# REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION June 7, 2018 – West Islip High School

PRESENT: Mr. Gellar, Mrs. LaRosa, Mr. Maginniss, Mr. Michaluk, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Zotto

ABSENT: Mr. Brady

ADMINISTRATORS: Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Duffy, Dr. Rullan

ABSENT: None

ATTORNEY: Mr. Volz

Meeting was called to order at 8:02 p.m. followed by the Pledge.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the minutes of May 22, 2018 Planning Session.

### RECOGNITION:

Mr. Gellar, on behalf of the Board of Education, recognized Mike Zotto for his nine years of service as a Board trustee. Mr. Gellar presented Mr. Zotto with a Certificate of Recognition on behalf the students, faculty, residents and community for his dedication and service on the Board of Education from 2009-2018, and especially for the experience and expertise he brought regarding drug awareness, student safety and security.

### Class of 2018 Valedictorian

Molly McLaughlin

### Class of 2018 Salutatorian

Melodi Doganay

### Town of Islip Student Achievement

Madison Esposito, Julia Grippo, Luke Harris, Jamie Hufford, Shannon Lafferty, Jett Langhorn, Jack Magee, Nicolette Nigro, Aidan Pecorale

### PERSONNEL

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT: John Guerriero, Psychologist, effective August 29, 2018 to August 28, 2021 (High School; Step 24; replacing Robert Matuozzi {retired}).

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT: Julianne Hayes, Psychologist, effective August 29, 2018 to August 28, 2022 (High School; Step 1A<sup>4</sup>; replacing James Ciaravino{retired}).

In order to be granted tenure a classroom teacher or building principal shall have received composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings to Education Law §3012-d of either effective or highly effective in at least three of the four preceding years and if a classroom teacher or building principal receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period he or she shall not be eligible for tenure at that time.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: LEAVE OF ABSENCE (unpaid): (Pursuant to the Family Medical Leave Act of 1993-12 week continuous medical coverage): Kristin Timpson, Reading, effective June 1, 2018 - June 15, 2018 (Oquenock).

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: LEAVE OF ABSENCE (unpaid): (Pursuant to the Family Medical Leave Act of 1993-12 week continuous medical coverage): Tonimarie Young, Special Education, effective June 5, 2018 - June 15, 2018 (Paul J. Bellew).

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Mike Zotto and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve TEACHING: REGULAR SUBSTITUTE: Dawn Pizzuto, Elementary, effective June 1, 2018 (Bayview; Step 1A<sup>1</sup>; replacing M. Murphy {retired}).

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor the following resolution:

### Abolishment of Positions

**Be it resolved**, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, effective June 30, 2018, professional positions in the West Islip Public School District be abolished in the Elementary area (4 full-time positions), Social Studies area (1 full-time position), Special Education area (1 full-time position), and World Languages area (1 full-time position) of classification.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: CHANGE IN TITLE: Joseph Troiano, Custodial Worker I, effective July 2, 2018 (High School; Step 10; change from Driver/Messenger; replacing D. Randazzo {retired}.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: CHANGE IN STATUS: Christine Phelps, Bus Driver, effective July 1, 2018 (Transportation; Step 2; change from Substitute Bus Driver; replacing P. Pellegrino {retired} and G. Terrell {retired}).

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: CHANGE IN RESIGNATION: Susan Barbella, Senior Account Clerk, effective June 5, 2018 (District Office; change from June 9, 2018).

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: RESIGNATION: Eileen Magaraci, Special Education Aide, effective June 23, 2018 (Paul J. Bellew).

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: SUBSTITUTE CLERK TYPIST (\$30.49/hr.): Mary McCarthy, effective May 31, 2018 – September 7, 2018 (Transportation; training new Clerk Typist D. Ortiz).

