



Brevard Public Schools

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Educational Services Facility - Board Room
9:00 a.m.

May 23, 2023 Special Board Meeting

Date: May 23 2023 (9:00 a.m.)

Call to Order

[1. Call to Order](#)

Chairman Matt Susin called the meeting to order at 8:59 a.m.

Roll Call

[2. Roll Call](#)

Board Members Present: Katye Campbell, Jennifer Jenkins, Matt Susin, Gene Trent and Megan Wright.

Pledge of Allegiance

[3. Pledge of Allegiance](#)

Chairman Susin led the pledge of allegiance.

Adoption of Agenda

[4. Adoption of Agenda](#)

Sue Hann, Acting Superintendent, read into record the changes made to the agenda since it was released to the public:

Addition:

-Administrative Staff Recommendations

Motion

Approve the May 23, 2023 Special Board Meeting agenda and its revisions, if applicable.

Vote Results (Approved)

Motion: Megan Wright

Second: Katye Campbell

Matthew Susin - Aye

Katye Campbell - Aye

JenniferD Jenkins - Aye

Gene Trent - Aye

Megan Wright - Aye

Public Comments

[5. Public Comments](#)

Chairman Susin called public speakers to the podium. One individual signed up to address the Board.

Action

[6. Administrative Staff Recommendations](#)

Motion

Approve the listed administrative staff recommendations:

Accept the resignation of Yesenia F. DeLeon from the position of Assistant Principal (10 Month) at Freedom 7 Elementary School effective July 31, 2023.

Accept the resignation of Tina M. Isaacs from the position of Assistant Principal (10 month) at Sunrise Elementary School effective June 30, 2023.

Accept the resignation of Francis A. O’Leary from the position of Principal at Lewis Carroll Elementary School effective May 15, 2023.

Accept the resignation of Marie S. Robinson from the position of Assistant Principal (10 month) at James Madison Middle School effective May 30, 2023.

The appointment of Ryan Dufrein for the position of Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources, on an annual contract, effective June 5, 2023, with an annual salary of \$140,000.

The reclassification/transfer of Timothy G. Powers from the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Cocoa High School to the position of Interim Principal at Cocoa Beach Jr./Sr. High School, on an annual contract, effective June 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 29 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

Accept the position change of Cheree A. Cochran from the position of Interim Principal, board approved on April 25, 2023, to the position of Principal at Mims Elementary School effective July 1, 2023, due to the issuance of her certification on May 8, 2023.

The transfer of Lauren J. Feronti from the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Rockledge High School to the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Cocoa High School, on annual contract, effective June 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 24 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

The transfer of Kevin N. Rhyne from the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Cocoa Beach Jr./Sr. High School to the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Rockledge High School, on annual contract, effective June 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 24 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

The transfer of Mark A. Zeiler from the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Cocoa High School to the position of Assistant Principal (12 month) at Cocoa Beach Jr./Sr. High School, on annual contract, effective

June 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 24 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

The position change of Marijo Seibel from the position of temporary Assistant General Counsel to the position of Assistant General Counsel in Legal Services, on annual contract, effective July 1, 2023, with an annual salary of \$110,000.

The reclassification of Darren J. DeGennaro from the position of Assistant Principal (10 month) at Kennedy Middle School to the position of Teacher at Kennedy Middle School, on annual contract, effective August 2, 2023.

The transfer of Susan M. Schroeder from the position of Principal at Meadowlane Primary Elementary School to the position of Principal at Ralph Williams Elementary School, on annual contract, effective July 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 26 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

The reclassification/transfer of Jami L. Miner from the position of Assistant Principal (10 month) at Coquina Elementary School to the position of Principal at Lewis Carroll Elementary School, on annual contract, effective July 1, 2023. Annual salary based on grade 26 of the Nonbargaining Salary Administration Program.

Vote Results (Approved)

Motion: Katy Campbell

Second: Gene Trent

Matthew Susin	- Aye
Katy Campbell	- Aye
JenniferD Jenkins	- Aye
Gene Trent	- Aye
Megan Wright	- Aye

Discussion

[7. Request for Attorney-Client Session](#)

Mr. Gibbs notified the Board that advice is needed pertaining to case 6:21-cv-02035 and pursuant to Florida Statute and he requested an attorney client session with the Board for the purpose of discussing and evaluating said case. Mr. Gibbs stated that he will ask the Board's Clerk to cause reasonable public notice of the time and date of this attorney client session and names of the persons attending to be published. If the Board approves, he will work with the Board Clerk to coordinate dates for the executive session. The Board was in support of scheduling the executive session.

Adjournment

[8. Adjournment](#)

Chairman Susin adjourned the meeting at 9:17 p.m.

Chairman: _____

Secretary: _____

INSTITUTION: ARTICLE IX - SECTION 1. Public education:

The education of children is a fundamental value of the people of the State of Florida. It is, therefore, a paramount duty of the state to make adequate provision for the education of all children residing within its borders. Adequate provision shall be made by law for a uniform, efficient, safe, secure, and high quality system of free public schools that allows students to obtain a high quality education and for the establishment, maintenance, and operation of institutions of higher learning and other public education programs that the needs of the people may require.

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