BOARD OF EDUCATION
WEST HAVEN, CONNECTICUT
AGENDA #13
REGULAR MEETING

September 15, 2014
Board Meeting Room
7:00 PM

A. Call to Order, Patricia Libero, 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

Raffaela Fronc – Presentation on CMT, CAPT and Science Update

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. West Haven Board of Education Regular Board Meeting held in the Board of Education's Meeting Room, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT on August 18, 2014 at 7:00 PM.

D.1.b. West Haven Board of Education Special Board Meeting with Executive Session held in the Board of Education's Meeting Room, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT on August 18, 2014 at 6:00 PM.

D.2. Resignations: (Certified)

14-98 Jacqueline Amendola-Turpin, Special Ed Teacher - WHHS
   Effective: September 18, 2014
   Reason: Personal

D.3. Leave of Absence: (Certified)

D.4. New Hire: (Certified)

14-99 Kathryn Chiappetta, 55 Augusta Street, Oakville, CT 06779
   School Psychologist – Savin Rock Community School
   Effective: September 29, 2014
   Salary: $76,407.76 (Step 7 BS + 60; plus stipend)

14-100 Brooke E. Zaffino, 161 Atwater Street, West Haven, CT 06516
   School Social Worker – WHHS
   Effective: October 1, 2014
   Salary: $52,761.34 (Step 1 BS + 60; plus stipend)

D.5. New Business
F. Informational

F.1. Sol Rodriguez Charbonneau, 176 Island Lane, West Haven, CT 06516
    Bilingual Tutor
    Salary: $20,150.00
    Effective: To Be Determined

F.2. Mary-Kristen Spann, 84 Templeton Street, West Haven, CT 06516
    Literacy Aid (9:15 AM - 12:45 PM)
    Salary: $16.09 hourly rate
    Effective: September 11, 2014

F.3. Jennifer Merola, 15 Donna Lane, West Haven, CT 06516
    Successful Bid to 3 ½ Hr. Day Cook – Seth Haley
    Salary: Per AFSCME Local 1303 Contract
    Effective: September 15, 2014

F.4. Kirby Manacchio, 48 Homeside Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516
    Successful Bid to 3 ½ Hr. Day Cook – Seth Haley
    Salary: Per AFSCME Local 1303 Contract
    Effective: September 15, 2014

F.5. Letter of resignation from Josephine Viscuso, Cashier at Forest School effective
    September 8, 2014
Committees

Finance – Chairperson, Mark Palmieri
   Members Patrick Egolum, Rosa Richardson, Bob Guthrie

Policy – Chairperson, Bob Guthrie
   Members Betsy Davis, Rosa Richardson, Pat Libero

Athletics – Chairperson, Rosa Richardson
   Members Jim Morrissey, Mark Palmieri, Cebi Waterfield,

Curriculum – Chairperson, Pat Libero
   Members Cebi Waterfield, Betsy Davis, Rosemary Russo

Facilities – Chairperson, Jim Morrissey
   Members Patrick Egolum, Rosa Richardson, Bob Guthrie

Early Childhood/PreK & K Chairperson, Rosemary Russo
   Members Mark Palmieri, Pat Libero, Cebi Waterfield

Technology – Chairperson, Patrick Egolum
   Members Bob Guthrie, Betsy Davis, Pat Libero

Food Service – Chairperson, Betsy Davis
   Members Rosemary Russo, Jim Morrissey, Patrick Egolum

Health & Wellness – Chairperson, Cebi Waterfield
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