

Board

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Next Month's Meetings

Agenda Planning Meeting
Oct. 12, 2020 @ 7 PM

General Purpose Meeting
Oct. 19, 2020 @ 7:00 PM

School District of Borough of Brentwood September 14 & 21, 2020

The information listed below is a *summary* of action taken at the September 14, 2020 Agenda Planning Meeting and the September 21, 2020 General Purpose Meeting. The official minutes of these meetings should be consulted if more detail is sought on any item.

September 14, 2020 – Agenda Planning Meeting

1. The Board approved bus drivers for the 2020-2021 school year from the following transportation companies: First Student, EX Transportation, and Quigley Family Enterprise.
2. Transportation contracts with EX Transportation LLC and Quigley Family Enterprise were approved.
3. An EFMLA leave for Mrs. Kate Smeltz was approved.
4. The Board approved the transfer of Mrs. Amy Smith from first to second grade at Elroy for the 2020-2021 school year.
5. The Board authorized posting two positions: Maintenance/Custodian and Evening Custodian.

September 21, 2020 – General Purpose Meeting

1. The minutes from the August 10, 2020 Agenda Planning Meeting, the August 17, 2020 General Purpose Meeting, and the August 24, 2020 Committee Meeting were approved.
2. The Board approved the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Cash Balances for the period ending August 31, 2020 and authorized bill payments for the period August 18 thru September 21, 2020. The Board also acknowledged receipt of the bank letter and the tax collector's report.

3. The Board adopted the following revised policy after the second and final reading.

Policy #	Status	Title
612	Revised	Purchases Not Budgeted

This policy was made available for public review in the Superintendent's office, all school offices, and on the District Website: Policies Under Review.

4. The Board approved disposal of a broken teacher desk (as per the request of Dr. Bonnie Betler) and broken/obsolete computer equipment (as per the request of Mrs. Melissa Fulmer).
5. Transportation contracts with First Student to transport two students to the Western PA School for the Blind, and Quigley Family Enterprises to transport one student to the Brentwood High School were approved.
6. A tuition agreement with Pittsburgh Public Schools (Pioneer School) was approved for one student for the 2020-2021 school year.
7. A memorandum of understanding was approved between the BEA and the District authorizing splitting the Science/Social Studies Elementary Curriculum Leader position between two teachers for the 2020-2021 school year.
8. The day-to-day teacher substitute rate was increased from \$90/day to \$120/day, effective September 22, 2020.
9. The Board approved splitting the Science/Social Studies Elementary Curriculum Leader position between Mrs. Jessica Downey (approved in August) and Mrs. Karri Forsyth.

10. Mrs. Tatiana Ziegler was approved as a mentor for the Health/Physical Education teacher for the 2020-2021 school year.
11. Mr. Ray Rosing was hired as the assistant coach for the varsity girls' basketball team, effective immediately pending receipt of all the appropriate paperwork.
12. The 2020-2021 substitute list was approved.
13. An intermittent leave was approved for Ms. Krista Tiglio, effective August 31, 2020.
14. The Board discussed PSBA Officer candidates for 2020 and made their recommendations to the Board Secretary.
15. The Board acknowledged receipt of Policy 913 reports from Moore PTA, the Band Parent Association, and the Brentwood Athletic Boosters.
16. An affiliation agreement with the Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP) was approved for internships/practicums, pre-clinicals, and student teaching.
17. The Board approved a resolution calling for Charter School Funding Reform.
18. An educational services agreement with the Bethel Park School District for two students to attend the Life Skills Support Program was ratified for the 2020-2021 school year.
19. The Board approved a Title IX Resolution.
20. Mr. Kevin Patterson and Mrs. Whitney Reynolds were granted tenure.

The October Board meeting dates are as follows: Monday, Oct. 12, 2020 @ 7 pm Agenda Planning Meeting
Monday, Oct. 19, 2020 @ 7 pm General Purpose Meeting

