

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education in the City of Linden, County of Union, New Jersey, was held in the School No. 1 Gymnasium, 728 N. Wood Avenue, Linden, New Jersey on Thursday, August 29, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Berghammer, President opened the meeting with a salute to the flag and announced that in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, adequate notice of this meeting had been provided as follows:

On January 10, 2024, notice was sent to the Home News Tribune, Star Ledger, TAPINTO Linden, Union County Local Source, and the Clerk of the Municipality.

**NO SMOKING NOTICE:**

BY STATE LAW, THERE IS NO SMOKING PERMITTED IN THIS BUILDING AT ANY TIME.

**NOTICE:**

In addition to the listed items in this agenda, this Board of Education may discuss and act upon other items not specifically referred to herein as is allowed at the regularly scheduled monthly Board meeting under the Sunshine Law.

**ROLL CALL: 6:12 p.m.**

<b>Board Members</b>		<b>Others</b>	
Mr. De La Cruz	X	Mrs. Perkins	X
Ms. Pino	X	Mrs. Louis	X
Ms. Thomas	X	Mr. Walker	X
Ms. Ullisse	X	Mr. Serapiglia	X
Ms. Armstead	X	Attorney	X
Ms. Carrillo			
Ms. Cintron			
Dr. Berghammer	X		

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Motion to approve the minutes of the Work Session held on July 23, 2024 and the Regular Meeting held on July 25, 2024 (Copies in hands of Board Members).

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz		X	X		
Ms. Pino			X		
Ms. Thomas	X		X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motion carried.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC (agenda items only):

Members of the public desiring to make a public comment may come forward at this time. For those watching online, if you wish to make a comment or ask a question, please utilize the raise your hand feature on the online meeting platform.

Please begin your comments by stating your name and address. Individuals are invited to speak on one topic at a time, and no individual will speak more than once, until all individuals so desiring have spoken once.

The public is reminded that to ensure the efficient and orderly operations of the meeting, members of the public will be limited to speaking on agenda items for three minutes

Dr. Berghammer said that we had an awesome 2024 and that a lot occurred. She also mentioned the following:

- Scholarships started with 12 million and we ended with 17 million.
- Over 90% graduated.
- Hired a lot of new people.
- Thanked the Board members.
- Real heroes: Our staff.
- Spoke about publicist and Human Resources.
- Thanked Business Administrator.
- Thanked Superintendent and staff.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Mrs. Perkins said the following:

1. Thanked 12-month staff. She also said buildings and grounds look great. Thanked the supervisors and teachers and support staff. She appreciates all members of the LEA.
2. Spanish Heritage month, we have a diverse population. We believe in unity for the community.
3. Summer schools have ended. Thank you to the staff, coordinators, principals and vice principals.
4. Enjoy Labor Day.
5. Thanked the Board for their commitment.
6. Presentation on Administrators Week. (Mrs. Perkins)
7. Presentation on Access for Multilingual. Dr. Berghammer said that we need two models: one for multilingual and another for second language.
8. Presentation on NJGPA - New Jersey Growth Proficiency Assessment. (Mrs. Perkins)  
Discussion ensued.

The Attorney presents the following recommendations to the Linden Board of Education for approval:

1. Approve the sidebar agreement between Linden Board of Education and the LEA.

MOTION 1:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz	X		X		
Ms. Pino			X		
Ms. Thomas		X	X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 carried.

The Education Committee, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Assistant Superintendents, present the following motions to the Linden Board of Education for approval:

1. Approve the enrollment as required by state law, of the following disabled students in a specialized program for the 2024–2025 school year in accordance with their Individualized Education Plan (IEP) as shown below:

Classification	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
Autism	Center for Lifelong Learning 333 Cheesquake Road Sayreville, NJ 08872	6/24/24-8/5/24 9/5/24-6/26/25	\$4,437.00 ESY \$179.00 per diem \$51,480.00 Annual \$286.00 per diem
Communication Impairment	Community Therapeutic School 570 Belleville Avenue Belleville, NJ 07109	7/5/24-8/4/24 9/6/24-6/18/25	\$14,054.60 ESY \$90,351.00 Annual \$501.95 per diem
Autism	Crossroads School 45 Cardinal Dr Westfield, NJ 07090	7/1/24-8/9/254 9/6/24-6/23/25	\$9,577.00 ESY \$342.04 per diem \$82,252.00 Annual \$456.96 per diem
Emotional Regulation Impairment	East Mountain School 252 County Rd. 601 Belle Mead, NJ 08502	9/5/24-6/16/25	\$90,000.00 Annual \$500.00 per diem
Autism	First Children School 1030 Plainfield Avenue Plainfield, NJ 07060	9/5/23-6/13/25	\$74,555.00 Annual \$403.00 per diem
Other Health Impairment	In Roads to Opportunities 311 Cox Street Roselle, NJ 07203	7/15/24- 8/16/24	\$1,550.00 ESY

2. Approve termination of the following out-of-district placements for the 2024–2025 school year.

Classification	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
Specific Learning Disability	Essex Valley School One Henderson Drive West Caldwell, NJ 07006	7/1/24-7/31/24	\$10,450.00 ESY
		9/4/24-6/24/24	\$85,500.00 Annual \$475.00 per diem
Multiple Disabilities	Lakeview School 10 Oak Drive Edison, NJ 08837	9/5/24-6/1/25	\$100,585.80 Annual \$558.61 Per diem

3. Approve payment for the related services as per Child Study Team evaluation.

Related Services	Fees not to Exceed
Psychiatric Evaluation Dr. Belardinelli 247 West Street Bloomfield, NJ 07003	3@\$800.00
Occupational Therapy Services Center for Lifelong Learning 333 Cheesequake Road Sayreville, NJ 08872	\$384.00 ESY \$2,368.00 Annual \$64.00 per diem
Accurate Language Services 501 Grand Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	\$12.86
Accurate Language Services 501 Grand Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	\$18.75
Accurate Language Services 501 Grand Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	\$75.00
Accurate Language Services 501 Grand Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	\$18.75

4. Approve assignment of One-on-One paraprofessionals for the 2024-2025 school year as follows:

Classification	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Rate
Autism	Center for Lifelong Learning 333 Cheesequake Road Sayreville, NJ 08872	6/24/24-8/5/24	\$4,437.00 ESY
		9/5/24-6/26/25	\$153.00 per diem
			\$45,360.00 Annual
			\$252.00 per diem
Autism	Crossroads School 45 Cardinal Dr Westfield, NJ 07090	7/1/24-8/9/254	\$4,692.00 ESY
		9/6/24-6/23/25	\$167.57 per diem
			\$52,000.00 Annual
			\$288.89per diem

5. Approve Adjustment of tuition, as indicated as per New Jersey Department of Education audit.

School	Location	Tuition Year	Adjustment
East Mountain School	Belle Mead, NJ	2022-2023	\$14,929.00

6. Authorize the continuation of established Special Education Resource programs as listed:

Programs	2024-2025 Location	Number of Classes
Resource Class	School No. 1	11
In Class Support	School No. 1	10
Resource Class	School No. 2	24
In Class Support	School No. 2	10
Resource Class	School No. 4	12
In Class Support	School No. 4	4
Resource Class	School No. 5	9
In Class Support	School No. 5	4
Resource Class	School No. 6	15
In Class Support	School No. 6	6
Resource Class	School No. 8	12
In Class Support	School No. 8	4
Resource Class	School No. 9	15
In Class Support	School No. 9	10
Resource Class	School No. 10	15
In Class Support	School No. 10	10
Resource Class	MMS	20
In Class Support	MMS	16
Resource Class	SMS	26
In Class Support	SMS	11
Resource Class	LHS	38
In Class Support	LHS	40

7. Authorize the continuation of established Special Education Self Contained programs as listed:

Program	2024-2025 Location
LLD K	School No. 1
LLD K	School No. 1
LLD Grade 1	School No. 1
LLD Grade 2	School No. 1
LLD Grade 3	School No. 1
LLD Grade 4	School No. 1
LLD Grade 5	School No. 1
PSD	School No. 2
PSD	School No. 9
Autistic Grade K	School No. 2
Autistic Grade K-1	School No. 2
Autistic Grade K-1	School No.2
Autistic Grade 1-2-3	School No.2
Autistic Grade 3-5	School No. 2
Autistic Grade K-2	School No. 10
Autistic Grade K-2	School No. 10
MD K-2	School No. 8
MD 2-3	School No. 8
MD 4-5	School No. 8
LLD Grade 6	SMS
LLD Grade 7	SMS
LLD Grade 8	SMS
ERI Grade 6-8	SMS
Autistic 6-8	MMS
MD 6	MMSs
MD 7-8	MMS
LLD Grade 6	MMS
LLD Grade 7	MMS

8. Authorize the establishment of the Special Education Self Contained programs as listed:

Program	2024-2025 Location
Autistic Grade K-1	School No. 6
Autistic Grade K-1	School No. 9
Autistic Grade K-1	School No. 10

9. Approve bilingual evaluator for the related services.

Related Service	Name & Address	Fee
Bilingual Speech Evaluations: Arabic Hindu Portuguese Spanish Urdu	Let's Talk Speech PC 185 Baker Avenue Bergenfield, NJ 07621 (847)494-5344	\$450.00

10. Approve Accurate Language Services, located at 501 Grant Ave, # L3, Asbury Park, NJ 07712 Acct. #11-000-216-320-00-000-33 for in person translation and interpretation as follows:

Language	Rate per Hour
Spanish	\$90.00
Chinese; Cantonese/Mandarin	\$125.00
Greek	\$125.00
Italian	\$125.00
Portuguese	\$125.00
Arabic	\$140.00
Bengali/Gujarati/Hindi/Punjabi/Urdu	\$140.00
Czech	\$140.00
Haitian Creole	\$140.00
French	\$140.00
German	\$140.00
Hebrew	\$140.00
Hungarian	\$140.00
Korean	\$140.00
Polish	\$140.00
Romanian	\$140.00
Russian	\$140.00
Serbian/Croatian	\$140.00
Turkish	\$140.00
Ukrainian	\$140.00
Vietnamese	\$140.00

11. Accept the funds from the IDEA grant for the 2025 Fiscal Year.

IDEA: Basic	\$1,834,753.00
Non-Public Portion included in Basic	0
IDEA: Pre-School	\$49,030.00
Non-Public Portion included in Pre-School	0

12. Approve the following independent evaluations as listed:

Independent Evaluations	Maximum Allowable Amount
Augmentative Evaluations	\$900.00
Education Evaluations	\$600.00
Functional Behavioral Assessments	\$450.00
Neurological Evaluations	\$450.00
Occupational Therapy Assessments	\$450.00
Physical Therapy Assessments	\$450.00
Psychiatric Evaluations	\$900.00
Psychological Evaluations	\$600.00
Psychosexual Evaluations	\$1,200.00
Sign Evaluations	\$2,000.00
Social Evaluations	\$450.00
Speech and Language Evaluations	\$600.00
Transitional Assessment	\$600.00
Visual Analysis Evaluations	\$350.00
Vocational Assessment	\$1,750.00

13. Amend Board action on past Education Reports, as listed:

Date	Item	Action
7/25/24	27	Amend back to school night dates to read 10/2/24 instead of 9/25/24 for LHS.
7/25/24	24	Amend name to read Correia-Tapia, Christine instead of Macchiarelli, Dena.
7/25/24	24	Amend to add Martin-Cooper, Tanya at MMS
7/25/24	7	Amend New Road School tuition adjustment school year to read 2022-2023 instead of 2023-2024
1/25/24	5	Amend 1:1 Paraprofessional dates to read 12/15/2023- 6/20/24 instead of 1/8/24 to 6/20/24. Student J.J
6/20/24	22	Amend to add teacher Booker, Dinell to attend Summer IEP's.
7/25/24	1	Amend start date for Tuition School Year to read 9/5/24 instead of 9/4/24 for Gateway School
7/25/2024	24	Amend to read Maloney, Amy instead of Minniti, Frank for ILT
7/25/2024	26	Amend to read Wilson, Jennifer instead of Foset, Marie for SciP
6/20/24	22	Amend to read Election Day- School/ Offices Closed instead of Schools Closed

14. Approve *District Field Trips*. Copy in the hands of the board members.
15. Grant permission for the following *Use of Facilities and School Activities* on the dates/times listed:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
School No. 1	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24 -9/4/24 9/5/24 - 11/1/24	Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	Volleyball	None
School No. 1	Czylek, Frances	9/19/24	6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Gymnasium	Parent Meet & Greet	\$600.00 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 1	Czylek, Frances	10/7/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 1	Firestone, Michael	10/27/24	2 p.m. – 5 p.m. Parking Lot	Halloween Parade	None
School No. 1	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.74 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 1	Smith, Jennifer	11/13/24	8:45 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$500.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 1	Smith, Jennifer	2/11/25 2/12/25	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV
School No. 2	Czylek, Frances	10/8/24	4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 2	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 2	Smith, Jennifer	11/14/24	9:30 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$900.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34