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve CIVIL SERVICE: SUBSTITUTE CUSTODIAN (\$11.50/hr.): Robert Brown, effective June 8, 2018; Sean Kelly, effective June 8, 2018.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve O'THER: SUMMER SCHOOL 2018: Brian Taylor, Principal; Algebra I, Alyssa Urbach; Geometry, Nancy Yost; Global History, Edward Jablonski; Substitutes: Alissa Ferrucci, David Moglia, Alexandra Nohowec.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: REGENTS REVIEW SUMMER 2018: <u>Algebra I</u> - Alyssa Urbach; <u>Geometry</u> - Alissa Ferrucci; <u>Global History</u> - David Moglia.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER ACADEMY 2018: Kristen Amoia, Jill Fedun, Elizabeth Kelly, Elaine Longo, Erin Meade, Theresa Robertson.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SUMMER INVESTIGATIONS PROGRAM 2018: Rhonda Pratt, Coordinator. Teachers: Kristen Amoia, Timothy Bauernfeind, Danielle Blaise, Lindsey Brooks, Cara Douglas, Paige Fogarty, Stephanie Glennon, Alexandra Kaulfers, Elaine Longo, Erin Meade, Karen Nordland, Jennifer Pitt, Victoria Sidorski, Daniel Sliwowski, MaryBeth Qualliotine, Debra Zucchero. Aides: Nancy Corso, Tara Miler, Christine Rosati, Jacqueline Sarle.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: CHEERLEADING SUMMER CAMP 2018: Dina Barone, Director; Steffanie Traver, Director. Coaches: Jillian Bohnaker, Lauren Brady, Priscilla McBride, Nicole Shaw. Volunteer Counselors: Paige Azzariti, Adrianna Cigliano, Melissa D'Angelo, Samantha DiJennaro, Gianna Fioravanti, Alexa Gardini, Ava Gmelch, Olivia Gmelch, Jenna Hoffmann, Isabella Isolano, Genna Johnson, Kaitlyn Kelly, Catarina Longonigro, Claudia Mangiamele, Lauren McKeon, Maureen McMahon, Ava Mina, Abby Moran, Delaney O'Shea, Faith Paduano, Melissa Rubio, Meghan Sherlock, Brooke Tyler, Taylor Woltmann.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: GYMNASTICS SUMMER CAMP 2018: Karyn Storan, Director; MaryAnn McGrade, Director; Taylor Raimo, Conditioning Coach; Nancy O'Donnell, Coach; Jill Bohnaker, Coach. <u>Counselors:</u> Kimberly Arena, Brittany Balletta, Hanna Battaglini, Cassidy Cullen, Caitlyn Leibman, Faith McCann, Rebecca McCann, Emily McGrade, Amanda Pollock, Theresa Rand, Delaney Rivera, Courtney VonBraunsberg. <u>Volunteer Counselors:</u> Averie Alessa, Grace Iehle, Alyssa Woltmann.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: WRESTLING SUMMER CAMP 2018: Nicholas LaGiglia, Director; John Ferrara, Assistant Director; Thomas Longobardi, Assistant Director. <u>Coaches:</u> Patrick Bell, Robert Ulrich, Tyler Walsh.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: BOYS VOLLEYBALL SUMMER CAMP 2018: John Schrank, Director; Erin Bies, Assistant Director; Frank Franzone, Assistant Director. <u>Coaches:</u> Brian Kelly, Tyler Pizzichemi, Steven Schrank.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SUMMER RECREATION CAMP 2018:

John Mullins, Director, \$79 per hour Timothy Horan, Assistant Director, \$70 per hour Debra Federico, Clerical Support, \$28 per hour Laurie Luquer, Nurse, \$27 per hour

Debra Costantino, Lead Crafts Counselor, \$21 per hour

# Camp Counselors {\$12 per hour}

Emily Brierly Marissa McAllister Gabrielle Ryan Jessica Curto Andrew Moschetto Jake Richter Christine Delianne Kendall Richter John Mullins Kassidy Mullins Lauren Distefano Matthew Tonn Maria Pascarella Ian Luquer Patrick Viviano Jack Magee Alyssa Pratt Kylie Walsh Laine Martin Nicole Pratt Matthew Zotto

