

Members present: Glendinning, Hudson, Members absent: _____
Mauro (arrived 7:03 p.m.), Opdyke, Sosnow , _____
Weiner, Winchester (arrived 7:09 p.m.) _____
Admin: Baughman, Bourgeois, Macan _____

I. Vice-President Hudson called the Special Meeting of the Niskayuna Board of Education to order at 7:01 p.m.

Call to Order

II. Reports

Reports

A. Dr. Baughman reported that he met with Senator Farley today to seek funding for the NHS TV studio. It is thought also that this year that the distribution of State Aid might be more favorable to Niskayuna than in years past; BOCES Annual Meeting will be held Wednesday, April 4. Although that date is in conflict with Niskayuna BOE meeting, Mr. Hudson volunteered to briefly attend; copies of a letter to the Towns of Clifton Park and Glenville with regard to the wastewater line at Glencliff Elementary School were provided to the Board.

Superintendent Report

B. The Board was represented by one or more members at the following: The Nisk-Art Gallery opening of "The Art in War" on March 5; Craig and Hillside Learning Fairs; it was suggested that the Board try to attend meetings being held in reference to the Town (of Niskayuna) Reassessment Project for better understanding.

Board Report

III. Comments from the Community

Community Comments

A. There were no comments from the community.

IV. Mr. Opdyke moved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the actions recommended in the consent agenda of the items listed below:

Consent Agenda

A. Minutes of the Regular Board meeting of March 5, 2007

B. ...that the Board, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the following personnel actions, per ASM IV, B

*= pending State Education fingerprint clearance

A. Instructional – Leave of Absence

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Glassman, Sarah J.	Science/ VA	9/01/07-6/30/08

Glassman

B. Non-Instructional-(End of Probationary Period)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Gravell, Ann Marie	Food Service Helper	3/6/07
Bagepalli, Jolanta	Food Service Helper	3/12/07
Capoccia, Rossana	Cook	3/1/07

Gravell
Bagepalli
Capoccia

C. Non-Instructional-Appointment

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Salary Step</u>
Limani, Christina	Educational Assistant	3/13/07	NESPA-EA Step 5

Limani

D. Non-Instructional Appoinment-Probationary

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Rabine, John	Superintendent Buildings & Grounds	2/20/07

Rabine

E. Reappointment of Emergency Conditional Staff – These staff have not been cleared by SED

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Alfeo, Paula	Substitute Teaching Assistant/ CA
Amodeo, Christine	Substitute Teacher
Audi, Patricia	Substitute Teacher
Aydinian, Michelle	Substitute Teacher
Baldwin, Carol	Substitute Teacher/PE
Bleichert, Laurie	Substitute Teacher
Blot, Renee	Substitute Teacher
Brearton, Jessica	Substitute Teacher
Brennan, Lisa	Substitute Teacher
Brody, David	Substitute Teacher
Buck, Stephanie	Substitute Teacher
Burgio, Michael	Substitute Teacher
Burt, Amanda	Substitute Teacher
Califano, James	Substitute Teacher/Music
Capra, Joseph	Substitute Bus Driver
Carey, Brian	Substitute Teacher
Connelly, Guy	S/CA Campus Supervisor
Cuda, Caitlin	Substitute Teacher
Daly, Dorothy	Substitute Teacher
Debes, Kelly	Substitute Teacher
DeSimone, Christine	Substitute Food Service Helper
Dring, Jeffrey	Substitute Teacher
Dworak, Elyse	Substitute Teacher
Feenan, Anne	Substitute Food Service Helper
Ferguson, Timothy	Substitute Teacher
Flores, Kevin	Substitute Teacher/Guidance/Counseling
Frede, Marni	Substitute Teacher
Grady, Joseph	Substitute Teacher
Griffin, Kelli	Substitute Teacher
Hadley, Crystal	Substitute Teacher
Haines, Rachael	Substitute Teacher
Hamm, Cora	Substitute Teacher
Hargrave, Morgan	Substitute Teacher
Herendeen, Laurel	Substitute Teacher
Houle, Kerriann	Substitute Teacher
Johnson, Traci	Substitute Teacher