15. Continued:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
School No. 2	Fingerlin, Peter	12/16/24 – 3/19/25	Monday & Wednesday 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m	<u>Trimester Award Night</u> Cafeteria & Gymnasium	None
School No. 2	Smith, Jennifer	1/14/25 1/15/25	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV
School No. 4	Olivero, Ed.D., Suzanne	10/1/24 11/12/24 12/3/24 1/14/25	11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Reading Room	The Foundation (Building Men social skills small group meetings)	Each Session \$1,200.00 11-190-100-320-00-000-10- 115
School No. 4	Czylek, Frances	10/9/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n- Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 4	Olivero, Ed. D, Suzanne	10/25/24	8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Cafeteria	Prismatic Magic “Bullying Prevention”	\$1,248.00 20-027-100-500-00-000-10- 115
School No. 4	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 4	Smith, Jennifer	11/15/24	9:00 a.m. Reading Room	Pre- Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$500.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 4	Smith, Jennifer	2/11/25 2/12/25	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV
School No. 5	Crawley, Rachelle	10/10/24	8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. School Grounds	Fire Dept. Visit	None

15. Continued:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
School No. 5	Czylek, Frances	10/10/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 5	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 5	Smith, Jennifer	11/18/24	8:30 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$700.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 5	Smith, Jennifer	1/14/25 1/15/25	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV
School No. 5	Crawley, Rachelle	2/13/25	9:00 a.m. Gymnasium	Black History/Multicultural Assembly	\$2,598.00 11-190-100-320-00-000-12
School No. 6	Czylek, Frances	10/11/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 6	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 6	Smith, Jennifer	11/19/24	8:30 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$400.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 6	Smith, Jennifer	12/17/24 12/18/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV

15. Continued:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
School No. 8	Czylek, Frances	10/15/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-12
School No. 8	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 8	Smith, Jennifer	11/20/24	9:00 a.m. Library	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$400.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 8	Smith, Jennifer	12/17/24 12/18/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 20-280-200-300-00-000-55 Title IV
School No. 9	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24-9/4/24 9/5/24 -11/1/24	Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	B/G Soccer Practice/Game	None
School No. 9	Czylek, Frances	10/16/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 9	Scaldino, Joseph	10/29/24 10/30/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 11-190-100-500-00-000-21
School No. 9	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,285.71 20-270-200-300-00-000-55 Title II
School No. 9	Smith, Jennifer	11/21/24	9:30 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre-Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$500.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34

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School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
School No. 10	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24-9/4/24 9/5/24 –11/1/24	Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	B/G Soccer Practice Game	None
School No. 10	Smith, Jennifer	10/10/24	5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Auditorium/Gym	Early Childhood Festival	\$1,000.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 10	Czylek, Frances	10/17/24	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Snakes-n-Scales Assembly	\$343.75 60-930-320-100-00-000-12
School No. 10	Scaldino, Joseph	10/29/24 10/30/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten Classroom	Apple Professional Learning	\$2,500.00 11-190-100-500-00-000-21
School No. 10	Smith, Jennifer	11/11/24 11/12/24 11/13/24	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classroom	Collaborative Classroom Being a Writers Lesson Study	\$1,500.00 11-000-223-320-00-000-56
School No. 10	Smith, Jennifer	11/22/24	9:15 a.m. Cafeteria	Pre- Kindergarten Breakfast Social	\$500.00 20-218-200-590-03-000-34
School No. 10	Czylek, Frances	11/22/24	6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Movie Night	None
MMS	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24 - 9/4/24 9/5/24 –11/1/24	Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	B/G Soccer Practice/Game	None
SMS	Czyek, Frances	9/9/24	3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Gymnasium	Kid-grit SEL Training	\$5,079.99 20-454-200-300-00-000-35-070
LHS	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24 - 9/4/24 9/5/24 –11/1/24	Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	Volleyball Practice/Game	None

15. Continued:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
LHS	Lorenzetti, Matthew	9/9/24 - 9/11/24	3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Auditorium	Fall Play Auditions and Callbacks	None
LHS	Koonce, Charles	9/14/24-6/14/25 Saturdays Only except for holiday weekends	7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Saturday School Program	None
LHS	Lorenzetti, Matthew	9/16/24 - 11/17/24	3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Auditorium	Fall Play Rehearsal and Set Construction	None
LHS	Migulez, Tania	9/27/24	6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Auditorium	ESL/Bilingual Parent Information Night	None
LHS	Lorenzetti, Matthew	9/28/24 10/12/24 10/26/24 11/16/24	10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Auditorium	Fall Play Saturday Rehearsals	None
LHS	Koonce, Charles	10/1/24 10/2/24	7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Gymnasium	Senior Portraits Underclassmen	None
LHS	Koonce, Charles	11/14/24	7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Room 119	Underclassmen Seniors Retakes	None
LHS	Lorenzetti, Matthew	11/17/24 - 11/21/24	3:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Auditorium	Lighting Design, Tech Rehearsals, and Show Dates	None
LHS	Lorenzetti, Matthew	11/23/24	10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Auditorium	Set Strike/Cast Party	None

15. Continued:

School	Requested By	Date	Time/Location	Event	Expenses
AOE	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24- 9/4/24  9/5/24 – 11/1/24	Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Gymnasium	Volleyball Practice/Game	None
AOE	Stefanick, Ed. D, Marie	10/16/24 1/22/25 4/16/25	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Special Services	LEAPP Meetings	None
Multilingual Learners Welcome Center	Miguellez, Tania	11/20/24	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting	\$200.00 11-000-221-500-00- 000-54
Multilingual Learners Welcome Center	Miguellez, Tania	2/12/25	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting	\$200.00 11-000-221-500-00- 000-54
Multilingual Learners Welcome Center	Miguellez, Tania	4/9/25	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting	\$200.00 11-000-221-500-00- 000-54
PDRC	Smith, Jennifer	10/29/24 10/30/24	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Large Room	SIOP Training – Phase II	\$12,000.00 20-270-200-300-00- 000-55 Title II
PDRC	Smith, Jennifer	12/10/24 12/11/24 12/12/24	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Large Room	SIOP Training – Phase I	\$18,000.00 20-270-200-300-00- 000-55 Title II
Tiger Stadium	Firestone, Michael	8/12/24- 9/4/24  9/5/24– 11/1/24	Monday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Boys/Girls Football Soccer Cheer Practice Games	None

16. Approve the following Title III ESL After School Tutorials, as listed

Name	Location	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	Expenses
ESL Tutorial	School No. 1	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	2 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$2,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 2	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	4 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$3,500.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 4	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	2 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$2,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 5	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	1 teacher up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$1,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 6	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	2 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$2,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 8	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	2 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$2,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 9	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	2 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$2,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	School No. 10	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	1 teacher up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$1,000.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	MMS	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	4 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$3,500.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	SMS	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	4 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$3,500.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54
ESL Tutorial	LHS	10/24 - 3/25 1 day per week	5 teachers up to 25 hours at \$33.00 per hr., for a total of \$4,500.00 Title III 20-241-100-100-00-001-54

17. Approve training for district staff as listed:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
1.	Airo, Francesco	Leading with CI Through Generative AI!	12/4/24	Monroe, NJ	Registration \$199.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-54
2.	Aslin, Keith	National Threat and Evaluation Reporting Course (NTER) Master Trainer Program in Behavior Assessment and Management	9/5/24 9/6/24 9/9/24 9/10/24 9/11/24	Virtual	None
3.	Benders, Latoya	QBS Safety-Care Recertification	9/10/24	Edison, NJ	Registration \$700.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-33
4.	Carvalho, Diana	Collaborative Coach SIPPS Fall 2024 Cohort	10/10/24 - 12/12/24	Virtual	Registration \$325.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-56
5.	DiPolvere, Celia	Transition Coordinators Network Conferences	10/16/24 1/15/25 5/14/25	Holmdel, NJ	None
6.	DiPolvere, Celia	Facing the Future 24 Investing in Employment	10/18/24	New Brunswick, NJ	None
7.	Donner, Shannon	Collaborative Coach SIPPS Fall 2024 Cohort	10/10/24 - 12/12/24	Virtual	Registration \$325.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-56
8.	Ellmers, Joanna	AENJ- Art Conference	10/17/24 10/18/24	Princeton, NJ	Registration \$150.00 11-000-223-580-00-000-57
9.	Faranda, Leesa	AENJ- Art Conference	10/17/24 10/18/24	Princeton, NJ	Registration \$150.00 11-000-223-580-00-000-57

17. Continued:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
10.	Grasso, Gregory	NJPSA/FEA/ NJASCD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24 10/18/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$565.00 Other Expenses \$380.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-53
11.	Heffernan, Debra	InDesign CC Advanced	9/19/24 9/20/24	Virtual	None
12.	Imbriacco, Margaret	NJDOE New Preschool Instructional Coaches Seminar	9/23/24 9/24/24 9/26/24 9/27/24 10/24/24 11/21/24 12/5/24 12/19/24 1/9/25 1/23/25	Somerville, NJ	None
13.	Inguaggiato, Vasiliki	NENJ- Art Conference	10/17/24 10/18/24	Princeton, NJ	Registration \$150.00 11-00-223-580-00-000-57
14.	Kowalski, Patricia	Collaborative Coach SIPPS Fall 2024 Cohort	10/10/24- 12/12/24	Virtual	Registration \$325.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-56
15.	Lorenzetti, Matthew	New Jersey Music Administrators Association Exec. Board & General Meetings	9/27/24 10/25/24 11/22/24 1/3/25 2/7/25 3/7/25 4/4/25 5/2/25 6/6/25	New Brunswick, NJ	Registration \$90.00 11-000-221-580-00-000-57
16.	Marchesi, Renata	New Brunswick Adult Learning Center	8/27/24 9/17/24	New Brunswick, NJ	None

17. Continued:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
17.	Merton, Tracey	NJDOE New Preschool Instructional Coaches Seminar	9/23/24 9/24/24 9/26/24 9/27/24 10/24/24 11/21/24 12/5/24 12/19/24 1/9/25 1/23/25	Somerville, NJ	None
18.	Migueluez, Tania	NJPSA/FEA/ NJASCD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$410.00 Other Expenses \$44.25 11-000-221-580-PD-000-54
19.	Migueluez, Tania	WIDA ELD Standards	10/21/24 10/22/24 10/23/24	Virtual	Registration \$250.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-54
20.	Migueluez, Tania	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting – In-Person	3/18/25	Monroe Township, NJ	Expense None
21.	Migueluez, Tania	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting - Virtual	12/10/24 2/28/24	Virtual	Expense None
22.	Molinario, Richard	NJPSA/FEA/ NJASCD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24 10/18/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$565.00 Other Expenses \$381.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-50
23.	Monaco, Angelo	The Principal/AP/VP's Survival Guide	9/26/24	Saddle Brook, NJ	Registration \$150.00 Other Expenses \$60.00 11-000-240-580-PD-000-07-070

17. Continued:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
24.	Monaco, Angelo	NJPSA/FEA/ NJASCD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24 10/18/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$505.00 Other Expenses \$745.00 11-000-240-580-PD-000-07-070
25.	Olivero, Ed. D, Suzanne	ASCD Leadership Summit	10/17/24 10/18/24 10/19/24 10/20/24 10/21/24	Nashville, TN	Registration \$695.00 Other Expenses \$2,800.00 11-000-240-580-PD-000-10-115
26.	Orelien, Danie	EWEG System Training	8/19/24 8/20/24	Trenton, NJ	None
27.	Orelien, Danie	NJCTA Embracing Changes in World Language Education in the AI Era Panelist	8/31/24	Montclair, NJ	None
28.	Orelien, Danie	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting – In-Person	9/25/24 3/18/25 4/28/25	Monroe Township, NJ	Expense None
29.	Orelien, Danie	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting - Virtual	12/10/24 2/28/25	Virtual	Expense None
30.	Ormon, Peter	Morris Union Jointure Commission Technology Subcommittee	9/17/24 11/13/24 1/15/25 3/5/25 6/2/25	New Providence, NJ	Expenses: \$100.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-20
31.	Pellettiere, Laura	NJSCA Conference	10/11/24	Edison, NJ	\$149.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-44
32.	Perez-Sudah, Natalie	NJSCA Conference	10/11/24	Edison, NJ	\$149.00 11-000-223-580-PD-000-44

17. Continued:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
33.	Perkins, Atiya Y.	Future Driven Leadership	3/4/24 – 3/9/24	New Orleans, LA	Registration \$965.00 Other expenses \$2,671.80 11-000-230-580-PD-000-01
34.	Principato, Angela	EZ Ride Annual Recognition Event	9/26/24	Kenilworth, NJ	None
35.	Rizco, Nikki	AENJ- Art Conference	10/17/24 10/18/24	Princeton, NJ	Registration \$150.00 11-000-223-580-00-000-57
36.	Ross, Stephanie	NJPSA/FEA/ NJASCD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$460.00 Other Expenses \$185.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-54
37.	Ross, Stephanie	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting – In-Person	9/25/24 4/28/25	Monroe Township, NJ	Expense None
38.	Ross, Stephanie	NJPSA Multilingual Leadership Committee Meeting - Virtual	12/10/24 2/28/25	Virtual	Expense None
39.	Ryans-James, Patricia	33rd Annual School Health Conference	10/16/24	Somerset NJ	Registration \$190.00 Other Expenses 50.00 11-000-213-580-PD-000-61
40.	Scaldino, Joseph	Morris Union Jointure Commission Technology Subcommittee	9/17/24 11/13/24 1/15/25 3/5/25 6/2/25	New Providence, NJ	Expenses: \$100.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-21
41.	Smith, Jennifer	NCTE Annual Convention 2024	11/20/24 11/21/24 11/22/24 11/23/24 11/24/24	Boston, MA	Registration \$480.00 Other Expenses \$2,205.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-56

