BOARD OF EDUCATION

Amityville Union Free School District, Amityville, NY 11704 Special Meeting Minutes – August 26, 2019

The Meeting was called to order at 7:31 p.m. by President Dodd at Park Avenue Memorial Technology. School.

IN ATTENDANCE: Carolyn Dodd, President

Laura McVeety Pawlewicz, 1st Vice President Susan Benard-Handler, 2nd Vice President

Juan Leon, Trustee

Allie McDonough, Trustee Jeannette Santos, Trustee Dr. Terry Fulton, Trustee

ABSENT: Dr. Terry Fulton, Trustee

ALSO PRESENT: Dr. Mary T. Kelly, Superintendent of Schools

Andrea Pekar, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction Sydney Freifelder, Interim Assistant Superintendent for Finance & Operations Dr. Thomas DeNicola, Assistant Superintendent for Technology and Administrative

Services

Barbara Miller, District Clerk

COMMUNITY: 10

President Dodd led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

COMMUNITY COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

Toni Bean submitted a list of questions in reference to the District Wide Safety Plan. Dr. Kelly responded that Administration will be getting back to her before the end of the week. Ms. Bean responded that she had hoped to have answers to her questions prior to the meeting. Dr. Kelly responded that the District Wide Safety Team had met and the plan is on the Agenda for board approval.

Andrea Torres asked what changes were made to the safety plan. Dr. Kelly also responded that the Safety Plan is for the District and that sections of the plan are kept confidential as required by the State Education Department.

Toni Bean stated that according to the State Guidelines, a preventive component is required to be part of the Safety Plan. Dr. Kelly replied that the plan complies with all New York State mandates. The District Wide Safety Committee will have additional meetings throughout the year. Dr. Kelly responded that in addition, we are satisfying the requirements that the Board needs to fulfill.

GENERAL

Motion to approve Agenda Items 3A-1 and 3A-2 made by Ms. McVeety Pawlewicz; seconded by Ms. Benard-Handler. Discussion: None. Motion Carries: 6 Yes; 0 No; 0 Abstain.

- 1. Approval of the 2019-2020 District-Wide Safety Plan
- 2. Approval of Building Emergency Response Plans

PERSONNEL

Motion to approve Agenda Items 3B-1 and 3B-2 made by Ms. McVeety Pawlewicz; seconded by Ms. Benard-Handler. Discussion: None. Motion Carries: 6 Yes; 0 No; 0 Abstain.

- 1. Resignation: English Teacher/Chairperson/MS-Uliano, J.
- 2. Rescind Probationary Appointment: Elementary Teacher/PA- Leon, E..

Motion to approve Agenda Item 3B-3 made by Ms. McVeety Pawlewicz; seconded by Ms. Benard-Handler. Discussion: None. Motion Carries: 6 Yes; 0 No; 0 Abstain.

3. Probationary Appointment: Music Teacher/MS- Abate, A.

Motion to approve Agenda Items 3B-4 through 3B-70 made by Ms. McVeety Pawlewicz; seconded by Ms. Benard-Handler. Discussion: None. Motion Carries: 6 Yes; 0 No; 0 Abstain.

- 4. Probationary Appointment: Elementary Teacher/PA- Abbondondolo, M.
- 5. Probationary Appointment: Science Teacher/MS- Dittmar, L.
- 6. Appointment: Monitor/NE- Christopher, T.
- 7. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Altamura, N.
- 8. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/Maria Regina- Arpino, L.
- 9. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Ashe, M.
- 10. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/St. Martin's- Baird, L.
- 11. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/MS- Basu, S.
- 12. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Bloom, C.
- 13. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Boell, J.
- 14. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Carrero, D.
- 15. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Conboy, J.
- 16. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/Maria Regina- Cox, K.
- 17. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Darling, K.
- 18. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Davi-Ortiz, N.
- 19. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Dieck, P.
- 20. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Geilman, K.
- 21. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Hartung, A.
- 22. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Heavey, L.
- 23. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Impagliazzo, D.
- 24. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Karounos, O.
- 25. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Klimek, C.
- 26. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- LaRocco, D.
- 27. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/St. Martin's- Lembo, P.
- 28. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Maloney, T.
- 29. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/MS- Mejia, C.
- 30. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Milan, L.
- 31. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Mizrachi, D.

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- 32. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Morales, M.
- 33. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Naso, K.
- 34. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Nyholm, A.
- 35. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/MS- O'Brien, F.
- 36. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Quinn, T.
- 37. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Reddin, M.
- 38. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Reiner, H.
- 39. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/St. Martin's- Reyes, W.
- 40. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Roman, J.
- 41. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/MS- Rosario, K.
- 42. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Ross, D.
- 43. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Sarlo, C.
- 44. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/MS- Silon, R.
- 45. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Smith, J.
- 46. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Stein, A.
- 47. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Tandy, J.
- 48. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/Maria Regina- Teja, T.
- 49. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Thompson, K.
- 50. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/NW- Tloczkowski, S.
- 51. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/HS- Tomasi, M.
- 52. Appointment: Skin In The Game Professional Development/PA- Zaratin, S.
- 53. Revised Appointment: Curriculum Writing: Algebra Camp- Sompareera, U.
- 54. Revised Appointment: Curriculum Writing: Algebra Camp- DiPietrantonio, D.
- 55. Appointment: Math Camp/MS- Sompareera, U.
- 56. Appointment: Math Camp/MS- DiPietrantonio, D.
- 57. Appointment: Leveled Literacy Intervention Teacher- Smith, T.
- 58. Appointment: Substitute Teacher- Adler, T.
- 59. ILB
- 60. Appointment: Food Service Worker- Newsome, T.
- 61. Appointment: Food Service Worker- Brown-Hendricks, K.
- 62. Appointment: Cook/PA- Berry, J.
- 63. Resignation: The Liberty Partnerships Program (LPP): Mentorship/Community Service Coordinator- Buzzerio, J.
- 64. Resignation: Part-Time Nurse-Leap, M.
- 65. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Heavey, L.
- 66. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Naso, K.
- 67. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Quinn, T.
- 68. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Stein, A.
- 69. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Thompson, K.
- 70. Appointment: Kidoyo Training- Milan, L.

REPORTS

Dr. Kelly reported on the replacement of the Park Avenue Cafeteria floor and that we are gathering input from the building leadership team and Board on the color. Dr. Kelly reported on the removal of the concrete floor and stated we will have a more in-depth update at our next meeting.

COMMUNITY COMMENTS ON NON AGENDA ITEMS

Toni Bean also commented on the posting of the Safety Plan. She also asked about the retention of a staff member. Ms. Bean asked how parents who were unable to attend the Middle School Orientation get the information that was provided at that meeting. She also asked when the Middle School schedules would be available. Dr. Kelly responded that anyone who missed the orientation should contact the building administration and they will be very happy to share any information. Dr. Kelly responded that the school schedules should already be out. If you have not received them please call the Middle School.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn Open Meeting at 7:58 p.m. made by Ms. Benard-Handler; seconded by .Ms. McVeety Pawlewicz. Motion Carries: 6 Yes; 0 No; 0 Abstain.