## GALWAY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MINUTES

# Reorganizational/Regular Board of Education Meeting Thursday, July 5, 2012

(Previously scheduled for July 12, 2012)

## DRAFT UNTIL APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AT THEIR NEXT MEETING

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Acting Superintendent of Schools, Linda Jackowski at 6:30 P.M. in the High School Library.

Board Members Present: Cheryl Smith, Janet Glenn, Nancy Lisicki, Thomas Rumsey,

Dennis Schaperjahn, Joan Slagle and John Sutton.

Board Members Absent: None

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - Was recited.

**ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA - None** 

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS - None** 

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Senator Hugh Farley's letter dated June 21, 2012, indicated that the district has received an additional \$20,200 in funds through the state finance committee for a total of \$50,000.

#### ADMINISTRATION/CERTIFICATION OF OATH TO BOARD MEMBERS

Oaths of Office were signed by board members and will be certified by the District Clerk.

#### **BOARD PRESIDENT ELECTION**

Motion was made by Nancy Lisicki, seconded by Joan Slagle to appoint <u>Cheryl Smith as Board</u> President for the 2012-13 school year.

All voted aye Motion Passed 7-Yes 0-No

## **BOARD VICE-PRESIDENT ELECTION**

Motion was made by Nancy Lisicki, seconded by Dennis Schaperjahn to appoint <u>Thomas Rumsey as Board Vice President</u> for the 2012-13 school year.

All voted aye Motion Passed 7-Yes 0-No

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#### **APPOINTMENTS**

Motion was made by Nancy Lisicki, seconded by Janet Glenn to accept the following appointments in its entirety.

6-Yes 0-No 1-Abstained by John Sutton Motion Passed

Appoint Acting Superintendent William Scott (see agreement)

Rescind Acting Supt. Appointment effective 7/6/12 Linda Jackowski

Attendance Officers

Deputy Tax Collector

Purchasing Agent

Cindy Colby, Carol Sniezyk

Ballston Spa National Bank

Dorene Seelow-Podolec

Records Access Officer

Records Management Officer

Title IX Section 504 Compliance Officer

District Treasurer

Deputy Treasurer

Linda Casatelli

Linda Casatelli

Linda Jackowski

Tammy Andrews

Barbara Sleight

School Physician TBD

Custodian of Voting Machines

School Attorney Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP

External Auditor West & Co.

Internal Auditor A 200 Municipal Services

Data System Administrator Edward Pirrone
Chief Information Officer Edward Pirrone
Holder of Asbestos Handling License Michael Sherman
Holder of Water Operator Grade D License Michael Sherman

Dignity for All Students Act Compliance Officer Linda Jackowski, Brita Donovan

Student Activity Accts. Deputy Treasurer Linda Casatelli

Student Activity Accts. Treasurer Barbara Agresta \$1,200 Claims Auditor Barbara Pawlowski \$21.00/hour District Clerk Linda Casatelli \$2,082 Tax Collector Tracy Kileen \$3,722 Joseph Whalen Water Operator & Responsible Charge \$50/hour Fixed Assets Manager Betty Neahr \$2,000 Barbara Agresta Medicaid Billing Clerk \$3,000 Substitute Caller – Jr/Sr High School Amy Kondrat \$1,357 Substitute Caller – Elementary School Janet VanRijsewijk \$1,357

Chief Inspector/Co-Chairperson Elections Barbara Sleight \$7.25/hour (or min. Wage)

Beth Ruman

Chief Inspector/Co-Chairperson Elections

Board of Registration – School Elections

Barbara Sleight

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#### **DESIGNATIONS**

Motion was made by Nancy Lisicki, seconded by Janet Glenn to accept all designations in its entirety.

6-Yes 0-No 1-Abstained by John Sutton Motion Passed

School Insurance Agent – Bruce Rowledge

Official Newspaper – Daily Gazette

Official Bank Depository-Ballston Spa Nat'l Bank, Chase Manhattan Bank, NBT Bank, CLASS

Board Work Sessions to be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each Month at 6:30 PM Official Board Meetings to be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at 6:30 PM

with the following exceptions:

November 15<sup>th</sup> instead of the 22<sup>nd</sup> November Meeting December 20<sup>th</sup> instead of the 27<sup>th</sup> December Meeting May 14<sup>th</sup> instead of May 23<sup>rd</sup> May Meeting

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## Committee memberships for 2012-2013:

## Committee of Special Education Full Committee

Chairperson/Administrator – Linda Jackowski

Alternate Chairperson – Andrew Huszar

Psychologist – Andrew Huszar

Physician - TBD

Classroom Teacher of Child Being Reviewed

Special Education Teacher of child Being Reviewed or as Assigned

Parent Representative – Mary Bramer

Parent of Child Being Reviewed

Others as Deemed Appropriate

#### Committee on Special Education – Subcommittee

Chairperson – Linda Jackowski

Alternate Chairpersons – Andrew Huszar, Shannon Britten

Classroom Teacher of Child Being Reviewed

Parent of Child Being Reviewed

Others as Deemed Appropriate

## Committee on Preschool Special Education

Chairperson – Linda Jackowski

Designee authorized to sign preschool STAC Forms – Linda Jackowski

Alternate Chairperson – Andrew Huszar

County Representative – As Appointed by the County – Lesley Monaco/Pam Buchner

Evaluator of Child as Appropriate

Preschool Teacher or Provider as Appropriate

Parent Representative – Mary Bramer

#### AUTHORIZATION OF ACTING SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Motion was made by Janet Glenn, seconded by Nancy Lisicki to authorize the acting Superintendent to:

- certify payrolls
- approve attendance at conferences, conventions, workshops, etc. for all employees
- apply for special state and federal funds
- approve budget transfers up to \$15,000
- represent the district in matters pertaining to school breakfast/lunch/milk programs: Resolved that the Galway CSD Board of Education delegates to the chief administrative officer the authority to act as its agent with regard to Galway CSD's participation in the National School Lunch/School Breakfast/Special Milk Programs and to enter into on its behalf all contracts and agreements associated with said participation.

All voted aye Motion Passed 7-Yes 0-No

#### **OTHER ITEMS**

Following a discussion regarding the meal rates and bonding of the Superintendent (which will be looked into by the District Superintendent), motion was made by Janet Glenn, seconded by Nancy Lisicki to approve the items below. 7-Yes 0-No Motion Carried

- Establish mileage and meal reimbursement the most current IRS rate
- Establish the following petty cash funds:

\$100 for the school lunch program

\$100 for the transportation department

\$ 50 for the Business Office

• Continue to purchase the following Bonds:

\$1,000,000 bond for the Tax Collector and the District Treasurer

\$500,000 bond for the Deputy District Treasurer

\$50,000 bond for the Student Activities Accounts Treasurer

• Establish the following hourly pay rates:

Substitute Teacher Aide	\$ 8.50
Substitute Cafeteria	\$ 8.86
Substitute Monitor	\$ 8.50
Substitute Bus Driver	\$16.01
Substitute School Secretary	\$14.00
Substitute Secretary to CSO	\$18.00
Substitute Custodian/Cleaner	\$11.11
Substitute Automotive Repairer	\$14.00
Substitute Nurse	\$14.00
Instructional Tutors	\$22.00
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Substitute Teacher Per the agreement with School Alliance of Substitutes in Education Local 4805

• Establish custodial and vehicle driver rates for school-related and non-school related user

groups: Custodian Rate \$25/hour (2 hour minimum)

Driver Rate \$20/hour

• Establish mileage rate for bus user groups \$1.15/mile

- Re-adopt all Policies and Code of Ethics in effect during the last school year for the next school year.
- Resolved that the Board of Education of the Galway Central School District adopt the
  District's free and reduced price meal or special milk policy statement for the next
  school year which sets forth the conditions that the school must follow in order to
  participate in this program.
- Establish 2012-2013 food prices as follows:

	Breakfast	<u>Lunch</u>
Elementary	\$1.30	\$2.05
Jr/Sr High School	\$1.55	\$2.20
Adults	\$2.20 (Includes Tax)	\$3.95 (Includes Tax)
	<u>Milk</u>	Ice Cream
Students	\$.55	\$.85
Adults	\$.65	\$.85

#### PERSONNEL

Motion was made by John Sutton, seconded by Dennis Schaperjahn to approve a memorandum of agreement between the Galway Central School District and William F. Scott appointing him Galway Central School's Acting Superintendent of Schools effective July 6, 2012.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

The June 28, 2012 agenda will show that a special education teaching position for 2012-13 was reinstated to a 1.0 FTE position.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT** - None

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion was made by John Sutton, seconded by Dennis Schaperjahn to move into executive session. to discuss the medical, financial, credit or employment history of a particular person or corporation, or matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal or removal of a particular person or corporation.

7-Yes 0-No Motion Carried

#### **REGULAR SESSION**

Motion was made by Janet Glenn, seconded by Dennis Schaperjahn to return to regular session. 7-Yes 0-No Motion Carried

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion was made by Dennis Schaperjahn, seconded by Nancy Lisicki to adjourn.

7-Yes 0-No Motion Carried