17. Continued:

#	Name	Workshop	Date(s)	Location	Cost
42.	Tartivita, Ed. D, Patricia	NJPSA/FEA/NJASD Fall Conference	10/16/24 10/17/24 10/18/24	Atlantic City, NJ	Registration \$565.00 Other Expenses \$312.00 11-000-221-580-PD-000-51
43.	Vincent, Catherine	AENJ- Art Conference	10/17/24 10/18/24	Princeton, NJ	Registration \$150.00 11-000-223-580-00-000-57
44.	Walker, David	EZ Ride Annual Recognition Event	9/26/24	Kenilworth, NJ	None

18. Approve the following *Professional Development Activities*, as listed:

Workshop	Provider	Date(s)	Location	Cost
Augmentative Alternative Communication (AAC) in a Public-School Setting	Catherine Fredericks, M.A. CCC-SLP, ATP/CAS	12/4/24	AOE	\$150.00 11-000-219-320-00-000-

19. Approve the following Affirmative Action Team Members for the 2024 – 2025 school year.

School	Name
School No. 1	Henry, Valencia
School No. 2	Moore, Shaliek
School No. 4	Taylor - Peeple, Karen
School No. 5	Dolan, Claudia
School No. 6	Stewart - Cuttia, Laura
School No. 8	Spricigo, Anne Marie
School No. 9	Scherer, Kate
School No.10	Kefalas, Kim
MMS	Healy, Bartholomew
SMS	Desir, Nickevner
LHS	Thurston Kevin
AOE	Stefanick, Ed. D, Marie

20. Approve the following handbooks for the 2024-2025 school year.

Elementary School
Middle School
High School

21. Approve the following Anti-Bullying Specialists for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name	School
1	Henry, Valencia	School No. 1
2	White, Lisa	School No. 2
3	Johnson, Tanaea	School No. 4
4	Dsurney, Michelle	School No. 5
5	Bodden, Jami	School No. 6
6	Spricigo, Anne-Marie	School No. 8
7	Ruchalski, Marissa	School No. 9
8	Clark, Jennifer	School No. 10
9	Bland, Mickeala	MMS
10	DeFelice, Jessica	SMS
11	Patterson, Shamona	LHS

22. Approve the following staff to attend the New Jersey Superintendents’ Study Council (NJSSC) at the Morris-Union Jointure Commission, New Providence, NJ on the following dates/times listed below. At no cost to the Board.

#	Name	Dates	Time
1.	Louis, Annabell	9/26/24	12:00 pm – 2:00 pm
2.	Perkins, Atiya Y.	10/17/24	
3.	Smith, Jennifer	11/14/24	
4	Walker, David M.	1/16/25	
		2/12/25	
		3/20/25	
		4/11/25	
		5/29/25	

23. Appoint Rolando Ramirez as the District’s Integrated Pest-Management Coordinator.

24. Approve the enrollment of the following students for the 2024-2025 school year:

Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
Westfield Board of Education 302 Elm Street Westfield, NJ 07090	9/1/2024	\$9,374.00

25. Approve the Charter Schools listed below:

Charter School	Weighted enrollment	Total Payment
Barack Obama Green Charter	1.9	\$27,100
Hatikvah International Charter School	1.0	\$13,999
Great Oaks Legacy Charter	1.6	\$22,930
Link Community Charter School	1.6	\$22,930
College Achieve Central	1.6	\$22,930
Empowerment Academy	2.2	\$30,777
Team Academy Charter School	2.2	\$30,777
Union County Teams Charter School	1.9	\$27,100

26. Approve the following staff for the FOSS Implementation Science Project District Team.

#	Name
1.	Apalinski, Cynthia
2	Diaz, Michelle
3.	Dollard, Aubrey
4.	Kaneaster, Brenda
5.	Kondratowicz, Dariusz
6.	Leight, Kimberly
7.	Lemes, Lizzie
8.	Olivero, Ed. D, Suzanne

27. Grant approval for elementary weekly time allotment of minutes for each subject area and school activity as listed, for the 2024-2025 school year.

Grade	K	1	2	3	4	5
Reading	520	400	400	400	400	400
~Writing	300	200	200	120	120	120
Mathematics	400	400	400	400	400	400
Social Studies	60	160	160	200	200	200
Science	120	160	160	200	200	200
* Music	30	30	30	30	30	30
* Art	30	30	30	30	30	30
*World Language	30	30	30	30	30	30
*Technology	30	30	30	30	30	30
*Physical Education	80	80	80	80	80	80
~Health	0	80	80	80	80	80
Recess	150	150	150	150	150	150
Lunch	150	150	150	150	150	150
Administrative	75	75	75	75	75	75
Minutes per week	1975	1975	1975	1975	1975	1975
Time per day	6hr 35min					
* Approximate weekly time based on 6-day elective/PE rotation						
~ Writing 3 times a week with Health 2 times a week for 2 trimesters. Health 3 times a week with Writing 2 times a week for 1 trimester.						

28. Grant approval for weekly time allotment of minutes for Middle School by subject area as listed, for the 2024-2025 school year.

Subjects	Middle School
Language Arts	300
Math	300
Science	300
Social Studies	300
Physical Education/Health	225
*Rotation Classes:	
World Language	113
Visual and Performing Arts	113
Technology	112
Business	112
Lunch	150
Administrative (homeroom)	50
Minutes per week	2075
Time per day	6hr 55min

\*Average based on alternating days

29. Grant Permission for the following Linden Public School students and/or groups to participate in the City of Linden’s Annual Halloween Parade on Sunday, October 27, 2024.

Linden High School Marching Band	Linden High School Cheerleaders
Linden High School Dance Troupe	Linden High School R.O.T.C
Linden High School Homecoming Court	All Schools’ Students in Costume
Middle School Cheerleaders (Soehl & McManus combined)	LHS Madrigal Group
TV/Digital Media Students	

30. Grant Permission for the following Linden Public School Students and or groups to participate in the City of Linden’s Annual Latin Festival on Sunday, September 15,2024.

Linden High School Cheerleaders	Linden High School R.O.T.C.
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31. Approve the following dates for NJGPA and NJPGA makeup for the 2024–2025 school year.

NJGPA	October 7, 2024
	October 8, 2024
	October 9, 2024
	October 10, 2024
	October 11, 2024
NJGPA makeup	October 15, 2024
	October 16, 2024
	October 17, 2024
	October 18, 2024

32. Grant permission for delayed opening at LHS during the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA).

Grade	Date	Reporting Time
9, 10, 11	10/7/24	10:15 am
9, 10, 11	10/8/24	10:15 am
9, 10, 11	10/9/24	10:15 am
9, 10, 11	10/10/24	10:15 am
9, 10, 11	10/11/24	10:15 am

33. Approve the writing, posting, and grading of lesson plans and lessons for academic classes at McManus Middle School, Soehl Middle School and Linden High School as needed for the 2024-2025 school year. To be paid at the contractual rate.
34. Approve the writing, posting, and grading of lesson plans and lessons for academic classes at School No. 1, School No. 2, School No. 4, School No. 5, School No. 6, School No. 8, School No. 9, and School No. 10. as needed for the 2024-2025 school year. To be paid at the contractual rate.
35. Approve the revised Elementary Language Arts Curriculum and Pacing Guides for grades K-5.
36. Approve the 2024-2025 School Nursing Services Plan. Copy in the hands of the Board Members.
37. Approve the authorization of the Linden Public Schools to carry out the Emergency Medical Response Action Plan in the school setting for the 2024-2025 school year.
38. Approve the use of the 2022 Danielson Framework as a rubric to evaluate certified staff members during the 2024-2025 school year.

39. Approve the New Jersey Principal Evaluation for Professional Learning as a rubric to evaluate Administrators during the 2024-2025 school year.
40. Approve District Goals for the 2024-2025 school year.
41. Approve the District Professional Development Plan for the 2024-2025 school year.
42. Approve the Bi-Annual Summation Report on HIB under the Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights Act for Linden Public Schools.
43. Approve the Superintendent's public presentation of the 2023-2024 Spring Assessing Comprehensive and Communication in English State-to-State for English Language Learners (ACCESS for ELLs ®) results as filed in the Office of Research, Evaluation and Assessment.
44. Approve the Superintendent's public presentation of the 2023-2024 New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA) results as filed in the Office of Research, Evaluation, and Assessment.
45. Grant approval for the district staff to attend in-house professional development sessions as determined by the Superintendent and/or Assistant Superintendents throughout the 2024-2025 school year.
46. Grant approval for Lexis Rodriguez, from Kean University, to complete her internship in Social Work under the supervision of Shamona Patterson at Linden High School for the 2024-2025 school year.
47. Grant approval for Idalia Diaz, from Rutgers University, to complete her internship under the supervision of Jolanta Rudnicka during the 2024-2025 school year.
48. Grant approval for the Research Institute for Learning and Development on Executive Function to renew their license assigned by Researchchild. The teachers who use SMARTS curriculum and MetaCOG need to renew their licenses which will expire 8/31/24, which they need to renew annually. Amount not to exceed \$10,190.00 from Acct. #11-190-100-610-00-000-05-050.
49. Grant permission for the use of two toro work carts for the City of Linden's Annual Halloween Parade on Sunday, October 27, 2024

50. Proclaim September 15, 2024 through October 15, 2024 as Hispanic Heritage Month to be highlighted in the Linden Public Schools as outlined in the following resolution:

**HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH**

WHEREAS, Hispanic culture has been a part of American’s Heritage since 1968.; and

WHEREAS, Edward R. Roybal, a Legislation Representative, initiated the celebration in 1968 by marking a week as Hispanic Heritage week; and signed into law by President Lyndon Johnson. In 1988, the week was expanded into a 30-day period on the approval of Public Law 100-402.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the City of Linden is committed to commemorate the contributions made by the Hispanic Americans in the development of this nation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the City of Linden, in keeping with national recognition, proclaims September 15, 2024 through October 15, 2024 as Hispanic Heritage Month in all schools in the district, to be fully celebrated with appropriate activities, ceremonies, and events.

51. Approve the Superintendent’s determination and actions taken for all reported incidents of Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying as discussed at the July 25, 2024 regular meeting as listed:

Case		HIB	Action
LHS-118		No	Services provided, disciplined.
LHS-117		No	Services provided.
School No. 9-112		Yes	Services provided.
School No. 9-111		No	Services provided.
School No. 9-110		No	Services provided.
School No. 6-120		Yes	Services provided.
School No. 4-86		No	Services provided, parent conference.

52. Be it resolved that all curricula within the following content areas be adopted for the use in the Linden Public Schools for the 2024-2025 school year. All curricula are aligned to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards.

Curriculum Grade
Career Technical Education K -12
English Second Language K -12
Health K -12
Physical Education K -12
Language Arts K -12
Mathematics K -12
Science K -12
World Languages K -12
Fine & Performing Arts K -12

53. Approve the NJGPA Tutorial Program at Linden High School for Mathematics on Saturdays beginning September 14, 21, 28 and October 5, 2024
54. Approve delayed opening on 10/29/24 for 9<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students for PSAT testing.
55. Approve PSAT testing on 10/29/24 for 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade students.

Mrs. Louis amended item #15 to read 10/27/24 for the Halloween Parade.

MOTIONS 1 – 55:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino	X		X		
Ms. Thomas		X	X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		#17/27-30
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 – 55 carried.

The Personnel Committee, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, presents the following motions to the Linden Board of Education for approval. All appointments and reappointments are contingent upon and may be modified based on student participation and the district's receipt of sufficient State School Aid and other revenue funding.

1. Approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, ROY NUNES, JR., in his lifetime was a truly dedicated employee of the Board of Education who gave his time and talents for the benefit of the students, staff, and parents of the Linden School District, and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Superintendent of Schools and the Board of Education of the City of Linden hereby, give expression of their feelings for the loss in the passing of ROY NUNES, JR., on Sunday, July 14, 2024, do tender to the members of his family their heartfelt sympathy and condolence in this time of bereavement and sorrow.

2. The following retirements are accepted with regret:

#	Name	Assignment	Location	Effective Date
1.	Daniele, Joseph	Reporting Custodian	School No. 10	1/1/25
2.	Guderian, Janine	Teacher of Special Education	MMS	7/1/24
3.	Rothausser, Suzanne	Teacher of Title I Math	SMS	11/1/24

WHEREAS, the above employees are retiring from active service in the public schools of Linden; and;

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the City of Linden to express their appreciation for their loyal and unselfish service during those years; therefore be it;

RESOLVED, that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the City of Linden hereby be tendered to the employees in acknowledgment of the service they so faithfully and conscientiously rendered, and be it further;

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education.