Staff awaiting
NYSED
fingerprint
clearance

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Budget Workshop
Kind of meeting

Key, Joshua	Substitute Teacher/PE
Layne, Julie	Substitute Teacher
LeClair, Susan	Substitute Teacher
Limoni, Christina	Substitute Teaching Assistant
MacDougall, Marguerite	Substitute Teacher/French
Manieri, Amanda	Substitute Teacher
Martin, Thomas	Substitute Teacher
McKean, Sean	Substitute Teacher
Miller, Paula	Teaching Assistant
Murray, Lisa	Substitute Teacher
O'Keefe, Melanie	Substitute Teacher
O'Rourke, Carrie	Substitute Teacher
Parks, Jason	Teaching Assistant
Parra, Danielle	Substitute Teacher/Music
Petersen, Katie	Substitute Teacher
Powell, Johanna	Substitute Teacher
Ramlal, Cindy	Substitute Bus Driver
Rider, Steven	Substitute Teacher
Rodriguez, Tina	Substitute Teacher
Rosch, Kevin	Substitute Teacher
Roman, Amanda	Substitute Teacher
Romano, Cynthia	Substitute Teacher/Art
Sail, Suzanne	Substitute Nurse
Saxe, Christine	Substitute Teacher
Seaman, Danielle	Substitute Teacher
Slagen, Laura	Substitute Teacher
Sleizer, Jeanette	Substitute Teacher
Smith, Christina	Substitute Teacher
Smith, Shannon	Substitute Teacher
Terry, David	Substitute Teacher
Thouin, Megan	Substitute Teacher
Tomsett, Deirdre	Substitute Teacher
Walsh, Joseph	Substitute Bus Driver
White, Jillian	Substitute Teacher
Wilkins, Jillian	Substitute Teacher
Williams, Luanne	Substitute Teacher
Willis, Mary Kate	Substitute Teacher
Younkin, Jonathan	Substitute Teacher

Staff awaiting
NYSED
fingerprint
clearance
(cont'd)

F. Substitute Teacher List – Effective 9/1/06 – 3/6/07

Adams Rebekah
 Albert, Sean
 Alfeo, Paula
 Alger, Amanda
 Andrews, Lynn
 Aydinian, Michelle
 Azer, Kaylynn
 Barnett, Mary
 Barlett, Rita
 Bianchino, Kirsten
 Bird, Malcolm
 Birkmayer, Kimerly
 Boettcher, Kerry
 Boland, Annette
 Bucci, Christine

Substitute
Teacher List
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Burns, Tracey
Bush, Stephanie
Campbell, Erin
Carkner, Mary Elizabeth
Carnes, Sheldon
Casile, Ernest
Champion, Richard
Cho, Stella
Cioffi, Jan
Clift, Jennifer
Clink, Jennifer
Conti, Laura
Coughlin, Patricia
Culver, Bruce
Curcio, Frank
Dauer, Antonia
Debes, Kelly
Deloriea, Ronald
Dodge, Deborah
Done, Denise
Dunleavy, Colleen
Dunn, Susanne
Featherstone, Theresa
Frame, Heather
Frank, Victoria
Frede, Marni
Geiger, Cynthia
Gonyeau, Samantha
Gushlaw, Danielle
Hazzard, Bard
Jancik, Lori
Karbowski, John
Karlin, David
Kashman, Amy
Kean, Jaime
Klint, Amanda
Lamson, Jessica
Lare, Karen
Larkin, Trisha
Lauver, Karen
LeClair, SusanEve
Lee, Lisa
Maher, Erin
Manieri, Amanda
Mason, Peter
Mathieu, Christina
Mazzone, Eric
McCarthy, Stephanie
McDonald, Justin
McKean, Sean
Morris, Anthea
Neary, Mary Theresa
Nugent, Kristen
O'Connor, Casey
Oster, Stephanie
Parra, Danielle
Pickel, Nicole
Plog, Amanda