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present, with the exception of Steve Gellar who abstained from voting, voted in favor to approve OTHER: SUMMER INSTRUCTIONAL SWIM PROGRAM 2018:

Directors	
Directors	

Thomas Bruder Thomas Loudon Mindy Renner
Tanya Carbone John {Jack} Luquer Jeremy Robertson
Edward Jablonski Colleen Reilly Karyn Storan

### Lifeguards

Maxim Bakalo Georgia Gagliardi Nicholas Monaco Samantha Gagliardi Bradley Battaglini Nicolette Nigro Erin Bevan Connor Gallagher Thomas Parson Thomas Gans Molly Bevan Miranda Paterno Jake Bonomo Mark Gellar Andrew Paules Jillian Bosch Joseph Gusmano Delaney Pepito Gregory Bove Jack Pollock Luke Harris Kaitlin Branigan Emily Rushton Jack Herzlinger Julianna Budriss Christopher Hueber Isabelle Sarle Anthony Cairo Maximus Hujik Timothy Sawina Jaclyn Ciatarella Kaitlyn Iwasiuk Ryan Schneider Jonathan Colascione Claudia Kaich Tyler Shook Victoria Soto Kiersten Comer Jack Kennedy Corinne Conste Brian Kilkelly Edward Talanian Kaya Konopa Kyle Cronin Olivia Taylor Shannon Culkin Samantha Landri Sara Viola Abigail Lashinsky Cody White **Jordyn Cummings** Jason DeCoteau Andrew Lauriguet Sarah Wiatrak Jonathan Magliaro Nikkolette DePretro Jessica Witzgall Jake Martone Jefferson Xu Kyle Dorr Dane Dreitlin Mitchell Mastroianni Andrew Young Andrew Fogel Jamie McEnaney Diana Young Alexandra Gagliardi

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SUMMER SPORTS ACADEMY 2018: Patricia Plompen, Clerical Support, \$29.60 per hour.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Mike Zotto and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: ATHLETIC TRAINERS 2018-2019: Kevin Kilkenny, \$92.24 per session; Nicole Perperis, \$92.24 per session.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: EQUIPMENT COORDINATORS 2018-2019: James Dooley, High School; Denise Cain and James Klimkoski, Beach – shared; Brian Cameron, Udall.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: FALL 2018 HIGH SCHOOL COACHES:

### **FOOTBALL**

Steve Mileti, Varsity Head Coach Anthony Yuli, Assistant Varsity Coach Phil Kane, Assistant Varsity Coach Scott Mattera, Varsity Volunteer Coach Mark DiCristo, Varsity Volunteer Coach Thomas Woodburn, Varsity Volunteer Coach

#### FALL 2018 HIGH SCHOOL COACHES - continued

Mike Bellacosa, Varsity Volunteer Coach Frank Riviezzo, Head J.V. Coach Joseph LaCova, Assistant J.V. Coach

#### **GIRLS SOCCER**

Nicholas Grieco, Head Varsity Coach Jeremy Robertson, Assistant Varsity Coach Lindsay Morgan, J.V. Coach

# **BOYS SOCCER**

Edward Pieron, Head Varsity Coach Brian Cameron, Assistant Varsity Coach Dennis Mazzalonga, J.V. Coach

# **GIRLS SWIMMING**

Tanya Carbone, Varsity Coach Mindy Renner, Assistant Varsity Coach

# **GIRLS GYMNASTICS**

Karyn Storan, Varsity Coach MaryAnn McGrade, Assistant Varsity Coach Nancy O'Donnell, Varsity Volunteer Coach

# **GIRLS TENNIS**

George Botsch, Varsity Coach William Turri, J.V. Coach

# FIELD HOCKEY

Josephine Hassett, Varsity Coach JoAnne Orehosky, Assistant Varsity Coach Kelly Weisenseel, J.V. Coach

# **CROSS COUNTRY**

Kevin Murphy, Boys Varsity Coach Michelle Studley-Broderick, Girls Varsity Coach

### **BOYS VOLLEYBALL**

John Schrank, Varsity Coach Frank Franzone, Assistant Varsity Coach Erin Bies, J.V. Coach