3. Accept the resignations of the following staff:

#	Name	Assignment	Location	Effective Date
1.	Banks, Brianna	Paraprofessional	School No. 8	9/22/24
2.	Buthorn, Stefannie	School Psychologist	AOE	11/1/24
3.	Chase, Karen	Teacher of Social Studies	SMS	10/20/24
4.	DeGraffenreid, Robert	Paraprofessional	School No. 10	8/15/24
5.	McCarthy, Kathleen	Part-time School Aide	School No. 6	8/20/24
6.	Walker, Dennis	Custodian	School No. 10	9/30/24
7.	Wallace, Brenda	Part-time School Aide	School No. 5	8/27/24

4. Amend Board action on past Personnel Reports, as listed:

#	Date	Item#	Action
1.	4/25/24	4/1	Amend Noriega, Suzanne to read: Ferraro, Suzanne.
2.	4/25/24	8/B	Amend to add Barrantes, Stacy, Current location School No. 2, current position Teacher of Spec. Ed./Resource; tenure date 9/2/26, to the non-tenured certificated staff for the 2024-2025 school year.
3.	4/25/24	7/C	Amend to add Martin, Alberto, non-tenured Hall Monitor at SMS.
4.	5/30/24	14	Amend to add the following teacher for curriculum writing for the 2024-2025 school year; Marchese, Diana
5.	5/30/24	53/15	Amend to read, Curcio, Scott, Assistant Soccer Coach Stipend \$5,899.00 instead of \$5,000.00
6.	5/30/24	55/2	Amend to read appoint District Nurse, Warner, James, to perform summer school session hours as listed: 7/1/24-8/1/24 (closed 7/4/24) Monday through Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. instead of 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. This is to be paid at the per diem hourly rate. Acct. # 11-422-100-101-30-000-00.
7.	6/20/24	24/25	Amend the stipend and position for Clark, Michael Band Front Instructor, \$ 702.00 to read: Clark Michael, Percussion Instructor, \$1,318.00
8.	6/20/24	31	Amend to include the start date of 8/1/24 for Brunton, Laura Site Supervisor Before/After Care for scheduling.
9.	6/20/24	4/20	Amend the start date for Rice, Michael to read 8/12/24 instead of 7/15/24.

4. Continued:

#	Date	Item#	Action
10.	7/25/24	8	Amend the 2024 Summer School Program rate to read \$30/hr. instead of \$35/hr.
11.	7/25/24	4/1	Amend the start date for Brady Barbara, Supervisor of Health, PE/Medical to read 8/1/24 instead of 8/11/24.
12.	7/25/24	4/4	Amend the Degree for Chiles, Ophelia to read: MA+30 instead of MA.
13.	7/25/24	4/2	Amend the salary for Cabrera, Esmeralda, Principal, School No. 1 to read: \$140,674 inclusive of a Doctorate stipend of \$3,000.
14.	7/25/24	4/4	Amend the start date for Chiles, Ophelia to read 10/2/24 instead of 9/1/24.
15.	7/25/24	14	Amend to add Buscaino, Veronica and Fosket, Marie to the SciP Danielson Training on 8/29/24.
16.	7/25/24	4/15	Rescind the appointment of Persaud, Alicia, District School Nurse.
17.	7/25/24	4/23	Amend the location for Mustafic, Hadil, Custodian to read: School No. 10 instead of School No. 9.
18.	7/25/24	4/23	Amend the start date for Mustafic, Halil to read 8/26/24 instead of 8/15/24.
19.	7/25/24	4/10	Amend the start date for Khan, Ayden to read: 9/23/24 instead of 9/1/24.

1) SICK      2) ACCUMULATED LEAVE      3) UNPAID

5. Appoint the following staff as listed:

#	*Name	Effective Date	Degree	Credited Exp./ Step	Assigned Subj. Area	Bldg. /Dept.	Spec./ Prog. Or Budget	Total Annual Salary Rate
<b>CERTIFIED</b>								
1.	Apollon, Sebastien	9/16/24	BA	11	Teacher of ESL	Travel	Budget /R	\$65,919
2.	Chin, Breana	10/14/24	MA	13	Teacher of Dance	LHS	Budget /R	\$80,854

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#	*Name	Effective Date	Degree	Credited Exp./ Step	Assigned Subj. Area	Bldg./ Dept.	Spec./ Prog. Or Budget	Total Annual Salary Rate
<b>CERTIFIED</b>								
3.	Fanie Charles, Renoude	9/16/24	MA	9	CST Social Worker 12-Month	AOE	Budget /N	\$79,840
4.	Fingeret, Jacob	9/16/24	BA	2	Teacher of Grade 5 ELA & Social Studies	School No. 9	Budget /R	\$60,012
5.	Kaur, Harjot	9/16/24	MA+30	17	ESL Coach 12 Month	District	Budget /N	\$109,374
6.	**Malat, Anitha, Ph. D.	9/16/24	MA+30	7	Teacher of Biology	LHS	Budget /R	\$71,203 Inclusive of Doctorate Stipend
7.	**Marbley, Danielle	12/1/24	MA	18	Navel Science Instructor	LHS	Budget /R	\$110,403
8.	Martinez, Diana	9/16/24	BA	11	Teacher of Spanish	LHS	Budget /R	\$65,919
9.	Mifsud, Rachel	9/16/24	BA	11	Teacher of Art	LHS	Budget /R	\$65,919
10.	**Minnitti, Frank	9/1/24	MA	1	Vice Principal	School No. 4	Budget /R	\$121,643
11.	**Perez, Rosangela	9/16/24	MA	18	Teacher of ESL	Travel	Budget /N	\$102,874
12.	Vernick, Brooke	9/16/24	MA+30	8	Teacher of Grade 1	School No. 4	Budget /R	\$71,386
13.	Valere, Magady	9/1/24	MA	18	ESL Coach 12-Month	District	Budget /N	\$110,403
<b>NON-CERTIFIED</b>								
14.	Amjady, Maribel	9/16/24			Part-time School Aide	School No. 4	Budget /N	\$28.01
15.	Anderson, Syrai	9/16/24		1	Paraprofessional /Aut.	School No. 10	Budget /R	\$22,958
16.	Baldwin, Kayla	9/16/24	BA	1	Paraprofessional /Aut. 6-8	MMS	Budget /R	\$26,958 Inclusive of Stipend
17.	Benders, Omar	9/16/24		1	Hall Monitor	LHS	Budget /R	\$38,198 Inclusive of Stipend

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#	*Name	Effective Date	Degree	Credited Exp./ Step	Assigned Subj. Area	Bldg./ Dept.	Spec./ Prog. Or Budget	Total Annual Salary Rate
<b>NON-CERTIFIED</b>								
18.	Cekic, Selma	9/1/24		9	Secretary	AOE	Budget /R	\$58,733
19.	Ceron, Omayra	9/16/24	BA	4	Paraprofessional /ICS/OCR	School No. 1	Budget /R	\$27,958 Inclusive of Stipend
20.	Gorbunoff, Andrew	9/16/24	BA	2	Paraprofessional /Resource	School No. 4	Budget /R	\$27,258 Inclusive of Stipend
21.	Greiff, Nicole	9/16/24			Part-Time School Aide	School No. 6	Budget /R	\$28.01
22.	Lee, Frederick	9/16/24			Assistant Security Officer	LHS	Budget /N	\$75,000
23.	Nwoke, Claire	9/16/24	BA	1	Secretary	AOE	Budget /N	\$54,023
24.	Orberg-Flood, Susan	9/16/24	BA	1	Paraprofessional /LLD-K	School No. 1	Budget /R	\$26,958 Inclusive of Stipend
25.	Perez, Crystal	9/16/24		5	Paraprofessional /Aut.	School No. 10	Budget /N	\$24,483
26.	Puha, Maryann	9/16/24	BA	1	Paraprofessional 1 to 1	LHS	Budget /N	\$26,958 Inclusive of Stipend
27.	Redman, Aysha	9/16/24	BA	3	Paraprofessional /1:1	School No. 5	Budget /R	\$27,558 Inclusive of Stipend
28.	Reed, Christopher	9/23/24		1	Hall Monitor	LHS	Budget /R	\$38,198
29.	Rivas, Claribel	9/1/24			Part-time School Aide	School No. 2	Budget /R	\$28.01
30.	Rojas, Maria	9/16/24	BA	2	Paraprofessional /Aut.	School No. 6	Budget /N	\$27,258 Inclusive of Stipend
31.	Romano, Patricia	9/16/24	BA	3	Paraprofessional /MD	LHS	Budget /R	\$27,558 Inclusive of Stipend
32.	Rotcha, Rebecca	9/16/24			Part-time School Aide	School No. 6	Budget /R	\$28.01

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#	*Name	Effective Date	Degree	Credited Exp./ Step	Assigned Subj. Area	Bldg./ Dept.	Spec./ Prog. Or Budget	Total Annual Salary Rate
<b>NON-CERTIFIED</b>								
33.	Wade, Jeffrey	9/16/24			Extra Curricular Activities Advisor 12-Month	LHS	Budget /N	\$75,000
34.	Williams, Stacey	9/16/24	BA	1	Paraprofessional /LLD	School No. 1	Budget /R	\$26,958 Inclusive of Stipend
35.	Wilson, Stewart	9/1/24	BA	1	Paraprofessional /Aut.	School No. 2	Budget /R	\$26,958 Inclusive of Stipend

\*Pending New Hire Requirements \*\*Contingent upon obtaining proper credentialing from NJDOE

6. Approve the following Leaves of Absences as listed:

Employee ID#	Location	From	Through	Reason
5149 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 4	9/4/24	9/27/24	Medical
6417 <sup>1,2</sup>	School No. 2	11/1/24	1/10/25	Medical
6417 <sup>3</sup>	School No. 2	1/13/25	4/4/25	NJFLA
8318 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 5	9/3/24	10/30/24	Medical
8318 <sup>3</sup>	School No. 5	10/31/24	11/14/24	FMLA
4946 <sup>1</sup>	Admin. Bldg.	8/22/24	10/7/24	Medical
4452 <sup>1</sup>	LHS	9/3/24	9/23/24	Medical
7487 <sup>3</sup>	MMS	9/3/24	6/30/25	IM FMLA
7978 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 2	9/3/24	9/24/24	Medical
6601 <sup>1</sup>	LHS	10/30/24	11/15/24	Medical
6601 <sup>3</sup>	LHS	11/18/24	12/13/24	FMLA
6601 <sup>3</sup>	LHS	12/16/24	3/7/25	NJFLA
7630 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 10	9/2/24	9/30/24	Medical
8873 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 5	1/2/25	1/31/25	Medical
8873 <sup>3</sup>	School No. 5	2/3/25	5/2/25	NJFLA
4372 <sup>3</sup>	School No. 2	9/3/24	11/22/24	FMLA
7147 <sup>1</sup>	School No. 9	9/3/24	9/20/24	Medical
7804 <sup>1,3</sup>	School No. 1	9/3/24	9/23/24	Medical

1) Sick                      2) Accumulated Leave                      3) Unpaid

7. Approve the transfer of the following staff for the 2024-2025 school year effective 9/1/24 as listed:

#	Name	Current Position	Current Location	New Position	New Location
1.	Aslin, Keith	District Security Officer	Field House	District Security Officer	Admin. Bldg.
2.	Bateman, Valerie	Reporting Custodian	LAST	Reporting Custodian	School No. 10
3.	Blocker, Richard	Custodian	School No. 9	Custodian	School No. 5
4.	De La Cruz, Valentina	Teacher of Spanish	School No. 5 and School No. 6 (Travel)	Teacher of Spanish	School No. 2
5.	Divito, Gina	Remedial Reading Teacher	School No. 9	Elementary ELA Coach	School No. 2 & School No. 10
6.	Drejaj, Anthony	CTE Resource Teacher	Admin. Bldg.	CTE Resource Teacher	IT Department
7.	Hanvey, Patrice	Teacher of Grade 1	School No. 4	Remedial Reading Teacher	School No. 9
8.	Jaldin, Gabriel	Paraprofessional PSD	School No. 2	Paraprofessional AUT	School No. 9
9.	Kissoon, Mitra	Custodian	SMS	Custodian	LAST 9/3
10.	Kolibas, Rose	Vice Principal	School No. 4	Vice Principal	School No. 1
11.	Martins, Jacquelyn	Technology Technician	IT Department	Technology Technician	Admin. Bldg.
12.	Matta, Diane	Paraprofessional/A UT	School No. 2	Paraprofessional/AUT	School No. 10
13.	Myrie-Cureton, Nicola	Teacher of Grade 4	School No. 1	Teacher of Grade 2	School No. 1

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#	Name	Current Position	Current Location	New Position	New Location
14.	Perez, Jr., Thomas	Reporting Custodian	School No. 5	Reporting Custodian	LAST
15.	Rengifo, Roberto	Teacher of Grade 5	School No. 1	Teacher of Grade 4	School No. 1
16.	Rodriguez, Ronald	Custodian	MMS	Custodian	School No. 9
17.	*Sousa Redgate, Jennifer	Teacher of Spec. Ed./Resource	School No. 6	Teacher of Academic Support	School No. 10
18.	Urda, Aneta	Paraprofessional AUT	School No. 2	Paraprofessional AUT	School No. 6
19.	Williams, Angel	Custodian	LAST	Custodian	SMS

\*Effective 12/10/24

8. Appoint the following staff for office assistance during the 2024-2025 Back to School Night; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-000-240-105-00-001-00

#	Name	Location
1.	Gooney, Karen	School No. 1
2.	Royster, Whitney	School No. 2
3.	Morek, Patricia	School No. 4
4.	Figuerido, Brenda	School No. 5
5.	Giacolone, Debra	School No. 6
6.	Renna Rona	School No. 8
7.	Schmitz, Melissa	School No. 9
8.	Powell, Mary Ann	School No. 10
9.	Santiago, Sara	MMS
10.	Schmitz, Richard	MMS
11.	Sullivan, Heather	MMS
12.	Cureton, Brittany	SMS
13.	Conrad, Patricia	LHS
14.	Gogna, Seema	LHS

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15.	Milano, Kathleen	LHS
16.	Perretti, Savana	LHS
17.	Riggi, Frances	LHS
18.	Rusinko, Kimberly	LHS
19.	Vitoroulis, Kaliopi	LHS
20.	Walker, Karen	LHS

9. Appoint the following staff to assist parents with On-line Meal Applications during the 2024-2025 Back to School Night; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #60-910-310-100-00-000-00.