Substitute
Teacher List
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(cont'd)

- Poremba, Jessica
- Porter, Robyn
- Prendergast, Elizabeth
- Provost, Elizabeth
- Reichelt, Erica
- Relyea, Rebecca
- Renna, Melissa
- Retzlaff, Bernadette
- Richter, Catherine
- Robertaccio, Jennifer
- Russ, Delilah
- Ruppert, Jill
- Ryan, William
- Schaefer, Kristine
- Seaman, Danielle
- Slater, Erin
- Smith, Jessica
- Smith, Charles
- Snider, Jessica
- Stanco, Lisa
- Stapley, Andrea
- Stern, Alexander
- Strassburg, Kristina
- Tomsett, Deirdre
- Torre, Michelle
- VanSchaick, Fallon
- Visvanadan, Andalle
- Warner, Jonathan
- Whiting, Laurel
- Wiles, Sharon
- Witzenburg, Lisa
- Younkin, Jonathan
- Yunck, Christina
- Zaloga, Alison

Substitute
Teacher List
FTD 2006-07
(cont'd)

G. Resignation – Instructional

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Chaky, Marna	Science/NHS	6/30/07
Filiberto, Kerry	Social Studies/NHS	6/30/07
Cooper, Sara	TA/Birchwood	4/20/07

Chaky
Filiberto
Cooper

H. Emergency Conditional Appointment of Substitute Food Service Helper List effective 2/07-3/07:

- Name
- Jo-Ann Gannett
- Susan Haffner

Gannett
Haffner

I. Emergency Conditional Appointment of Substitute Cleaner List effective 3/07:

- Name
- Jennifer Kirchner

Kirchner

Mr. Hudson seconded. Carried 7-0.

V. Instruction

Instruction

A. Lynn Macan provided the Board with GLEAN updates.

Glean updates

B. Mr. Hudson moved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, appoint Cheryl O'Hara as Interim Principal at the Birchwood Elementary School, effective on or about April 1, 2007 (or sooner if necessary) through June 30, 2007 at a per-diem rate of \$425 as per ASM V, B. Mrs. Glendinning seconded. Carried 7-0.

Appoint Interim Principal-O'Hara

VI. Business

Business

A. The Board reviewed and discussed the 2007-2008 Preliminary Budget; class size (sections K-8) and Special Services.

Preliminary Budget Review

B. Mrs. Sosnow moved that the Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approve the Transfer of Funds for the month of January 2007, per ASM VI, B. Mr. Opdyke seconded. Carried 7-0.

Transfer of Funds

C. Mrs. Sosnow moved that the Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, accept and file the Treasurer's Report for the month of January 2007, per ASM VI, C. Mrs. Glendinning seconded. Carried 7-0.

Treasurer's Report

VII. General

General

A. The Board discussed the transportation for Public and Non-Public students.

Transportation-Public/Non-Public Students

VIII. Mr. Weiner moved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, convene to Executive Session for specific personnel items and to review specific personnel records in advance of taking personnel action. Mrs. Sosnow seconded. Carried 7-0.

Executive Session

IX. The Board convened to Executive Session at 8:47 p.m.

X. The Board reconvened to Public Session at 9:45 p.m.

XI. Personnel

Personnel

A. Mrs. Sosnow moved that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, accept the resignation of Gail Moon as English Language Arts Director, 6-8 Staff Developer on June 30, 2007 per ASM VII, A. Mr. Opdyke seconded. Carried 7-0.

Resignation-Moon

XII. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:48 p.m.

Adjournment

XIII. Information

Information

A. School Lunch Report – January 2007

School Lunch Report