# **GIRLS VOLLEYBALL**

James Klimkoski, Varsity Coach Denise Cain, Assistant Varsity Coach Tara Annunziata, J.V. Coach

#### **GOLF**

Frank Rapczyk, Varsity Coach

### **KICKLINE**

Jessica Cichy, Varsity Coach

# **CHEERLEADING**

Dina Barone, Varsity Coach Steffanie Traver, Assistant Varsity Coach Lauren Brady, J.V. Coach Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: FALL 2018 MIDDLE SCHOOL <u>COACHES</u>:

### **FOOTBALL**

Shanan Mauro, Head 7-8 Udall Coach Vincent Luvera, Head 7-8 Beach Coach Charles Kevin Osburn, Assistant 7-8 Beach Coach Larry Plompen, Beach Volunteer Coach

#### **GIRLS SOCCER**

Edward Jablonski, 7-8 Udall Coach Colleen Reilly, 7-8 Beach Coach

### **BOYS SOCCER**

Michael Distefano, 7-8 Udall Coach Michael LaCova, 7-8 Beach Coach

### **CROSS COUNTRY**

James Dooley, Udall Boys & Girls Coach Joseph Nicolosi, Beach Boys & Girls Coach

### FIELD HOCKEY

Stacy Piropato, 7-8 Udall Coach Kristen Bagley, 7-8 Beach Coach

# **TENNIS**

Patrick Tunstead, Girls 7-8 Udall/Beach

#### **CHEERLEADING**

Priscilla McBride, Udall 7-8 Co-Coach Nicole Shaw, Udall 7-8 Co-Coach Jillian Bohnaker, Beach 7-8 Coach

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: WINTER 2018-2019 HIGH SCHOOL COACHES:

# **GIRLS BASKETBALL**

Christopher Scharf, Varsity Coach Jeremy Robertson, Assistant Varsity Coach

# **BOYS BASKETBALL**

Thomas Cross, Varsity Coach Richard Zeitler, Assistant Varsity Coach John T. Denninger, J.V. Coach

# **WRESTLING**

Nicholas LaGiglia, Varsity Coach Thomas Longobardi, Assistant Varsity Coach John Ferrara, J.V. Coach Peter Gonzalez, Volunteer Coach Varsity and J.V. Andrew Gray, Volunteer Coach Varsity and J.V. Tyler Walsh, Volunteer Coach Varsity and J.V.

#### **BOYS SWIMMING**

Thomas Loudon, Varsity Coach Edward Jablonski, Assistant Varsity Coach

### BOYS BOWLING

James Farnworth, Varsity Coach

#### WINTER 2018-2019 HIGH SCHOOL COACHES - continued

# **GIRLS BOWLING**

Frank Franzone, Varsity Coach

# **BOYS WINTER TRACK**

Anthony Yuli, Varsity Coach James Dooley, Assistant Varsity Coach

# **GIRLS WINTER TRACK**

Michelle Studley, Varsity Coach Greg Ziems, Assistant Varsity Coach

# **KICKLINE**

Jessica Cichy, Varsity Coach

# **CHEERLEADING**

Dina Barone, Varsity Coach Steffanie Traver, Assistant Varsity Coach Lauren Brady, J.V. Coach

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: EARLY WINTER 2018-2019 MIDDLE SCHOOL COACHES:

### **GIRLS VOLLEYBALL**

Tara Annunziata, 7-8 Udall Coach Denise Cain, 7-8 Beach Coach

### **BOYS BASKETBALL**

Patrick Tunstead, 7-8 Udall Coach

### CHEERLEADING

Nicole Shaw, Udall 7-8 Co-Coach Priscilla McBride, Udall 7-8 Co-Coach Jillian Bohnaker, Beach 7-8 Beach Coach

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: LATE WINTER 2019 MIDDLE SCHOOL COACHES:

### **GIRLS BASKETBALL**

Nick Grieco, 7-8 Udall Coach Patrick Tunstead, 7-8 Beach Coach

### **WRESTLING**

Robert Ulrich, 7-8 Udall Coach Patrick Bell, 7-8 Beach Coach Andrew Gray, Volunteer Middle School Coach

# **BOYS VOLLEYBALL**

James Klimkoski, 7-8 Udall Coach Denise Cain, 7-8 Beach Coach Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SPRING 2019 HIGH SCHOOL COACHES:

### **BASEBALL**

Shawn Rush, Varsity Coach Richard Zeitler, Assistant Varsity Coach Michael LaCova, J.V. Coach Joseph LaCova, Varsity and J.V. Volunteer Andrew Sesto, Varsity and J.V. Volunteer

# **SOFTBALL**

Kourtney Proske, Varsity Coach Alexa D'Onofrio, Assistant Varsity Coach Colleen Reilly, J.V. Coach Kim Raimondi-Rinyu, J.V. Volunteer Coach

### **BOYS TRACK**

Jeremy Robertson, Varsity Coach John Lavery, Assistant Varsity Coach Daniel Fannon, Varsity Volunteer Coach

### **GIRLS TRACK**

Michael Distefano, Assistant Varsity Coach

#### **BOYS LACROSSE**

Thomas Corcoran, Varsity Coach William Turri, Assistant Varsity Coach Anthony Pellati, Varsity Volunteer Coach Michael Hazelton, J.V. Coach Michael Delgado, Assistant J.V. Coach

### **GIRLS LACROSSE**

Joseph Nicolosi, Varsity Coach Brian Cameron, Assistant Varsity Coach James Dooley, J.V. Coach Stacy Piropato, Assistant J.V. Coach

### **BOYS TENNIS**

George Botsch, Varsity Coach Norman Wingert, J.V. Coach

### **GIRLS GOLF**

Thomas Loudon, Varsity Coach

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: SPRING 2019 MIDDLE SCHOOL COACHES:

### **BASEBALL**

Kevin Osburn, 7-8 Udall Coach Frank Riviezzo, Udall Volunteer Steve Mileti, 7-8 Beach Coach Larry Plompen, Beach Volunteer

### **SOFTBALL**

Robert Weiss, 7-8 Udall Coach Edward Jablonski, 7-8 Beach Coach

#### SPRING 2019 MIDDLE SCHOOL COACHES - continued

### **BOYS TRACK**

Kevin Murphy, 7-8 Udall Coach Christopher Salerno, 7-8 Beach

### **GIRLS TRACK**

Tara Annunziatta, 7-8 Udall Coach Lindsay Morgan, 7-8 Beach Coach

# **BOYS LACROSSE**

Greg Schmalenberger, 7-8 Udall Coach Dennis J. Coleman, Assistant Udall Coach Sean McAleavey, 7-8 Beach Coach Michael Perrone, Assistant Beach Coach

#### **GIRLS LACROSSE**

Kelly Weisenseel, 7-8 Udall Coach Kristie Ferruzzi, Assistant Udall Coach

# **BOYS AND GIRLS SWIMMING**

Thomas Bruder, 7-8 Udall/Beach Coach John {Jack} Luquer, Assistant Udall/Beach Coach

### **BOYS TENNIS**

JoAnne Orehosky, 7-8 Udall/Beach Coach

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: PERMANENT SUBSTITUTE TEACHER (\$130 per diem):

Jennifer Dolan, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019 Zachary Enoksen, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019 Paige Fogarty, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019 Daniel Sarfin, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019 Victoria Sidorski, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019 Daniel Sliwowski, effective August 29, 2018 through June 26, 2019

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve OTHER: DISTRICT-WIDE PRINTING SERVICES 2018-2019: John Zuhoski, \$18,734.

# **CURRICULUM UPDATE**

Dr. Rullan informed the audience that the Business Advisory Committee met to discuss future opportunities for students in Career and Technical Education, the STEM Academy, and work-based learning opportunities. Ryan Vollmuth, chairperson for the committee, is collaborating with the Chamber of Commerce to build relationships and ensure that every student has a Student Career Plan that will reflect short and long term career goals.