#	Name	Location
1.	Ageeb, Abeer	School No. 1
2.	Cruz, Jennifer	School No. 1
3.	Dominguez, Andrea	School No. 1
4.	Lourenco, Jaqueline	School No. 1
5.	Rodriguez, Maricely	School No. 1
6.	Cespedes, Suralme	School No. 2
7.	Figuroa, Lina	School No. 2
8.	Heuschkel, Tara	School No. 2
9.	Jurado, Isabel	School No. 2
10.	Isaac, Nadedgeda	School No. 2
11.	Cardenas, Luz	School No. 4
12.	Cardenas, Stephanie	School No. 4
13.	Freitas, Chris	School No. 4
14.	Holguin, Nicole	School No. 4
15.	Kostis, Fotini	School No. 4
16.	Mendez-Torres, Josefina	School No. 4
17.	Salas, Mauricio	School No. 4
18.	Arango, Maritza	School No. 5
19.	Facchini, Corinne	School No. 5
20.	Houghton, Lyzandra	School No. 5
21.	Pacella, Philomena	School No. 5
22.	Ramos, Susan	School No. 5
23.	Sremcevic, Kristi	School No. 5

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#	Name	Location
24.	Giraldo, Luz	School No. 6
25.	Stec, Justyna	School No. 6
26.	Wlodarczyk, Beata	School No. 6
27.	Acevedo, Luz	School No. 8
28.	Arrubla, Diana	School No. 8
29.	Alphonse, Waldens	School No. 9
30.	Kotulski, Urszula	School No. 9
31.	Murray, Irma Teresa	School No. 9
32.	Sestito, Vanessa	School No. 9
33.	Carbone, Sherre	School No. 10
34.	Lozinski, Stephanie	MMS
35.	Menzo, Lori	MMS
36.	Torres, Norma	MMS
37.	Demerest, Kewanna	SMS
38.	Fisher, Ashley N.	SMS
39.	Carter-Blocker, Lakhia	LHS

10. Appoint the following staff member to facilitate professional development at 2024-2025 New Staff Orientation on 8/27/24, 8/28/24, 8/29/24. To be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-140-100-101-00-000-00.

#	Name
1.	Kefalas, Kim Marie

11. Appoint the following staff to cover lunch duty for their students during the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$30/hr. Acct# 11-140-100-101-00-000-00.

#	Name
1.	Donegan, Patricia

12. Appoint the following staff member for the Early Childhood Reading Coordinator, to be paid at the contractual rate of \$30/hr. Cost not to exceed \$10,000.00 from August 30, 2024, through June 30, 2025. Acct. # 20-271-200-100-00-001-55 (July and August 2024) Title II and Acct.# 20-270-200-100-00-001-55 (September 2024 to June 2025) Title II

#	Name
1.	Capanna, Lisa

13. Appoint the following staff to present Professional Development Activities during the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct # 11-130-100-101-00-000-51.

#	Name
1.	Allen, Kristen

14. Appoint the following staff to present Professional Development Activities for Science throughout the 2024-2025 School Year, to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-120-100-101-00-000-60.

#	Name
1.	DeMarzo, Lori
2.	Didyoung, Donna
3.	Dollard, Aubrey
4.	Frees-Spoganetz, Kara-Lynne
5.	Kaneaster, Brenda
6.	Laface, Cynthia
7.	Leight, Kimberly
8.	Macchiarelli, Dena Marie
9.	Massa, Allison
10.	Merton, Jefferey
11.	Merton, Tracey
12.	Pekosz, Mark
13.	Pekosz, Michael
14.	Scherer, Kate
15.	Spoganetz, Peter
16.	Terwilliger, Kimberly
17.	Williams, Colleen

15. Approve the following Change of Degree for the 2024-2025 school year, effective 9/1/24 as per negotiated contract as listed:

#	Name	Location	Degree	Salary Current Degree 2024-2025	Salary Approved Degree 2024-2025
1.	Bakialian, Candice	MMS	MA	\$69,134.00	\$77,634
2.	Famula, Jill	SMS	MA +30	\$102,874.00	\$107,078
3.	Lanza, Rebecca	SMS	MA	\$60,412.00	\$65,561
4.	Lataunji, Jennifer	Sp. Ed Dept.	MA +30	\$110,403.00	\$114,614
5.	Mondesir, Tristan	LHS	MA	\$60,142.00	\$65,561
6.	Ortiz, Alyssa	SMS	MA	\$60,012.00	\$65,161
7.	Parisi, Annalisa	School No. 10	MA	\$60,012.00	\$65,161
8.	Pierson, Jamie	School No. 2	MA	\$60,944.00	\$66,294
9.	Redgate, Samantha	School No. 10	MA	\$60,412.00	\$65,561
10.	Tanis, Kyle	School No.2	MA +30	\$87,374.00	\$99,374
11.	Vasquez, Carolina	School No. 2	MA +30	\$72,835.00	\$75,889
12.	Vega, Sara	School No. 2	MA +30	\$87,824.00	\$91,324
13.	Venezio, Laura	School No. 5 & School No. 9	MA +30	\$102,874.00	\$107,078

16. Reimburse the following staff listed for tuition costs in accordance with the associated agreement between the Linden Board of Education and the Linden Education Association:

#	Name	Location	Spring 2024 Tuition Reimbursement
1.	Alba, Tanue	School No. 2	\$1,125.00
2.	Del Prete, Joseph	LHS	\$1,483.50
3.	Dolan, Claudia	Travel	\$1,879.81
4.	Glass, Mark	LHS	\$3,759.63
5.	Kaneaster, Brenda	MMS	\$1,500.00
6.	Kennaway, Vanessa	School No. 2	\$3,759.63
7.	Lisowski, Christian	MMS	\$1,879.81

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#	Name	Location	Spring 2024 Tuition Reimbursement
8.	Rodrigues, Samantha	School No. 1 & School No. 6	\$1,879.81
9.	Rogakos, Theresa	School No. 9	\$3,759.63
10.	Sirleaf, Victoria	MMS	\$1,500.00
11.	Vega, Sara	School No. 2	\$1,879.81
12.	Wilson, Brittany	School No. 9	\$3,759.63

17. Reimburse the following employee for tuition costs in accordance with the LASA Agreement:

#	Name	Location	Spring 2024 Reimbursement for Educational Expenses
1.	Kondratowicz, Dariusz	Admin. Bldg.	\$3,570.00

18. Appoint the following Alternative School Program during the 2024-2025 school year, as listed below; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$33/hr. Acct. #11-423-100-101-00-000-25.

#	Name	Position
1.	Abalos, Roxanne	Math Teacher
2.	Batz, Erin	PE Teacher
3.	Carrion, Alicia	Spec. Ed English Teacher (Substitute)
4.	Czajkowski, Brandon	PE Teacher
5.	Decker, Boyd	ROTC
6.	Edvalson, Sarah	English Teacher (Sub)
7.	Foy, Assumpta	French Teacher
8.	Genovay-Gall, Andrea	Sp. Ed. Math Teacher (Substitute)
9.	Golebiewski, Laura	Career Counselor
10.	Harkness, Thomas	Engineering Teacher
11.	Marchese, Diana	English Teacher (Substitute)
12.	Mera, Julian	ESL Teacher

18. Continued:

#	Name	Position
13.	Nacelus, Kebner	Math Teacher
14.	Russo, Joseph	History Teacher
15.	Schafer, Eric	PE Teacher
16.	Schiedemann, Eric	History Teacher
17.	Todd, Terri	School Counselor
18.	Vlastaras, Sotirios	Business/Economics Teacher
19.	Walker, Jenise	Social Worker
20.	Walsh, Dillon	English Teacher
21.	Warner, James	Health Teacher
22.	Zeidan, Abdelmonem	Sp. Ed. Science Teacher

19. Appoint the following School Administrators to work the Saturday School Program during the 2024-2025 school year as listed below; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$50/hr.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Campo, Nicole	10.	McGhee, Laurence
2.	Crawley, Rachelle	11.	Monaco, Angelo
3.	Devaney, Ryan	12.	Orejuela, Stephanie
4.	Happel, Wayne	13.	Principato, Angela
5.	Joven, Maribel	14.	Stefanick, Marie
6.	Koonce, Charles	15.	Thurston, Kevin
7.	Long, Gwendolyn		
8.	Marchesi, Renata		
9.	Mastriano, William		

20. Appoint the following staff to work the Saturday Program at the locations listed below for the 2024-2025 school year as listed below; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-140-100-101-00-000-00 (Teachers), 11-000-266-100-01-000-00 (Crisis Intervention)

Soehl			
#	Name	#	Name
1.	Alleyne-Miller, Tricia	14.	Kreisberg, Francine
2.	Campo, Michael	15.	Ladoo, Loni

20. Continued:

Soehl			
3.	James, Elizabeth	16.	Todd, Terri
Linden High School			
#	Name	#	Name
4.	Ausman, Ilju	17.	Marchese, Diana
5.	Abalos, Roxanne	18.	Mohan, Meghann
6.	Alvarez, Jorge	19.	Paskewich, Christopher
7.	Bachan, Meenadaye	20.	Pekosz, Mark
8.	Carter-Blocker, Lakhia	21.	Pekosz, Michael
9.	Ceballo, Elba	22.	Potts, Derrick
10.	Czajkowski, Brandon	23.	Sepulveda, Holly
11.	Foy, Assumpta	24.	Taylor, Craig
12.	Gonzalez, Alberto	25.	Thomas, Alice
13.	Kirby, Starlette	26.	Uddin, Zareena

21. Appoint the following staff to work before and after school security for the 2024-2025 School Year, as listed below to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-120-100-101-00-000-00, 11-130-100-101-00-000-00, 11-140-100-101-00-000-00 (Teachers), 11-000-266-100-01-000-00 (Crisis/Hall Monitors), 11-190-100-106-00-002-00 (Paraprofessionals/Part-time School Aides).

School No. 1			
#	Name	#	Name
1.	Edwards, Kelly	163.	Maloney, Amy
2.	Geller, Jaime	164.	Ourtiage-Young, Evelyne
3.	Graham, Andrew	165.	Rivera, Justine
4.	Hernandez, Jose	166.	Robinson, Sabina
5.	Jackson, Rebecca	167.	Rosenthal, Lauren
6.	Jimenez, Aimee	168.	Tripodi, Dominick
7.	Kotick, Melissa	169.	Winstead, Chanel
8.	Madej, Bogumila		
School No. 2			
9.	Addeo, Laura	170.	Isaac, Nadege
10.	Angelo, Adriana	171.	Johnson, Tarae

21. Continued:

School No. 2			
11.	Argentiere, Janice	172.	Kennaway, Vanessa
12.	Ardry, Debra	173.	Kowalski, Patricia
13.	Bagnati, Lisa	174.	Lambrakopoulos, Pelagia
14.	Barrantes, Stacy	175.	Lieberum, Sarah
15.	Betines, Jessica	176.	Lubeski, Alexandra
16.	Browne- Compaore, Alvia	177.	Martins, Nicholas
17.	Calcagno, Andrea	178.	Mason, Joanne
18.	Carlos, Alyssa	179.	Matta, Diana
19.	Cigol, Karen	180.	Mazurek, Melissa
20.	Colacitti, Phyllis	181.	Moore, Shaliek
21.	Conroy, Catherine	182.	Morales, Claudia
22.	Crawford, Latoya	183.	Mostafa, Sarah
23.	Dejesus, Jessica	184.	Munoz, Gabrielle
24.	Destito, Melissa	185.	Pagan, Maria
25.	Diaz, Michelle	186.	Pardillo, Patricia
26.	Dolan, Claudia	187.	Parra, Roberto
27.	Donner, Shannon	188.	Petrin, Nicole
28.	Downes, Meagan	189.	Pierson, Jamie
29.	Edens, Huriya	190.	Quispe, Ashley
30.	Esteves, Cristina	191.	Rojas, Laura
31.	Fahy, Meaghan	192.	Rynkowski, Agnieszka
32.	Farrell, Melissa	193.	Schlegel, Kelly
33.	Feliciano, Ashley	194.	Seabrook-Woo, Grace
34.	Givens, Tionna	195.	Shaw, Susan
35.	Glover, Chyna	196.	Squeglia, Wendy
36.	Gonzalez, Lisa	197.	Tanis, Kyle
37.	Halsey, Lonza	198.	Vasquez, Carolina
38.	Hill, Emily	199.	Vega, Sara
39.	Huggins, Erica	200.	Vilardi, Heather
40.	Hunt, Catherine	201.	White, Lisa
41.	Inguaggiato, Vasiliki	202.	Williams, Merzedez
		203.	Wisnowski, Karen

