A. Call to Order, Rosemary Russo, Chairwoman of the Board of Education

A.1. Pledge of Allegiance

B. Public Portion of Meeting

Resolved: It shall be the policy of the West Haven Board of Education for individual members, if they so desire, to engage in dialogue with members of the general public during the time allowed on its agenda for public participation.

Dialogue must be confined to information gathering purposes and at no time will individual persons or personnel be the subject of discussion.

It is understood that the Board Members and Administration will be given adequate time to research any inquiry resulting from such dialogue and shall do so on specific direction of the Chair. It will be the authority of the Chair to cut off dialogue at any time it deems feasible.

C. Reports:

C.1.a. Administration/Status of Schools

Recognition of WHHS Junior Justin Bracero who was recognized by The College Board for scoring in the top 2.5% of all Latino students nation-wide on the PSAT

Dr. Anthony Cordone – The Plan to Showcase the Arts

C.1.b. Student Representatives

C.1.c. Board

C.1.d. Committee

D. Pursuant to Robert’s Rules of Order the following questions are subject to the Board’s vote without debate. Should a member choose to debate a specific question, he will move to lay the question on the table, and it shall become the first item of New Business. The Board will then vote on the remaining questions.
D.1. Approval of Minutes

D.1.a. The West Haven Board of Education Special Board Meeting was held in the Board’s Meeting Room, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT on Monday, February 4, 2019 at 5:45 PM.

D.1.b. The West Haven Board of Education Regular Board Meeting was held in the Board’s Meeting Room, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT on Monday, February 4, 2019 at 6:28 PM.

D.2. Resignations: (Certified)

D.3. New Hire: (Certified)

D.4. New Business

19-09 West Haven Department of Education School Calendar 2019 – 2020

Move to Approve

F. Informational

F.1. Resignation letter from Delcy Castro, Para-Bilingual – Forest School effective March 1, 2019

F.2. Resignation letter from Ann Dowd, Literacy Aide – Carrigan Intermediate School effective March 1, 2019

F.3. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, January 24, 2019 at 8:17 a.m. (enclosure)

F.4. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, January 24, 2019 at 12:50 p.m. (enclosure)

F.5. Tammy Shallis RN, 145 Settlers Ridge Road, Milford, CT 06460
   School Nurse Floater – Carrigan Home School
   Salary: Step 2 $44,074.47
   Effective: March 4, 2019
F. Informational (Continued)

F.6. Retirement letter from Maryellen Lauder, Maintenance Helper – Molloy effective June 30, 2019

F.7. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, February 21, 2019 at 8:06 a.m. (enclosure)

F.8. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, February 21, 2019 at 8:30 a.m. (enclosure)

F.9. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, February 21, 2019 at 9:15 a.m. (enclosure)

F.10. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, February 27, 2019 at 9:22 a.m. (enclosure)


F.12. Vanessa Gallo, 168 Upper State Street, North Haven, CT 06473
Bilingual Tutor – Forest School
Salary: $21,500 (actual salary to be prorated to start date)
Effective: March 5, 2019

F.13. Denise M. Gabinelli, 33 Cherry Lane, West Haven, CT 06516
Six Hour production Worker 7:30 AM – 1:30 PM – Bailey Middle School
Salary: $15,455.96 Step 7
Effective: March 14, 2019

F.14. Theresa Nerkowski, 150 Gilbert Street #2, West Haven, CT 06516
Six Hour production Worker 7:30 AM – 1:30 PM – Bailey Middle School
Salary: $13,712.92 Step 3
Effective: March 14, 2019

F.15. Alba Pagan, 45 Ivy Circle Apt B, West Haven, CT 06516
Medical Building Paraprofessional – Forest School
Salary: $18,278.97 plus $800 medical stipend
Effective: March 11, 2019