The Child Development Course and teacher Nancy Silvestrini have been approved through Adelphi University's Ruth S. Ammon School of Education to provide students with the opportunity to earn college credits and place them on track to earn their Childhood Development Associate Credential.

Two students who attended Brookhaven Learning Center graduated with awards: Erica Maginniss for Outstanding Achievement and Richard D'Asaro for the Work Activities Center Award.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

<u>Finance Committee</u>: Ron Maginniss reported on the meeting held on 6/7/18. Items reviewed included the March treasurer's report; payroll summary; April financial statements; claims audit report and May system manager audit report. Also reviewed were warrants, payroll certification forms, budget transfers, scholarship donations, bids, request for proposal, change order and health services contracts for Jericho UFSD and Plainedge UFSD. Other items included 2018-2019 engagement letters and the Omni Services Agreement.

<u>Building and Grounds Committee:</u> Kevin O'Connor reported on the meeting held on 6/5/18. Items discussed included the Willetts Creek remediation, bond work for phases II and III, security vestibule plan approval, a 5K run scheduled to take place on July 1, 2018 in memory of former student Joseph Wood, the Westbrook fire inspection, and inspections at other school buildings, which will be done the week of June 11.

<u>Safety Committee:</u> Mike Zotto reported on the meeting held 5/16/2018. A representative from the Suffolk County Police Department will meet with the administrative team on June 26 to discuss Emergency Response Plans and to plan for building security audits. The committee decided to also engage A+ Technologies to audit building facilities and protocols. Other items discussed were locations of security cameras; the use of armed guards and/or metal detectors; the hiring of a lead guard at the high school; professional development to address topics such as active shooter, *Stop the Bleed*, and DASA/LGBTQ; high school closed campus; roof blue lights to alert those outside the building to seek shelter; visible badges for students during the school day; phones with outside connections near AEDs; and an upgrade to the security fleet of cars.

<u>Committee on Special Education:</u> Annmarie LaRosa reported on the meeting held on 6/7/18. Items reviewed included CPSE/CSE placements for the month and BOCES graduation.

School Board/Student Liaison Committee: Kevin O'Connor reported on the meetings held on 5/30/18 for Udall Road and 6/6/18 for Beach Street. On 5/30/18 Mr. O'Connor and Mr. Michaluk met with Udall Student Council officers, their advisors and Dr. Marquardt. Each member of the committee spoke about the different events the council hosted or attended, including a leadership conference at Sayville Middle School, a food drive at Thanksgiving, a holiday giving tree, a volleyball tournament that raised \$1,200 for the Lion-Heart Foundation, a valentine thank you, Easter Baskets for United Cerebral Palsy, and a pep rally for the eighth graders who are excited about graduation.

On 6/6/18 Mr. O'Connor and Mr. Michaluk met with the Beach Street Student Council. Like the Udall council, the students at Beach showed great interest in the operation of the district. Students started the year by selling discount cards to help fund events for the Beach Street Student Council. They organized a clothing drive to benefit the Gerald Ryan Outreach Center, helped run the pep rallies, a talent show, a ping pong and volleyball tournament, a breakfast for the Beach Street Honor Society and purchased tee shirts for fifth graders entering Beach Street next year. Both Mr. O'Connor and Mr. Michaluk discussed the role of the school board and briefly discussed the budget and its impact on the schools.

Health and Wellness Committee: Mike Zotto reported on the meeting held on 5/21/18. Items reviewed included the 2018 Color Run to be held October 21 at West Islip High School; mindfulness training and programs; and iGeneration challenges. The committee approved funding posters to minimize excessive social media use, and suggested sharing the "13 Reasons Why" Netflix show discussion items with the community. Other programs were also discussed, including nutrition, yoga, book recycling, etc. The first two meeting dates for the 2018-2019 school year are Tuesday, September 18 and Wednesday, October 17.