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School No. 4			
42.	Attanasio, Nicole	204.	Kostis, Fotini
43.	Brunton, Laura	205.	Makowsky, Stephanie
44.	Cardenas, Gisselle	206.	Phalon, Jennifer
45.	Cardenas, Luz	207.	Rodriguez, Gladys
46.	Cardenas, Stephanie	208.	Schweikardt, Michelle
47.	Feliciano, Vanessa	209.	Superior, Genevieve
48.	Hernandez Folgar, Marilyn		
School No. 6			
49.	Bodden, Jami	210.	Kolakowski, Theresa
50.	Carson, Rachel	211.	Kruse, Kim
51.	Conway, Danielle	213.	Naut, Heather
52.	Dades, Nicole	214.	Ortiz, Susan
53.	DeBrizzi, Jared	215.	Pacheco, Tania
54.	Didyoung, Donna	216.	Push, Leah
55.	Kelly, Jessica	217.	Skrelja, Lisa
56.	Kenney, Kelly		
School No. 8			
57.	Finn, Jessica	218.	Pierce, Nicole
58.	Hiltwein, Liana	219.	Rameriz-Rivera, Pia
59.	Gobel, Annmarie	220.	Reider, Nicole
60.	Gonzalez, Vickie	221.	Schweikardt, Amanda
61.	Kurtz, Robert	222.	Spicigo, Ann-Marie
62.	Orlando, Brenda		
School No. 9			
63.	Barbosa, Karina	223.	Murray, Teresa
64.	Booker, Dinell	224.	Orcutt, Sherry
65.	Dominguez-Sinaris, Angelie	225.	Pereira, Amy
66.	Gallo, Maria	226.	Rogakos, Theresa
67.	Getchies, Connie	227.	Rosa, Deborah
68.	Howlett, Lisa	228.	Ruchalski, Marissa
69.	Jaldin, Gabriela	229.	Sarris, Maria
70.	Kotulski, Urszula	230.	Sestito, Vanessa
71.	Kurek, Angela	231.	Wilson, Brittany
72.	Marcus, Brian		

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School No. 10			
73.	Azevedo, Deborah	232.	Kupka, Larissa
74.	Bornstad, Robin	234.	Marcano, Maxine
75.	Carbone, Sherre	235.	Mendez, Wendy
76.	Clark, Jennifer	236.	Powell, Mary Ann
77.	Coehlo, Daisy	237.	Reilly, Doreen
78.	Desir, Ruben	238.	Richards, Amber
School No. 10			
79.	Diaz, Shellah	239.	Ruiz, Arlene
80.	Estrada, Skylar	240.	Thode, Katherine
81.	Kefalas, Kim Marie	241.	Vincent, Catherine
McManus Middle School			
82.	Adelfattah, Sana	242.	Ley, Patricia
83.	Airo, Francesco	243.	Lozinski, Stephanie
84.	Benner, Lynn	244.	Macchiarelli, Dena
85.	Bersin, Angela	245.	Maresco, Ferdinand
86.	Brewer, Erin	246.	Marretta, Kathleen
87.	Casey, Yolanda	247.	Motley, Brenda
88.	Corcoran, Gary	248.	Olsen, Kerri
89.	Cortes, Leonardo	249.	Parczewska, Beata
90.	Donovan, Zachary	250.	Pasquarelli Stier, Giuliana
91.	Eltringham, Christine	251.	Patterson, Shaquanna
92.	Fernandes, Jennifer	252.	Penaranda, Sobeida
93.	Godos, Joseline	253.	Prata, Rebeca
94.	Gregg, James	254.	Ribeca, Alicia
95.	Harkness, Thomas	255.	Santiago, Sara
96.	Higgins, Melissa	256.	Schoenfelder, Katusca
97.	Hu, John	257.	Schulz, Howard
98.	James, Kathleen	258.	Sullivan, Heather
99.	Kaneaster, Brenda	259.	Ventura, Anthony

21. Continued:

Soehl Middle School			
100.	Abalos, Roxanne	260.	Hasenhauer, Francis
101.	Baran, Gwendolyn	261.	James, Elizabeth
102.	Barbosa, Hugo	262.	Kuban, Natasha
103.	Beckhorn, Frank	263.	Ladoo, Loni
104.	Campo, Michael	264.	Mastriano, Michael
105.	Candia, Deon	265.	McPhaul, Bertha
106.	DeChiaro, Laurie	266.	Millstein, Aaron
107.	DeFelice, Jessica	267.	Okun, Debbie
Soehl Middle School			
108.	Demarest, Kewana	268.	Penaranda-Zamora, Eliana
109.	Fernandes, Rosanna	269.	Petit-Frere, Jude
110.	Findlay, Kevin	270.	Tauriello, Valerie
111.	Fisher, Ashley N.	271.	Wang, Xueling
112.	Garcia, Destiny	272.	Wilson, Wanda
113.	Gatoulis, Irene		
Linden High School			
114.	Abalos, Roxanne	273.	Jacobs, Nornette
115.	Alvarez, Jorge	274.	Joseph, Edward
116.	Aman, William	275.	Juliano, Laurie
117.	Anderson, Teal	276.	Kelly, Jeffrey
118.	Ausman, Ilju	277.	Kirby, Starlette
119.	Bachan, Meenadaye	278.	Krill, Bradford
120.	Batz, Erin	279.	Lisk, Jessica
121.	Bender, Jonathan	280.	Lovrensky, Lacey
122.	Bijukovic, Tomislav	281.	Maggio, Melissa
123.	Brant, Elizabeth	282.	Makarewicz, Emily
124.	Calatayud, Melanie	283.	Marchese, Diana
125.	Caputo, Ralph	284.	Maresco, Alexander
126.	Carter-Blocker, Lakhia	285.	Massa, Allison
127.	Ceballo, Elba	286.	Mannuzza, Gia-Nicole
128.	Chiola, Albert	287.	McDonald, Daniel
129.	Coppa, Zachary	288.	Medley, Richard

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Linden High School			
130.	Czajkowski, Brandon	289.	Medrano, Darby
131.	Danzy, Jennifer	290.	Meyers, Lauren
132.	Davis, Ebony	291.	Mohan, Meghann
133.	Decker, Boyd	292.	Moore, Quadri
134.	Dejean, Michael	293.	Motley, Derrick
135.	Dello Russo, Marissa	294.	Orcutt, Timothy
136.	Delprete, Joseph	295.	Orth, James
137.	Donegan, Patricia	296.	Paskewich, Christopher
138.	Edvalson, Sarah	297.	Patterson, Shamona
139.	Fischetti, Anthony	298.	Pekosz, Mark
140.	Foy, Assumpta	299.	Plungis-Conrad, Patricia
141.	George, Megan	300.	Potts, Derrick
142.	Golebiewski, Laura	301.	Radil, Mark
143.	Gombocz, Nicholas	302.	Reinoso, Anthony
144.	Gonzalez, Alberto	303.	Riggi, Fran
145.	Gonzalez, Kelly	304.	Rotola, Rebecca
146.	Grasso, David	305.	Rusinko, Kimberly
147.	Grasso, Greta	306.	Russo, Joseph
148.	Gurski, Joseph	307.	Sejas, Michael
149.	Heffernan-Louka, Debra	308.	Sepulveda, Holly
150.	Hu, Lin Lin	309.	Silverman, Dina
151.	Sporer, Kharry	310.	Walker, Jenise
152.	Taylor, Craig	311.	Walker, Karen
153.	Thomas, Alice	312.	Warhaftig, Dana
154.	Uddin, Zarena	313.	Whitmore, Howard
155.	Vasquez, Genesis	314.	Zolotucha-Skiba, Anna
156.	Velez, Mark		
157.	Vitoroulis, Kaliopi		
Academy of Excellence			
158.	Carrion, Alicia	315.	Sellari, Michael
159.	Genovay-Gall, Andrea	316.	Stapleton, Corey
160.	George, Brandon	317.	Vlastaras, Sotirios
161.	Lisk, Jessica	318.	William-Warner, Lisa
162.	Mark, Emma	319.	Zeiden, Abdelmonem

22. Appoint the following staff to work the Academic Counseling Program for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-120-100-101-00-000-00, 11-130-100-101-00-000-00, 11-140-100-101-00-000-00 (Teachers), 11-000-266-100-01-000-00 (Crisis/Hall Monitors), 11-190-100-106-00-002-00.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Abalos, Roxanne	13.	Marchese, Diana
2.	Alexandre, Daphne	14.	Maresco, Alexander
3.	Anderson, Teal	15.	Mark, Emma
4.	Ausman, Ilju	16.	Olden, Marissa
5.	Calatayud, Melanie	17.	Orth, James
6.	Carrion, Alicia	18.	Paskewich, Christopher
7.	Carter-Blocker, Lakhia	19.	Patterson, Shamona
8.	Czajkowski, Brandon	20.	Reyes, David
9.	Edvalson, Sarah	21.	Scheidemann, Eric
10.	Genovay-Gall, Andrea	22.	Taylor, Craig
11.	Glass, Mark	23.	Walker, Jenise
12.	Kirby, Starlette		

23. Appoint the following instructional support staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25. To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$25/hr. Account #20-454-100-100-00-000-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Beckhorn, Frank	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
2.	Bowers, Melissa	Instructional Support Staff
3.	Castillo-Diaz, Alan	Instructional Support Staff
4.	DeChiaro, Laurie	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
5.	Donovan, Joanna	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
6.	Fisher, Ashley	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
7.	Hudson, Nancy	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
8.	Johnson, Robin	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
9.	Linton, Linda	Instructional Support Staff
10.	Martins, Lisa	Substitute Instructional Support Staff

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#	Name	Position
11.	Martins, Nicholas	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
12.	Nelson, Tamar	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
13.	Parker, Terry	Instructional Support Staff
14.	Rollis Safner, Melanie	Instructional Support Staff
15.	Santiago, Sara	Substitute Instructional Support Staff
16.	Schmitz, Melissa	Instructional Support Staff
17.	Schmitz, Richard	Instructional Support Staff
18.	Wilson, Wanda	Substitute Instructional Support Staff

24. Appoint the following security support staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25. To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$25/hr. Account #20-454-200-100-00-001-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Beckhorn, Frank	Security Support Staff
2.	Bourke, Maria	Security Support Staff
3.	Campo, Michael	Security Support Staff

25. Appoint the following counseling staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25 To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$33/hr. Account #20-454-200-100-00-000-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Castillo Diaz, Alan	Social Worker

26. Appoint the following site coordinator staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25. To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$50/hr. Account #20-454-200-100-00-001-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Gonzalez, Vickie	Site Coordinator
2.	Migliore, Patrick	Substitute Site Coordinator
3.	Murphy, Meghan	Site Coordinator

27. Appoint the following lead teaching staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25. To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$35/hr. Account #20-454-200-100-00-001-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Alleyne, Tricia	Substitute Lead Teacher
2.	Baldwin, Radames	Substitute Lead Teacher
3.	Chase, Karen	Substitute Lead Teacher
4.	Garcia, Destiny	Substitute Lead Teacher
5.	Gonzalez, Vickie	Lead Teacher
6.	Ladoo, Loni	Substitute Lead Teacher
7.	Migliore, Patrick	Lead Teacher
8.	Murphy, Meghan	Lead Teacher

28. Appoint the following teaching staff for the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Soehl Middle School, effective 9/1/24 – 8/31/25. To be paid at the 21st CCLC rate of \$33/hr. Account #20-454-100-100-00-000-35-070.

#	Name	Position
1.	Alleyne, Tricia	Teacher
2.	Ayoub, Mona	Substitute Teacher
3.	Baldwin, Radames	Teacher
4.	Beckhorn, Frank	Substitute Teacher
5.	Bowen, Jennifer	Teacher
6.	Cepeda, Barbara	Substitute Teacher
7.	Chase, Karen	Teacher
8.	DeChiaro, Laurie	Teacher
9.	Dort, Jasmine	Substitute Teacher
10.	Dort, Jessica	Substitute Teacher
11.	Ederer, Caryl	Teacher
12.	Garcia, Destiny	Substitute Teacher
13.	Hermanova, Jana	Teacher
14.	Hunt, Jonette	Substitute Teacher
15.	Jones, Brenda	Substitute Teacher
16.	Kern, Jessica	Teacher

28. Continued:

#	Name	Position
17.	Ladoo, Loni	Substitute Teacher
18.	Maresco, Fred	Teacher
19.	Martins, Nicholas	Substitute Teacher
20.	Mejia, Lynn	Teacher
21.	Mosley, Kenneth	Teacher
22.	Patino, Raphael	Teacher
23.	Santiago, Sara	Substitute Teacher
24.	Wang, Xueling	Teacher

29. Appoint the following staff for the LHS Drama Production “Puffs (One Act For Young Wizards)”. Acct. #11-401-100-100-00-000-57.

