

**MINUTES OF THE EAST MORICHES BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING HELD THE 29<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2017**

- Place:** East Moriches Elementary School Cafetorium
- Members Present:** M. Griffin, L. Lapinski, L. Pagano, L. Pesce, J. Burke
- Members Absent:** None
- Others Present:** Dr. Charles. T. Russo, Superintendent of Schools, J. Miglino, Treasurer, J. Franke, District Clerk, Mr. Michael Carlson, Middle School Principal, Mr. Edward Schneyer, Elementary School Principal, Ms. Emily Eich, Assistant Principal, Ms. Michele Pepey, PPS Supervisor
- Call to Order:** Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pagano, to call the Executive Meeting to order. The meeting was called to order at 5:30p.m.  
The vote was 5-0.
- Adjournment:** Motion by L. Pagano, second by J. Lapinski, to adjourn to Regular Session at 7:29 p.m.  
The vote was 5-0.
- Call to Order:** Motion by J. Lapinski, second by J. Burke, to call the Regular Meeting to order followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The meeting was called to order at 7:30p.m.  
The vote was 5-0.
- Moment of Silence:** Remembering Jack Voellm
- Guys Read Presentation:** Ms. Eich gave an overview of the Guys Read club and presented each of the following participants with a certificate:
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|-------------------|---------------------|
| Cole Hunter       | Liam Anthony        |
| Benjamin Stork    | Thomas Waller       |
| Jack McKeon       | James Sarno         |
| Trey Aponte       | Joseph Carasiti     |
| Austin Faller     | Luke albert         |
| Lucas Renna       | Maxwell Orr         |
| Lincoln O'Connell | Colin Casey         |
| Cole Paulson      | Christopher Volkman |
| Giancarlo Volpe   |                     |
- Public Comment:** None
- Minutes:** Motion by J. Burke, second by L. Pesce, to adopt the minutes of the February 15, 2017 Budget Workshop Meeting of the Board of Education. All in favor – 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

Motion by L. Pagano, second by L. Pesce, to adopt the minutes of the February 15, 2017 Regular Meeting of the Board of Education. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was \_\_\_\_\_.

Motion by J. Burke, second by J. Lapinski, to adopt the minutes of the March 15, 2017 Budget Workshop Meeting of the Board of Education. All in favor – 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**Consent Agenda I**

**Financial:**

**Treasurer’s Report:**

Motion by L. Pagano, second by L. Pesce, to accept the Treasurer’s Report for the month of February 2017.  
All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**Internal Claims Auditor’s Report:**

Motion by L. Pagano, second by J. Lapinski, to accept the Internal Claims Auditor’s Report for the month of March 2017.  
All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**Monthly Bills:**

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pesce, to approve payment of the monthly bills for the month of March 2017 as per the Internal Claims Auditor’s Report. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pagano, to approve payment of the walk-on bills for the month of March 2017, as per the Internal Claims Auditor’s report. All in favor – 5 Opposed – 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**Budget Transfers:**

None

**Consent Agenda II:**

**Personnel:**

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pagano, at the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools the Board of Education approves Personnel Schedules A-15 and P-10 as listed below. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0

**EAST MORICHES UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
PERSONNEL SCHEDULE  
2016-2017 A-15  
March 29, 2017**

### Professional Appointments

Item#	Name	Assignment	Type of Appointment	Step	Annual Salary	Effective Dates	Tenure Area	Certification Status
1.	Cuddy, Shannon	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Elementary Teacher	Leave Replacement		Current Salary	4/24/17-6/23/17	N/A	Childhood Education Gr. 1-6, Initial

### Professional Extra Compensation Appointments - None

### Civil Service Appointments - None

### Per Diem Appointments

Item#	Name	Assignment	Salary	Effective Dates	Certification
2.	Rigas, Justin	Substitute Teacher Assistant	\$100/day	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	Teaching Assistant, Level I
3.	Binetti, Maria	Substitute Monitor	\$10/hour	3/13/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
4.	Binetti, Maria	Substitute Teacher Aide	\$12.50/hour	3/13/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
5.	Rooney, Mary Jane	Substitute Monitor	\$10/hour	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
6.	Connor, Ellen	Substitute Monitor	\$10/hour	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
7.	Connor, Ellen	Substitute Teacher Aide	\$12.50/hour	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
8.	Barnes, Thomas	Substitute Monitor	\$10/hour	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	N/A
9.	Barnes, Thomas	Substitute Teacher Aide	\$12.50/hour	3/30/17 – 6/30/17	N/A

