

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
LAKEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY 08701**

**CONFERENCE MEETING - 6:00P.M. FEBRUARY 28, 2002  
PUBLIC MEETING - 7:30 P.M. LAKEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL COMMONS**

**AGENDA**

**STATEMENT BY BOARD SECRETARY**

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 231, of the Laws of 1976 (THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT), Mr. Luick notified the public that notice of the date, time, location and agenda of this meeting, to the extent known, was provided at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the commencement of this meeting in the following manner:

By posting such notice on the public announcement board of the Lakewood Board of Education Offices, and the Lakewood Township Municipal Building.

By mailing such notice to the offices of the Asbury Park Press, Ocean County Observer and the Tri Town News.

3. By filing such notice with the Board Secretary.

4. By mailing such notice to all individuals who requested and paid for a copy of same.

**BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

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Mr. Neal Price, President  
Mr. Mark Seigel, Vice-President  
Mr. Norman Bellinger  
Mr. Meir Grunhut  
Mr. Harvey Kranz  
Mrs. Sara Lichtenstein  
Mr. Stephen McCrystal  
Mrs. Irene Miccio  
Mrs. Barbara Sambol

**SUPPORT PERSONNEL**

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Dr. Ernest J. Cannava, Superintendent  
Mr. Edward W. Luick, Board Secretary/Assistant Superintendent  
Mr. Joseph C. Attardi, Assistant Superintendent  
Mrs. Kathryn D. Fuoto, Business Administrator  
Mr. Thomas E. Monahan, Esq., Board Attorney  
Mrs. Jean Cipriani, Board Attorney

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**AGENDA  
FEBRUARY 28, 2002**

I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - PRESIDENT, LAKEWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION

II. ROLL CALL

- III. PRESENTATIONS - NONE THIS AGENDA
- IV. MINUTES - CONFERENCE, EXECUTIVE & REGULAR MEETINGS OF FEBRUARY 11, 2002
- V. RECOGNITION OF THE PUBLIC - AGENDA ITEMS ONLY
- VI. CORRESPONDENCE AND COMMUNICATIONS

VII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

VIII. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD SECRETARY

1. Approval of payroll for period ending February 14, 2002 in the amount of \$1,461,671.72.
2. Approval of bill list for the month of January in the amount of \$3,794,572.44.
3. Approval of debt service wire transfer in the amount of \$817,499.25.
4. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6:23-2.12(d), I, Edward W. Luick, Board Secretary, certify that as of January 31 2002, no budgetary line item account has obligations and payments (contracted orders) which in total exceed the amount appropriated by the District Board of Education pursuant to N.J.S.A.18A:22-8 and 18A:22-8.1. That the District financial accounts have been reconciled and are in balance.

EDWARD W. LUICK

FEBRUARY 28, 2002

BOARD

SECRETARY

DATE

**Board Resolution**

Through the adoption of this resolution, we, the Lakewood Board of Education, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6:23-2.12(e), certify that as of January 31, 2002, after review

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of the Secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) and upon consultation with the Business Administrator and other appropriate district officials, that to the best of our knowledge no major account or fund has been overexpended in violation of N.J.A.C.6:23-2.12(B) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

5. Acceptance of the Treasurer's and Secretary Reports for January 2002. The Treasurer of School Funds and the Board Secretary reports are in balance for the cash receipts and disbursements for the month of January 2002.

6. Acceptance of donations to the John Patrick Scholarship Fund in memory of William Mackolin as follows:

Mrs. Elaine Heasley & family \$25.00

Mary Ann

## IX. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

## A. BUSINESS ITEMS

The Business Administrator recommends the following:

Payment of Food Service Bills in the amount of \$132,463.69.

## B. SUPERINTENDENT'S ITEMS

1. Approval: Of out of district placement for school year 2001-2002 for the following:
  - t MCI student 181 P to ARC as recommended by Child Study Team's Individual Education Plan (IEP). Tuition not to exceed \$5,400.00.

Approval: Of extended school year (summer 2002) for autistic student 1 SEY to attend Camp Jaycee as recommended by Child Study Team's IEP. Tuition to be paid by Lakewood = \$1,900 plus \$200 travel reimbursement, plus \$75.00 reimbursement of deposit to parent. Although tuition is more than stated above, the Division of Developmental Disabilities will pay the remaining portion of tuition.