#	Name	Position	Stipend
1.	Rivera, David	Director	\$2,700
2.	Cosby, Duane	Technical Director/Assistant Director	\$850
3.	Warhaftig, Dana	Stage Manager	\$600
4.	Vincent, Catherine	Set Design	\$600

30. Approve the recommendation of the Superintendent to place Employee #02-24/25 on administrative leave with pay, effective 8/26/24, pending further investigation and potential administrative action.

31. Approve the following revised job descriptions, as listed:

#	Title
1.	Network Engineer

32. Appoint the following staff to teach an extra period at McManus and Soehl Middle School; to be paid at his/her per diem hourly rate (annual salary/200 days/7 hours) for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name	Subject	Location
1	Garcia, Sharon	Special Education/Multiple Disabilities/Resource	MMS
2	Olsen, Kerri	Special Education/Multiple Disabilities/Resource	MMS
3	Parczewska, Beata	Special Education / Autistic/ Resource	MMS
4	Ribeca, Alicia	Special Education/Learning Language Disabled	MMS
5.	Ladoo, Loni	Shaping Your Future	SMS

33. Approve the following staff member for 10 hours to reorganize instructional supplies and materials at Linden High School for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at a contractual rate of \$30.00/hr. Acct # 11-000-219-104-00-000-33.

#	Name
1.	Donegan, Patricia
2.	Oder, Gretchen

34. Appoint the following staff as SEMI-Coordinator for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate Acct.# 11-000-219-105-01-000-33

#	Name	Hours
1.	Arai, Kimiko	275

35. Appoint the following staff member to work for the Students with Interrupted Formal Education (S.I.F.E.) Extended Day Program at L.A.S.T. for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$33.00/hr. Not to exceed \$2,500. To be paid by Title III funds 20-241-100-100-00-000-54.

#	Name
1.	Mera, Julien

36. Appoint the following staff members as Seal of Bilitracy Test proctors for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$30/hr. Acct. #11-140-100-101-00-001-54.

#	Name
1.	Alexandre, Daphne
2.	Hu, Lin Lin
3.	Zolotoucha-Skiba, Anna

37. Appoint the following staff as Home Instructors for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$33/hr. Acct. #11-150-100-101-00-000-44.

#	Name
1.	Ausman, Ilju
2.	Burt-Moquete, Linda-Ann
3.	Carlos, Alyssa
4.	Krupski, Kimberly
5.	Lukenda, Jennifer
6.	Lukas, Dana
7.	Parczewska, Beata
8.	Pierce, Nicole
9.	Reider, Nicole
10.	Rodriquez, L'Shawn
11.	Ross, Kevin
12.	Schwartz, Beth
13.	Walker, Cynthia
14.	Williams, Hayda
15.	Winstead, Chanel
16.	Zeigler, Rachel

38. Appoint the following staff to work the NJGPA tutorial program at Linden High School for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$33/hr. Acct. #11-140-100-101-00-000-00.

#	Name
1.	Padilla, Kourtney

39. Appoint the following staff members as the Before/Aftercare Head Teacher for the 2024-2025 school year, to be paid at the rate of \$30/hr. To be paid from the Enterprise Fund as listed: #60-930-320-100-00-000-02.

#	Name
1.	Carlos, Alyssa
2.	Gallo, Maria

40. Appoint the following staff for the 2024-2025 school year for the Before/After Care Programs to work at Schools No. 1, No. 2, No. 4, No. 5, No. 6, No. 8, No. 9, No. 10; to be paid at the rate of \$25/hr. To be paid from the Enterprise Fund as listed. Acct. #60-930-320-100-00-000-02.

#	Name
1.	Carlos, Alyssa
2.	Castillo, Leidy
3.	Gallo, Maria
4.	Mimnaugh, Cathleen
5.	Ruiz, Arlene

41. Appoint the following Paraprofessionals and Part-Time School Aides as Substitute Teachers for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Alba, Tanue	16.	Jaldin, Gabriela
2.	Angelo, Adriana	17.	Lewis, Linda
3.	Arango, Maritza	18.	Matta, Diana
4.	Ayoub, Mona	19.	Molander, Iwona
5.	Beltran Naranjo, Maryorie	20.	Morales, Claudia
6.	Bronco, Beth Ann	21.	Pappagallo, Lisa
7.	DeJesus, Jessica	22.	Polini, Mary Ann

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#	Name	#	Name
8.	Dominguez, Andrea	23.	Rivas, Claribel
9.	Estrada, Skyla	24.	Seabrook-Woo, Grace
10.	Facchini, Corinne	25.	Sornavel, Subashini
11.	Freitas, Christopher	26.	Tawfik, Mervat
12.	Garcia De Cardenas, Olivia	27.	Terrelonge, Tamarra
13.	Garcia, Natalie	28.	Thompson, Lisa
14.	Georgs, Dawn	29.	Velez Cadavid, Cristian
15.	Hunt, Joenette	30.	Wlodarczyk, Beata
16.	Isaac, Nadegea	31.	Wozniak, Faith

42. Appoint the following staff members to translate verbal/ written communication for the 2024-2025 school year as needed. To be paid the contractual rate. Acct.#11-120-100-101-00-000-04, 11-130-100-101-00-000-04, 11-140-100-101-00-000-04.

#	Name	Language
1.	Abdelfattah, Sana	Arabic
2.	Alexandre, Daphne	Haitian, Creole
3.	Bader, Rania	Arabic
4.	Balda, Marybel	Spanish
5.	Etienne, Mijjeanne	Haitian- Creole, French, Spanish
6.	Fernandes, Jennifer	Spanish. Portuguese
7.	Mendez-Torres, Josefina	Spanish
8.	Pelesz, Anna	Polish
9.	Penaranda, Eliana	Spanish
10.	Penaranda, Sobeida	Spanish
11.	Ramos, Susan	Spanish
12.	Ruiz, Arlene	Spanish
13.	Santiago, Abigail	Spanish
14.	Vergara, Deidamia	Spanish
15.	Zolotucha-Skiba, Anna	Polish

43. Appoint the following staff to support community engagement events for the Multilingual learner department for the 2024-2025 school year. To be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-000-221-105-00-001-00.

#	Name	Location
1.	Gogna, Seema	Arabic
2.	Granados, Vanessa	Spanish
3.	Lormejuste, Winnie	Haitian, Creole
4.	Perretti, Savana	Spanish
5.	Skorput Lazur, Florencia	Spanish

44. Approve the following School Nurses as Medical Bus Aides for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the per diem rate. Acct. #11-000-213-100-00-001-00.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Ryans-James, Patricia	9.	Goeller, Colleen
2.	Jacobs, Nornette	10.	Bijukovic, Tomislav
3.	Shahamat, Aliyyah	11.	DeMartinis, Colleen
4.	Thomas, Carol	12.	Warner, James
5.	Opaola, Patience	13.	Aguirre, Digna
6.	Kornegay, Muneerah	14.	Radil, Elizabeth
7.	McCarthy, Tara	15.	Zatko, Stella
8.	Marcano, Maxine	16.	Orozco, Frances

45. Appoint the following staff member to work as a Part-time Aide for the 2024-2025 school year. Acct. #11-422-100-100-00-000-00.

#	Name	Location
1.	Mandela, Monica	School No. 8

46. Appoint the following Substitute Secretaries for the 2024-2025 school year. To be paid at the contractual rate of \$15.75/hr. Acct. #11-000-221-105-00-001-00

#	Name
1.	Trujillo, Norma

47. Compensate custodial staff holding boiler license for the 2024-2025 school year as per LEA negotiated agreement, as listed:

#	Name	Amount
1.	Blocker, Richard	\$500.00

48. Appoint the following Substitute Custodians for the 2024-2025 school year at \$15.75/hr. as listed:

#	Name
1.	Aikens, Shia
2.	Cekic, Medin
3.	Reid, Robert
4.	Wahner, Yeimy

49. Appoint the following staff to work as Athletic Ticket Sales for various events throughout the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-402-100-100-00-000-00.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Capers, Ula	7.	Kuban, Natasha
2.	Carter, Lakhia	8.	McDonald, Daniel
3.	Conrad, Patricia	9.	Rivera, Justine
4.	Cunningham, Katie	10.	Royster, Whitney
5.	Hasenauer, Frank	11.	Strazdaz, Maureen
6.	Koziol, Kelly	12.	Tauriello, Valerie

50. Appoint the following staff to work as Athletic Security for various events throughout the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate. Acct. #11-402-100-100-00-000-00.

#	Name	#	Name
1.	Anderson, Teal	28.	Koziol, Kelly
2.	Batz, Erin	29.	Kuban, Natasha
3.	Beckhorn, Frank	30.	Ladoo, Loni
4.	Berson, Angela	31.	Marino, Michael

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#	Name	#	Name
5.	Brant, Elizabeth	32.	Martins, Alberto
6.	Campo, Michael	33.	McDonald, Daniel
7.	Carter, Lakhia	34.	Medley, Richard
8.	Casey, Yolanda	35.	Medrano, Darby
9.	Chiola, Albert	36.	Motley, Brenda
10.	Colvin, Chafonda	37.	Motley, Derrick
11.	Conrad, Patricia	38.	Moore, Quadir
12.	Cunningham, Katie	39.	Naumowicz, Peter
13.	Czajkowski, Brandon	40.	Orcutt, Timothy
14.	DelloRusso, Marissa	41.	Parker, Greg
15.	Donovan, Zachery	42.	Parker, Terry
16.	Dynda, Stephen	43.	Paskewich, Christopher
17.	Ederer, Caryl	44.	Radil, Mark
18.	Findlay, Kevin	45.	Rivera, Justine
19.	Fisher, Ashley	46.	Schafer, Eric
20.	Gabriel, Marvin	47.	Sejias, Micheal
21.	George, Brandon	48.	Singh, Matthew
22.	Gregg, James	49.	Strazdas, Maureen
23.	Harper, James	50.	Tauriello, Valerie
24.	Hasenaur, Frank	51.	Ventura, Anthony
25.	Hernandez, Jose	52.	Wade, Desmond
26.	James, Elizabeth		
27.	Kelly, Jeffrey		

51. Appoint the following as Volunteer Coaches for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name	Sport
1.	Ingram, William	Linden High School Football
2.	Nelson, Thamar	Linden High School Girls Volleyball
3.	Parker, Gregory	Linden High School Girls Basketball
4.	Patterson, Shawn	Linden High School Football
5.	Pozyc, Michael	Linden High School Football
6.	Rodriguez, Lexis	Linden High School Girls Basketball
7.	Sznurkowski, Emily	Linden High School Boys Soccer
8.	Ventura, Ashley	Linden High School Girls Volleyball

52. Appoint the Health Service staff for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name	Assignment	Salary
1.	Schulman, Joseph D.O.	Chief Medical Inspector	\$5,000.00
2.	Bezozo, Richard M.D.	Physician	\$4,000.00

53. Appoint the following Physicians listed as team Doctors for the 2024-2025 football season.

#	Name	Assignment	Salary
1.	Bezozo, Richard M.D./ Care Station	Varsity Games	\$400.00 per game
2.	Lukenda, Robert D.O.	Sub-Varsity Games	\$400.00 per game
3.	Schulman, Joseph D.O.	Sub-Varsity Games	\$400.00 per game

54. Appoint the following as a Volunteer for the Physical Education Department at McManus Middle School for the 2024-2025 school year.

#	Name
1.	Padavano, Allyson

55. Appoint the following coaches for the Sports listed below for 2024-2025 school year:

#	Name	Position	Sport	Salary	Step
1.	Valentino, Rudy	Head Coach	Girls Wrestling	\$7,605.00	3
2.	Chiola, Albert	Head Coach	Girls Flag Football	\$6,016.00	3
3.	Reinoso, Anthony	Assistant Coach	Girls Flag Football	\$5,280.00	3
4.	George, Brandon	Assistant Coach	Boys Football	\$8,088.00	3
5.	Phipps, Kyle	Assistant Coach	Girls Basketball	\$6,853.00	3

56. Appoint the following staff members as Special Olympic Coaches for the 2024-2025 school year; to be paid at the contractual rate of \$30/hr. Acct. #11-402-100-100-00-00.

#	Name
1.	Carlos, Alyssa
2.	Castillo, Alan

57. Appoint the following Substitute Teachers for the 2024-2025 school year at the rate listed:

Days	Fully-Certified	Provisional/County Certified
1 -25	\$200.00	\$200.00
25 +	\$200.00	\$200.00

#	Name
1.	Anitului, Justina
2.	Delacruz, Joshua
3.	Faucher, Kenderly
4.	Hiotakis, Tori
5.	Krum, Ryan
6.	Ramirez, Briana
7.	Perez, Rosangela
8.	Ribeiro, Vera
9.	Rodriguez, Lexis

58. Reappoint the following Substitute Teachers for the 2024-2025 school year at the rate of \$200/day as listed:

#	Name	#	Name	#	Name
1.	Alicea, Darlene	16.	Kapo, Amna	31.	Rocafort, Lourdes
2.	Bailey, Jane'e	17.	Khan, Badrul	32.	Rodriguez, Carissa
3.	Belvin, Jada	18.	Kubiak, Bonnie	33.	Rodriguez, Lilibeth
4.	Bodiford, Shakeena	19.	Mallard, Robert	34.	Russell-Jackson, Cheray
5.	Bowen, Jennifer	20.	Marino, Evan	35.	Simoos, Brianna
6.	Bronikowski, Karen	21.	Mejia, Lynn	36.	Smith, Amy
7.	Brown, Mechi	22.	Molenaar, Carla	37.	Sorinwa, Aiyetutu
8.	Conrad, Hilton	23.	Mondesir, Duhamel	38.	Southward, Barbara
9.	English, Cheryl	24.	Nieto, Amelia	39.	Tomko, Wayne
10.	Foy-Kougha, Pierette	25.	Olveira, Elena	40.	VanAllen, Ronald
11.	Garcia, Andres	26.	Patino, Raphael	41.	Vein, Linda
12.	Gerber, Richard	27.	Petit-Homme, Mica	42.	Virgili, Patrick
13.	Harrison, Danielle	28.	Pinchinat, Marvin	43.	Walsh, Brigit
14.	Hora, Kayci	29.	Price, Direne	44.	Williams, Jordyn
15.	Jones, Brenda	30.	Ravi, Gayathri		
	Jones, Deborah				

MOTIONS 1 – 58:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X	#5/18, 23, 33	
Ms. Pino			X		
Ms. Thomas		X	X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead	X		X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 – 58 carried.

