

School District of Borough of Brentwood

February 8 & 15, 2021

Board NOTES

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Next Month's Meetings

Agenda Planning Meeting
March 8, 2021 @ 7 PM

General Purpose Meeting
March 15, 2021 @ 7:00 PM

The information listed below is a *summary* of action taken at the February 8, 2021 Agenda Planning Meeting and the February 15, 2021 General Purpose Meeting. The official minutes of these meetings should be consulted if more detail is sought on any item.

February 8, 2021 – Agenda Planning Meeting

1. The Board accepted Mr. Farhner's resignation, with regret, and the Superintendent was authorized to post this position.
2. Mrs. Kristen Bonner was hired as the MS volleyball head coach, effective Feb. 9, 2021.
3. The updated Health and Safety Plan (Academic) was ratified.

February 15, 2021 – General Purpose Meeting

1. The minutes from the January 11, 2021 Agenda Planning Meeting and the January 18, 2021 General Purpose Meeting were approved.
2. The Board approved the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Cash Balances for the period ending January 31, 2021; approved bill payments for the period Jan. 19 thru Feb. 15, 2021; and approved budget transfers for the month of February 2021.
3. The Board approved exoneration of the Tax Collector from the remainder of duplicate, representing taxes which were unable to be collected and referral of such taxes to the solicitor for collection (such exoneration applies to the Tax Collector only and does not exonerate the taxpayer from payment).
4. The Board acknowledged receipt of the bank letter and the tax collector's summary report.
5. The following policies were adopted after the second and final reading:

Policy #	Status	Title
103	Revised	Discrimination/Title IX Sexual Harassment Affecting Students
218.3	New	Discipline of Student Convicted/Adjudicated of Sexual Assault
247	Revised	Hazing
252	Revised	Dating Violence
318		
418	Revised	Attendance & Tardiness
518		
334		
434	Revised	Sick Leave
534		
340	New	Responsibility for Student Welfare
705	Revised	Facilities and Workplace Safety
803	Revised	School Calendar
907	Revised	School Visitors

These policies were made available for public review in the Superintendent's office, all school offices, and on the District Website - Policies Under Review starting on January 19, 2021.

6. First reading of the following new and revised policies:

Policy #	Status	Title
146.1	New	Trauma-Informed Approach
249	Revised	Bullying / Cyberbullying
904	Revised	Public Attendance at School Events

These policies have been made available for public review in the Superintendent's office, all school offices, and on the District Website – Policies Under Review, starting on February 16, 2021.

7. The Board approved additions to the Substitute List.
8. The Board accepted, with regret, the resignation (for the purpose of retirement) of Mrs. Janet Wroblewski, Mrs. Mariagnes Greer, Ms. Kellie Rebholz, and Mrs. Cynthia Matthews, effective at the end of the 2020-2021 school year and authorized the Superintendent to post these positions.
9. Mr. David Pavlecic was hired as an Assistant Coach for the Track team, effective February 16, 2021.
10. The Allegheny Intermediate Unit Program of Services Budget for the 2021-2022 school year was approved.
11. A 2-year Memorandum of Understanding with the Brentwood Borough Police Department was approved, effective March 1, 2021 through February 28, 2023.
12. The District’s solicitor was authorized to retain appraisers for commercial tax appeals in the District.
13. The Board ratified homebound instruction for one high school student.

The March Board meeting dates are as follows:

Monday, March 8, 2021
Monday, March 15, 2021

Agenda Planning Meeting @ 7 pm in the Board Room
General Purpose Meeting @ 7 pm in the Board Room