3. Approval: Of the Local Professional Development Plan for 2001-2002 as developed by the Local Professional Development Committee and approved by Mrs. Lucille Rielly, Ocean County Superintendent of Schools.

4. Approval: Of Resolution to Apply for and accept the Local Capacity Building and Improvement Project for Special Education Least Restrictive Environment in the amount of \$250,000 for the period July 1, 2002 to September 30, 2003. (Attachment A)

5. Approval: To cancel the March 13, 2002, half day inservice and approve a half day inservice on April 17, 2002.

## C. PERSONNEL

Reports and Recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools for the following professional staff in accordance with the requirements of Element 6, Indicator 6.5 of the monitoring process.

## CERTIFICATED

## Resignations

BERGEN, Eileen

Elementary Teacher - Oak Street School

Effective: September 1, 2002

FERRARO, Alan F.  
Director of Pupil Personnel

Effective: April 19, 2002

HUNT, Douglas W.

Physical Education Teacher - Lakewood High School  
Effective: January 24, 2002

INNIS, Carl A.  
Treasurer of School Monies  
Effective: April 30, 2002

KASPER, Cheryl  
Social Worker - Administrative Office  
Effective: April 7, 2002

SMALLEY, Leslie  
Speech Language Specialist - Spruce Street School  
Effective: April 11, 2002 (or sooner)

Leaves of Absence

STERN, Michelle (Amended)

Sick Leave -

Effective: February 25, 2002 (in lieu of 2/14/02)  
Terminating: March 8, 2002 (in lieu of 3/4/02)

Leave of Absence -

Effective: March 11, 2002 (in lieu of 3/5/02)  
Terminating: April 15, 2002 or sooner (in lieu of 4/1/02)

(Reason - Family Leave of Absence)

g. Appointments

\* \*\*GEMELLI, Lucia  
Provisional Certificate

Bi-Lingual Teacher - Ella G. Clarke School

Effective: February 26, 2002  
Terminating: June 30, 2002  
Salary: BA, Step 1 - \$33,926 (pro-rated)

(Temporary Replacement for Maureen Pribila, Leave of Absence)

XANADU BEHAVIOR THERAPY

Time: 10 hrs. / week (2 hrs./session)

Cost: \$155/hour (\$45/hr for each instructor and  
\$65/hr for the coordinator)

Duration: November 6, 2001 and continue for the  
duration of one year or until an updated IEP is  
produced.

\* \*\*PADALINO, Mary Jean  
Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing  
Science Teacher - Lakewood High School

Effective: February 12, 2002  
Terminating: June 30, 2002  
Salary: BA, Step 1 - \$33,926

(Replacement for Vicki Schmitz, resigned)

(4) Substitute/Supplemental Teacher/Nurse List  
2001-2002 School Year

Salary: \*&\*\*\*Substitute Teacher/Nurse - \$70 per day  
\*&\*\*\*Supplemental Teacher - \$18 per hour

Lisi, Laura A. - 97 Credits  
Munk, Zissel - BA

Physician & Specialists for the 2001-2002 School Year  
On As Needed Basis

Daum, Jennifer  
School Psychologist Consultant  
\$300 per day

Professional Education Services, Inc. (P.E.S.I.)  
Educational Instruction  
\$30 per hour

h. Salary Adjustments

DIGNAZIO, Jill  
Elementary Teacher - Ella G. Clarke School  
Effective: February 1, 2002  
Terminating: June 30, 2002  
From: BA+30, Step 1 - \$35,926  
To: MA, Step 1 - \$36,926 (pro-rated)

(2) MERCER, Andrea  
Elementary Teacher - Spruce Street School  
Effective: February 1, 2002  
Terminating: June 30, 2002  
From: BA+15, Step 4 - \$36,926  
To: BA+30, Step 4 - \$37,926

i. Stipends

Spring Sports Coaching Positions  
Effective: 2001-2002 School Year

Baseball  
Carney, Thomas - Head Coach  
Group II, Step 4  
Stipend - \$4,861

Drumright, Eugene - Assistant Coach

Group II, Step 4  
Stipend - \$3,837

Arroyo, A. Miguel - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 3  
Stipend - \$3,276

