

MOTION: that the Board of Education accept the December 2013 Operating Results Analysis (General Fund) 14-18(pg.49)

C. December 2013 Operating Results Analysis (Grants/Projects)

MOTION : that the Board of Education accept the December 2013 Operating Results Analysis (Grants/Projects)..... 14-19(pg.58)

XI. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- A. Naugatuck Valley Community College Pilot Program/ETA Grant 14-20(pg.61)
- B. Building Projects Update
- C. SMARTGOV Visit by Blum Shapiro
- D. Legislative Update 14-21(pg.62)
- E. CCJEF Update 14-22(pg.64)
- F. Food Allergy and Wellness Policies

XII. DISCUSSION

- A. 2014-2015 Budget
- B. Calendar/Early Dismissal Update 14-23(pg.65)

XIII. INFORMATION

XIV. BOARD CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

- A. Board Committee/PTO Lists 14-24(pg.68)

XV. BOARD REPORTS, COMMUNICATIONS AND COMMENTS

<u>Committee Reports</u>	<u>Chair:</u>	<u>Members:</u>
Operations, Sites & Facilities; City Building		Jannelli, Molinaro, Taborsak, Pietrafesa
Community Relations	Jannelli	Cooper, Metrena, Molinaro, Pietrafesa
Finance	Hawley, Jannelli	Cooper, Metrena, Molinaro
Policy	Molinaro	Ferguson, Fluskey-Lattin, Hawley, Taborsak
Superintendent Evaluation	Cooper	Ferguson, Fluskey-Lattin, Pietrafesa, Taborsak

<u>District Committees</u>	<u>Members:</u>
City-Wide PTO	Molinaro, Pietrafesa
DSABC	Ferguson
Education Connection	Jannelli
Magnet School Trustees	Metrena, Taborsak
Oral Health Initiative	Tranzillo
School Based Health	Tranzillo
TDEC/Teacher Eval.	Ferguson, Taborsak, Tranzillo (Alt)

<u>Other Committees</u>	
Negotiations - Administrators	Metrena, Tranzillo
Negotiations - Non Teaching	Taborsak, Tranzillo
Negotiations - Teachers	Tranzillo

XVI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

XVIII. ADJOURNMENT

FUTURE MEETINGS AND DATES TO REMEMBER

January 20	Martin Luther King Day – All Schools & Offices Closed
January 21	PD/Staff Meeting, Early Dismissal
January 22	Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
January 27	Community Forum, Exploration Academies, at RPMS, 7:00 pm
February 3	Citywide PTO Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
February 12	Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
February 14	PD/Teacher Evaluation, Early Dismissal
February 17	President's Day – All Schools & Offices Closed
February 17-18	President's Day – All Schools Closed
February 25	PD/Staff Meeting, Early Dismissal
February 26	Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 p.m.