### FINANCIAL MATTERS

The treasurer's report for March was presented, beginning balance as of 2/28/18: \$46,831,188.74; ending balance as of 3/31/18: \$49,437,186.06.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve General Fund budget transfers 3490-3495 and Capital Fund transfers 3496-3498.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following scholarship donations: Annual Suffolk Association of School Business Officials Scholarship to WIUFSD - \$500; Suffolk Association of School Business Officials Scholarship in honor of Wendy Duffy's retirement to WIUFSD - \$500; Josten's Scholarship to WIHS - \$500; Suffolk Transportation Service, Inc., to WIUFSD - \$1,000; Islip Town Chief School Administrators to WIUFSD - \$200.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following 2018-2019 Bids and Request for Proposal: RFP #1800 – Suffolk Transit Service, Inc.; #1801 Emerald Electric and Solar, Inc.; #1802 Quintal Contracting Corp.; #1804 Cardinal Control Systems, Inc.; #1805 World Wide Security Group; #1806 Long Island Geese Control, Inc.; #1807 Riddell All American Company; #1808 Tobay Printing Co., Inc.; #1809 Maggio Environmental Services, Inc; #1810 BSN Sports, Port Jefferson Sports, Muddy Locker Sports, Star Sports; #1811 Sprague Operating Resources, LLC; #1812 Orkin, LLC.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following Change Order: P&M Doors, LLC ~ SED No. 58-05-09-03-0-008-31 {WIHS} \$38,587.49.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following 2017-2018 Health Services Contracts: Jericho UFSD - \$562.12; Plainedge UFSD - \$771.17.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve 2018-2019 Cullen & Danowski, LLP Engagement Letter.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following 2018-2019 R.S. Abrams & Co., LLP Engagement Letter.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the following 2018-2019 Contract: Omni Services Agreement Reinstatement.

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve the results of the Annual District Meeting held on May 15, 2018.

Motion was made by Paul Michaluk, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve 2018-2019 General Counsel Services Agreement and Labor Counsel Services Agreement.

Motion was made by Mike Zotto, seconded by Ron Maginniss, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve Resolution re: Emergency Use of Herbicide.

Motion was made by Annmarie LaRosa, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve Stipulation of Settlement and Release: Student A.

### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Mrs. Burns reminded the audience that moving up ceremonies will take place over the next two weeks. West Islip High School graduation will take place at 9:00 a.m. on June 23, 2018. Due to summer bond work, the middle schools will not be accessible; further information is forthcoming. Due to testing and end-of-year activities, there are schedule changes for buildings which is posted on the school website.

The July 3, 2018 Board meeting will take place in the Paul J. Bellew auditorium.

# NOTICES/REMINDERS:

Mrs. LaRosa spoke about the second annual Thirst Project Gala that took place in May. Over \$100,000 has been raised to build wells in underdeveloped nations in all parts of the world by West Islip High School students and advisor Paola Nilsen, and they have been recognized as raising the most amount of money in the nation. The first annual West Islip Thirst Project Charity Golf Tournament will take place on Monday, July 30. Information is on the district website.

Mr. Gellar acknowledged all the humanitarian efforts throughout the district, including Common Hope under the guidance of Noreen Matthews.

The following residents wished to speak during an "Invitation to the Public":

Mrs. Doreen Hantzschel, 1129 Jefferson Avenue, West Islip - Mrs. Hantzschel thanked Mr. Zotto for his years of service on the Board of Education and then spoke about "Safe Space" stickers on classroom doors at the high school that she feels does not represent all protected classes, as they should. Mrs. Hantzschel also inquired as to the status of hiring armed guards; Mr. Gellar advised that information is still being gathered.

Mrs. Robin Mueller, 845 Keith Lane, West Islip - Mrs. Muller expressed gratitude for the ASL program but feels it would be beneficial to expose sixth grade students to ASL in the exploratory rotation. Mrs. Burns advised that ASL has not been offered to sixth graders since the 2008-2009 school year and it is not the district's intention to eliminate ASL from the curriculum.