Wallen, Jeff - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 2  
Stipend - \$2,866

Porzio, Greg - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 1  
Stipend - \$2,808

Softball

Currao, Vincent - Head Coach  
Group II, Step 1  
Stipend - \$4,211

Lee, Darren - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 1  
Stipend - \$2,808

Intromasso, Alicia - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 2  
Stipend - \$2,866

Hoffman, Lee - Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 2  
Stipend - \$2,866

Spring Track

Boylan, Jack - Boys Head Coach  
Group II, Step 4  
Stipend - \$4,861

Boylan, Jack - Girls Head Coach  
Group II, Step 4  
Stipend - \$4,861

Kwicinski, Nancy - Girls Assistant Coach  
Group II, Step 2  
Stipend - \$2,866

Sauls, David - Boys Assistant Coach

Group II, Step 2  
Stipend - \$3,837

Oizerowitz, Michael - Assistant Coach (field events)  
Group II, Step 1  
Stipend - \$2,808

Holmes, Randy - Assistant Coach (Middle School)  
Group II, Step 4  
Stipend - \$3,837

Boys Tennis

Wood, Craig - Head Coach  
Group III, Step 4  
Stipend - \$4,299

Mitchell, Everett - Assistant Coach  
Group III, Step 4  
Stipend - \$3,252

Golf

Brown, Richard - Head Coach  
Group IV, Step 4  
Stipend - \$3,837

j. Tuition Reimbursements

GALL, Gail  
Elementary Teacher - Clifton Avenue Grade School  
Nature of Reading Process -  
Georgian Court College - Fall 2001  
3 Credits - \$600

(2) McLAUGHLIN, Maryellen  
Elementary Teacher - Clifton Avenue Grace School  
Planning & Management of Technology in Schools  
New Jersey City University - Fall 2001  
3 Credits - \$600

\* Appointment subject to approval of Criminal History background check by State Department of Education, as per NJSA 18A:6-7-1, et. seq., NJSA 18A:39-17 et.seq., or NJSA 18A:6-4.13 et seq., as applicable.

\*\* Emergent Employee Resolution, upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, it was RESOLVED that this person be employed by the Board of Education of the Lakewood Public School District in the County of Ocean on a emergent basis, effective: September 1, 1998.

\*\*\* This position does not include the following:  
Medical Coverage                      Personal Days

- Dental Coverage
- Prescriptions
- Optical Coverage
- Reimbursement for Credits
- Professional Days
- Vacation Days
- Sick Days

- X. OLD BUSINESS
- XI. NEW BUSINESS
- XII. RECOGNITION OF THE PUBLIC
- XIII. GOOD AND WELFARE
- XIV. ADJOURNMENT
  - Enclosures:
    - 1. Board Secretary Items
    - 2. Business Items
    - 3. Superintendent's Items

**Attachment A**

**BOARD RESOLUTION TO APPLY**

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**WKL**

The Lakewood Board of Education hereby certifies  
 that permission has been granted to apply for the  
 discretionary grant program entitled:

**Local Capacity Building and Improvement Project**  
**for Special Education**  
**Least Restrictive Environment**

for the purposes described in the application, in the amount of,

\$250,000.00,

starting on July 1, 2002 and

ending on September 30, 2003.

The filing of this application was authorized at the Board meeting



held on

February 28, 2002.

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Secretary of the Board

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GUIDELINES FOR SPEAKING  
AT  
LAKEWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS

1. **First Session Recognition of the Public (AGENDA ITEMS ONLY):**  
Comments and questions are permitted concerning Agenda items only Please give the page number and item number before you ask your question. Maximum time of three minutes per person allowed. After the questions have been asked, a response will be given. There will be NO dialogue at this time.
2. **Second Session Recognition of the Public:**  
Comments and questions on **any topic**. Same guidelines as the first session.
3. **Time Constraints** for each session may be put on the length of each session.
4. **Additional Information:** If a resident of Lakewood wants further information on the questions, an informational meeting will be established as soon as possible after the Board meeting.

**Unfortunately, if the above guidelines are not adhered to, it may be necessary to close the Public Session or have an individual removed for noncompliance with the guidelines.**