### Other Appointments

Item#	Name	Assignment	Salary	Effective Date
10.	Horsford, Diane	Chief Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$11/hour	5/16/2017
11.	Frederick, Marie	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
12.	Romanowski, JoAnn	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
13.	Kandle, Linda	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
14.	Norden, Charles	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
15.	Norden, Jane	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
16.	Neuhoff, Carl	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
17.	Bach, Maureen	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
18.	Balzano, Aileen	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017

<b>19.</b>	Franke, Jackie	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	N/A	5/16/2017
<b>20.</b>	Fitzpatrick, Diane	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
<b>21.</b>	Rinaldi, Zaida	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
<b>22.</b>	Ricci, Frances	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017
<b>23.</b>	Romanowski, Janice	Election Inspector for District Budget Vote	\$10/hour	5/16/2017

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**Retirement/Resignations - None**

**Leave of Absences**

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Assignment</b>	<b>Dates Paid</b>	<b>Dates Unpaid</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>1.</b>	Bentivegna, Lauren	Elementary Teacher - 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	4/24/17 – 6/23/17 9/5/17-10/6/17	10/10/17- 12/1/17	Request maternity leave using accumulated sick/personal time and unpaid leave

**Change of Status - None**

The vote was 5-0.

**Consent Agenda III**

**Contracts:**

**SCOPE Summer**

**Program 2017:**

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pagano, at the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes the Board of Education President to sign the License agreement between the East Moriches UFSD and SCOPE Education Service for the 2017 Summer Program as per the terms and conditions of said agreement.

All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0

The vote was 5-0.

**Consent Agenda IV**

**Other Business:**

**Middle School**

**Field Trips:**

Motion by L. Pagano, second by J. Lapinski, at the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of

Education approves the Middle School field trips to the United Nations and Four Freedoms Park on May 24<sup>th</sup> for the 5<sup>th</sup> grade and the two day trip to the Metropolitan Museum of Art and Morton Bird Sanctuary/Brookhaven National Lab for the 6<sup>th</sup> grade on May 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**SCOPE Universal  
Pre-Kindergarten  
Program:**

Motion by J. Burke, second by L. Pagano, at the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent to distribute the Universal Pre-Kindergarten Request for Proposal from SCOPE services. All in favor – 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**CPSE:**

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pagano, at the recommendation of the Pupil Personnel/Special Education Supervisor, the Board of Education accepts the Special Education recommendations of Preschool Special Education students numbered: 71382, 71383. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**CSE:**

Motion by L. Pagano, second by J. Burke, at the recommendation of the Pupil Personnel/Special Education Supervisor, the Board of Education accepts the Special Education recommendations of School Age Special Education student numbered: 1186. All in favor - 5 Opposed - 0  
The vote was 5-0.

**Public Comment:**

None

**EMO Shines:**

President Griffin read the following: As an America Achieves Policy, Fellow Mrs. Chernis co-wrote a policy proposal to change the laws regarding teacher assistants and service credit for certification. The proposal also addresses professional development for teacher assistants in New York State. Mrs. Chernis and Dr. Elissa Smith from Lyndonville CSD have received bi-partisan support in the Senate and the Assembly. Our local representative Fred Thiele is her sponsor in the Assembly.

President Griffin noted how the community came together to remember Jack Voellm.

Vice President Lapinski spoke about attending the Gift of Failure discussion with Ms. Pesce and other community members.

Vice President Lapinski thanked Mr. Carlson and Mr. Becker from bringing MAGLEV competition to East Moriches Middle School. The following students participated:

Evan Caldwell  
Ella Dunathan  
Kelsey Wilson  
Laum Burian  
Taylor Mathews  
Maddison Vandenburg

Christian Specht  
Hannah Schildknecht  
Anthony Polio  
Emma Manastero  
Joe Pileri

Mr. Schneyer gave an overview of how the East Moriches Fire department has begun training for traumatic events. Stop the Bleeding Response kits will be brought to EMUFSD in order to train the staff on how to use them.

Mr. Carlson gave an update on the Washington DC trip, the Math Fair students, and the Robotics team.

Vice President Lapinski thanked Ms. Primavera and Mr. Farkas for their dedication and commitment to getting our students ready to participate in the SCMEA concert this year. The following students participated:

Olivia Schnauder  
Natalie Fierro  
Michael Santos  
Tim Glover  
Sophia Renna

Megan Sitzmann  
Cali Magee  
Harry Ovanessian  
Emma Monastero

**Adjournment:**

Motion by J. Lapinski, second by L. Pesce, to adjourn at 8:12 p.m.  
The vote was 5-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 30, 2017

Jacqueline Franke  
District Clerk