Ms. Gwyneth Harrell, 34 Butler Street, West Islip - Ms. Harrell feels ASL should be offered in sixth grade to assist in students' ability to find their college and career path sooner. Mrs. Burns advised that the seventh grade ASL class has not reached the class limit for next year so students may still enroll; she advised that all colleges do not accept ASL courses for college requirements.

Mrs. Rochelle Cascio, 1523 Madision Avenue, West Islip - Mrs. Cascio shared her concerns about the class size of Ms. Abelson's third grade class at Manetuck. Mrs. Cascio would like an inclusive setting offered at Manetuck, and asked the Board and administration to add another fourth grade section.

Mrs. Erica Lattuga, 1661 Fairfax Avenue, West Islip - Mrs. Lattuga shared her concerns about the class size of 26 students in Ms. Abelson's third grade class and the experience this year has had on many third graders. Mrs. Lattuga would like an additional fourth grade section for the 2018-2019 school year.

Mrs. Christie Corbett, 920 Ocean Avenue, West Islip – Mrs. Corbett thanked Mrs. Burns and Mr. Gellar for acknowledging her letter regarding the many challenges the third grade class at Manetuck has faced. Mrs. Corbett requested that the district consider the needs of the whole child in this diverse group of students.

Mrs. Tina Tomasello, 899 Fire Island Avenue, West Islip - Mrs. Tomasello shared reasons a fourth grade section should be added for the 2018-2019 school year at Manetuck.

Faith Yusko, 68 Lawn Avenue, West Islip – Faith Yusko is a high school alumni who expressed concern that the ASL has not been treated the same level as other languages. Mrs. LaRosa explained that the district supports the entire world language department, including ASL, and would not be phasing out the language.

Heather Aronson, 36 Gridley Street, West Islip – Heather is a 2012 graduate of West Islip and requests that ASL be offered as an elective for sixth grade students. Mrs. LaRosa explained that due to attrition in upper level sections, the district has fewer students taking ASL overall, but will not be eliminating ASL.

Mrs. Tara Ardizzone, 164 Fiddler Place, West Islip – Mrs. Ardizzone asked that the district reconsider fourth grade class size at Manetuck Elementary and felt the social emotional needs of the students are more important than academic performance. Mrs. Ardizzone also felt that the district could benefit from a reading/writing program that could meet the needs of the students.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Kevin O'Connor and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to adjourn to Executive Session at 9:37 p.m. for the purpose of discussing personnel, negotiations, and/or litigation.

Meeting reconvened at 10:56 p.m. on motion by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve 2018-2019 SmartWeb contract.

Motion was made by Annmarie LaRosa, seconded by Mike Zotto, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve ADMINISTRATOR: LEAVE OF ABSENCE (unpaid): Lisa Martinolich-Tuozzolo, Assistant Principal, effective August 29, 2018 - June 30, 2019 (High School).

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve ADMINISTRATOR: REGULAR SUBSTITUTE: Louis Stellato, Substitute Assistant Principal, effective August 29, 2018 – June 30, 2019 (High School; \$112,200; replacing L. Martinolich-Tuozzolo {LoA}).

Motion was made by Annmarie LaRosa, seconded by Paul Michaluk, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve Attendance Waiver - Student A.

Motion was made by Ron Maginniss, seconded by Kevin O'Connor, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve Attendance Waiver - Student B.

Motion was made by Annmarie LaRosa, seconded by Ron Maginniss, and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to approve Meal Charge and Prohibition Against Meal Sharing Plan.

Motion was made by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Ron Maginniss and carried when all Board members present voted in favor to adjourn to Super-Executive Session at 10:58 p.m. for the purpose of discussing personnel, negotiations, and/or litigation.

Meeting adjourned at 10:59 p.m. on motion by Kevin O'Connor, seconded by Paul Michaluk and carried when all Board members present voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted by,

Mary Hock District Clerk

All correspondence, reports or related materials referred to in these minutes are on file in the District Office.