# **CLIFFSIDE PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION**

## WORK SESSION MEETING

# AUGUST 18, 2021

The Work Session Meeting of the Cliffside Park Board of Education was held on Wednesday August 18, 2021 in the Council Chambers located on the third floor of the Municipal Complex, 525 Palisade Avenue, Cliffside Park, New Jersey 07010 at 7:00 p.m. with the Board Secretary presiding.

The assemblage saluted the flag

ROLL CALL	Present:	Mrs. Abreu, Mr. Capano, Mrs. Frato, Mr. Garciga, Dr. Pantoliano, Mr. Shelley, Mr. Yannuzzi
	Absent:	Mr. Raincourt, Mr. Russo, Mr. Tarabokija

Mr. Michael J. Romagnino, Superintendent of Schools, was in attendance.

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Board Secretary read the following statement:

"The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to insure the rights of the public to have advanced notice of and to attend the meeting of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provision of this act the Cliffside Park Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted in the offices of the Borough Clerk, the Borough Library, the Borough Recreation Department, the office of the Board of Education, and the offices of Schools Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, and the High School on July 6, 2021 and notices were forwarded to reporters of The Record on July 6, 2021. This is an official meeting."

Mr. Romagnino reviewed the Consent Agenda with the Board Members.

On the motion of Mr. Capano, seconded by Mr. Garciga, all ayes by roll call vote, the following was approved:

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### **PERSONNEL**

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Ashly Gonzalez, as Part-Time Title One Teacher assigned to School #4 at BA Step-2 \$52,340 (77%) = \$40,302 total annual salary, effective September 1, 2021 for the 2021-2022 school year. (Account#-20-231-100-101-04-09-0000-060)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Grace Cho, as Elementary School Teacher-Grade 2 assigned to School #4 effective September 1, 2021 through January 31, 2022 at BA+15 Step-3 \$54,340 (pro-rated) salary and Part-Time Title One Teacher at School #4 from February 1, 2022 through June 30, 2022 at BA+15 Step-3 (77%) = \$41,842 (pro-rated) salary for the 2021-2022 school year. (Account#-11-120-100-101-04-00-0000-060) (Account#-20-231-100-101-04-09-0000-060)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Nicole Crimmins, as Elementary School Teacher-Grade 5 assigned to School #6 at MA Step-1 \$57,340 total annual salary with benefits, effective September 1, 2021 for the 2021-2022 school year. (Account#-11-120-100-101-09-06-0000-080)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Bryan Yannuzzi, as the Fairview Representative to the Cliffside Park Board of Education effective August 4, 2021.

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to appoint Jenna Russo, as Director of Special Services effective July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 at an annual salary of \$146,316 for the 2021-2021 school year, \$150,706 for the 2022-2023 school year and \$155,227 for the 2023-2024 school year.

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### PERSONNEL, (Continued)

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to approve the three-year contract between the Cliffside Park Board of Education and Cliffside Park Administrator's Association – 2021-2022, 2022-2023, 2023-2024 school years.

Resolution, recommended by the Superintendent of Schools, to approve the following salaries for Principals and Vice-Principals for the 2021-2022 school year:

Principals		Vice Principals	
Name	Annual Salary	Name	Annual Salary
Robert Bargna	\$145,670	John Lombardo	\$144,095
Barbara Bracco	\$127,300	Kenneth Schmitt	\$166,098
Dana Martinotti	\$159,884	Robert Walker	\$168,933
Lawrence Pinto	\$160,227		
Mark Rindfuss	\$112,590		
Jaclyn Roussos	\$146,316		

The Work Session meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Louis Alfano, Business Administrator/Board Secretary

### **RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Cliffside Park Board of Education (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") appoints Jenna G. Russo as the Director of Special Services for the Cliffside Park School District for the period beginning July 1, 2021 and ending on June 30, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board approves the Employment Agreement with Jenna G. Russo for the position of Director of Special Services for the foregoing period

of appointment, which Employment Agreement is attached to this Resolution and made a part thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby authorizes the Board President and the Business Administrator/Board Secretary to execute, on behalf of the Board, the Employment Agreement by and between the Board and Jenna G. Russo.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES:7NAYS:0ABSTENTIONS:0

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the within Resolution was adopted by the Cliffside Park Board of Education by a majority vote at its duly authorized meeting on <u>August 18, 2021</u>.

LOUIS ALFANO Business Administrator/Board Secretary

DATED: <u>August 19, 2021</u> Work Session Meeting August 18, 2021 (continued)

Discussion Items: (as per attached)

**Special Education Services** 

**Transportation Costs** 

**Custodial Overtime** 

Unbudgeted Grants Received in 20-21

**Other Salary Items** 

Extraordinary State Aid