Dr. Berghammer said at this time any newly appointed staff members who would like to say something may do so.

Various new hirers spoke.

1. Appoint the following staff as listed:

#	*Name	Effective Date	Degree	Credited Exp./ Step	Assigned Subj. Area	Bldg. /Dept.	Spec./ Prog. Or Budget	Total Annual Salary Rate
<b>CERTIFIED</b>								
<b>1.</b>	<b>Bacelos, Anamaria</b>	<b>9/16/24</b>	<b>BA</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>School Nurse</b>	<b>SMS</b>	<b>Budget/R</b>	<b>\$75,574</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Sjonell, Jamie</b>	<b>9/16/24</b>	<b>MA</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>School Counselor</b>	<b>LHS</b>	<b>Budget/R</b>	<b>\$65,161</b>

2. Accept the resignation of the following staff:

#	Name	Assignment	Location	Effective Date
<b>1.</b>	<b>Orozco, Frances</b>	<b>District Float Nurse</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>10/25/24</b>

At this time Ms. Armstead made a motion to approve the missing agenda items from Personnel, seconded by Ms. Pino.

MOTIONS 1 – 2:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino		X	X		
Ms. Thomas			X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead	X		X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 – 2 carried.

The Finance Committee, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Business Administrator/Board Secretary, presents the following motions to the Linden Board of Education for approval:

1. BE IT RESOLVED that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)(4) the Linden Board of Education certifies that, after review of the Board Secretary's and Treasurer's monthly financial report (appropriation section), and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, to the best of our knowledge, no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(a)(1) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.  
  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Linden Board of Education accepts the reports of the Secretary and the Treasurer, and certifies that they are in agreement for the month of July 2024. (Copies in the hands of Board members and on file in the Office of the Business Administrator/Board Secretary).
2. Authorize the Board Secretary to draw warrants due for the salaries and supplemental payroll for the month of August 2024.
3. Authorize the Board Secretary to draw warrants in the amounts specified in favor of the persons named: (as per list submitted in the files and bookkeeping journal – copy of which will become a part of these original minutes). (See attachment).
4. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-13.3 the Linden Board of Education approves the list of transfers and adjustments for the month of July 2024. (Copies in the hands of Board members and on file in the Office of the Business Administrator/Board Secretary).
5. Student Activities Report (Linden High School) for the month of July 2024. (Copies in hands of Board Members and on file in the office of the Business Administrator/Board Secretary).
6. Accept funds in the amount of \$600.00 from the Blackbaud Giving Fund, Charleston, SC, on behalf of Kathy Collazo to support the fundraising efforts of Heather Collazo. The monies will be sent to the School No. 6 PTA.
7. Accept funds in the amount of \$475,000.00 from New Jersey Department of Education for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center Grant Award for the 2024-2025 grant year.
8. Accept funds in the amount of \$250.00 from Groundwork Elizabeth “Union County Kids Dig in Grant”, Elizabeth, NJ, to be deposited in Acct. #20-035-100-610-00-000-10-115.
9. Accept funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Linden Bagel Shop Deli LLC, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
10. Accept funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Commuter Cleaners, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.

11. Accept funds in the amount of \$150.00 from Villani Bus Company, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
12. Accept funds in the amount of 100.00 from ITD Consulting, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
13. Accept funds in the amount of \$150.00 from Linden Education Association, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
14. Accept funds in the amount of \$200.00 from Linden School Administrators and Supervisors Association, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
15. Accept funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Pho Minh's Inc., Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
16. Accept funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Julien's, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
17. Accepts funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Capodagli Charitable, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
18. Accepts funds in the amount of \$20.00 from III Amici Ristorante, Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of fame.
19. Accepts funds in the amount of \$50.00 from Nobel Equipment & Supplies, Inc., Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
20. Accept funds in the amount of \$150.00 from Suplee, Clooney & Company LLC., Westfield, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
21. Accept funds in the amount of \$300.00 from Care Station MSO, LLC., Linden, NJ, for the Athletic Hall of Fame.
22. Accept the Special Olympics Grant in the amount of \$1,000.00 for the 2024-2025 school year.
23. Accept non-public funding for the 2024-2025 school year for Mosdos Bobov Linden and Sinai Christian Academy in the following amounts:

#	Nonpublic Fund	Description	Amount
1.	Nonpublic Security Aid	Mosdos Bobov Linden	\$ 1,025.00
		Sinai Christian Academy	\$13,735.00
2.	Nonpublic Nursing Aid	Mosdos Bobov Linden	\$ 650.00
		Sinai Christian Academy	\$ 8,710.00
3.	Nonpublic Technology Aid	Mosdos Bobov Linden	\$ 196.00
		Sinai Christian Academy	\$ 3,283.00
4.	Nonpublic Textbook Aid	Mosdos Bobov Linden	\$ 205.00
		Sinai Christian Academy	\$ 3,426.00

24. Approve a penny wars fundraiser throughout the district for the district's breast cancer awareness walk.
25. Approve the renewal quote from Quizizz of Santa Monica, CA for quizzes and gamified learning experience for the 2024-2025 school year at a cost of \$13,860.00.
26. Approve School No. 4 to participate in the Childhood Hunger Initiative Power Pack program sponsored by the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority of Union County during the 2024-2025 school year. The program will involve fifty-five students, discretely providing free meals and snacks over the weekends and during long breaks to families in need.
27. Approve the contract with AA East, LLC DBA AllShifts, Newark, NJ to provide nurse staffing as needed for the Linden Board of Education for the 2024-2025 school year at the following rates:

#	Description
1.	Nurse's Aides/Assistants \$30.49/hour Weekdays
2.	Practical/Vocational Nurses \$50.49/hour Weekdays
3.	Registered Nurses \$70.49/hour Weekdays
4.	Supervisors \$80.49/hour Weekdays
5.	Crisis Pay (optional, as needed) +\$10/hour (for all shifts)

28. Approve the purchase of SAAS Cloud Version of Visitor Management Solution for one site (LAST building including support, webcams, barcode readers, ID Parsing SW License, as well as supplies, configuration, installation and training for said system, from KT's Office Services of Lanoka Harbor, NJ, at a cost of \$5,132.00, under NJ State contract #M0483-89974, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-252-730-00-000-02.
29. Approve the Schedule of Rental Charges. (Copies in the hands of Board members.)
30. Approve the district to participate in the Allied States Cooperative Contract for the 2024-2025 school year.

31. Approve the purchase of the following equipment and supplies from Map Restaurant supplies for the Cafeterias under the Food Service supplies and equipment Bid#HCESC-Cat-22-08 Cooperative at the following locations, to be charged to the cafeteria account:

School	Description	Amount
District	One (1) Food Processor / Benchtopy and Countertop and associated supplies	\$ 3,852.46
	Two (2) Food Processor and Benchtopy and countertop and associated supplies	\$ 8,374.30
McManus Middle School	Two (2) Cash Register Stand and associated Supplies	\$ 7,371.00
	One (1) Serving Counter for Cold Food and associated supplies	\$ 14,043.50
School No. 2	One (1) Food Slicer electric and associated supplies	\$ 10,193.20
	Four (4) Wire Shelving and parts	\$ 168.20
	Two (2) Bun / Sheet Pan Racks and associated parts	\$ 2,012.67
Linden High School	Two (2) Display Merchandiser, heated for multi-product and associated parts:	\$ 9,603.00
	Two (2) Refrigerated Merchandiser and associated parts	\$ 7,810.00

32. Approve the following contract renewal for the 2024-2025 school year as listed:

Vendor	Amount	Service
ZOHO Corporation 4141 Hacienda Drive Pleasanton, CA 94588	\$3,940.00 11-190-100-500-00-000-20	Management Engine AD360
CDW (Smartnet) 75 Remittance Drive Chicago, IL 60675	\$51,671.06	Cisco Maintenance

33. Approve the contract renewal with Rahway YMCA for the 2024-2025 school year for the Linden High School Swim Team to utilize the swimming pool and other appropriate facilities from November 25, 2024, through February 21, 2025, Monday through Friday from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at a contract rate of \$14,000.00.
34. Approve the contract in an amount not to exceed \$10,500.00 with E-rate Consulting, Inc., Montclair, NJ, to provide technical services for the E-rate funding application processes for the period effective immediately through June 30, 2025. (Fee is in accordance with the Category One and Two fee structure as required by E-rate regulations).

35. Approve the contract in an amount not to exceed \$13,000.00 with Energy for America, Inc., Roseland, NJ, for professional engineering services in connection with the preparation of applications for new, corrected or renewal of NJDEP Air Quality Permits and amendments as needed for all district buildings.
36. Approve the proposal from M&M Construction of Cranford, NJ, the district's Time and Material vendor, to furnish and install a ceiling grid and lights for the main office and principal's office at School No. 9 at a cost of \$20,500.00, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-400-450-00-000-02.
37. Approve the proposal from Signarama of Kenilworth, NJ, for the installation of cast aluminum letters (reading "School No. 4") for the front of School No. 4, at a cost of \$4,300.00, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-400-450-00-000-02.
38. Approve the following Board Members to serve on the district's negotiations committee:

#	Name
1.	Dr. Marlene Berghammer
2.	Lymari Cintron
3.	Samuel De La Cruz
4.	Malaysia Thomas
5.	Brianna Armstead (alternate)
6.	Antoinette Pino (alternate)
7.	Kimberly Ullisse (alternate)

39. Appoint the following ad hoc committee for the review of the Open Board of Education seat created in August 2024:

#	Name
1.	Dr. Marlene Berghammer
2.	Malaysia Thomas
3.	Brianna Armstead
4.	Lymari Cintron

40. Renew a contract with Benefit Resource, Inc. Rochester, NY, for COBRA Administration, Flexible Spending Account (FSA) services and Commuter Benefit Plan (CBP) services at a fee not to exceed \$40,000.00, to be charged to Acct. #11-000-251-330-00-000-02.
41. Grant approval to submit the USA Girls Flag Football grant application for establishing a Girls Flag Football Program in the Linden Public School District for the 2024-2025 school year.

42. Authorize the use of Omella.com for use in its online fundraising efforts for district events, activities, clubs and programs.
43. BE IT RESOLVED that the Linden Board of Education authorizes H2M Architects and Engineers to submit the application for HVAC Upgrade at the Cafeteria at School No. 4 to the New Jersey Department of Education as an Other Capital project and that the Board is not seeking state funding, and to amend the District’s Long Range Facility Plan as needed.
44. Declare the following as surplus equipment (obsolete and/or unusable) to be disposed of in accordance with the District Policy 7300 as follows:

Location	Quantity	Description/Model No.	Serial No. BoE
LHS	1	*SEE ATTACHED LIST	

\* Items will be donated to Linden Recreation, Linden Police Department and Linden Fire Department.

45. Bids/Quotations/Proposals as listed:
  - a) Athletic Supplies – Winter Sports – 2024-2025 (Bid #12780)  
Bid opening date: 8/6/2024

Company	Amount
BSN Sports, LLC, Dallas, TX	\$ 14,285.40
Metro Sport, Inc. (dba Metro Swim Shop), Stirling, NJ	\$ 1,582.50
Sports Paradise, Medford, NJ	\$ 9,907.20
Sportsman’s dba (George L. Haider, Inc.), Johnstown, PA	\$ 31,328.85
Bids Received – 4	

46. Approve the contract in the amount of \$30,500.00 with Trinitas Regional Medical Center, Elizabeth, NJ, for consultations with a behaviorist, for the period September 23, 2024 through June 2, 2025, to be charged to Acct. #20-218-200-321-03-000-34.
47. Accept the proposal for the RFP for Substance Abuse Counselor (RFP 25-01 submitted June 14, 2024 at 10:00 am) from Sunbel Staffing, LLC of Oldsmar, FL, they being the only submission, for September 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025 at an hourly rate of \$80.00, to be charged to Acct. #11-000-218-500-00-000-44.

- 48. Approves the proposal from Mathusek Inc. of Oakland, NJ, to perform volleyball sleeves repair and game lining at McManus Middle School gymnasium under Purchasing Cooperative HCESC-Commercial Floor Covering and Related Services #215 at a cost of \$3,969.00.
- 49. Accept the donation from Kean University as part of the district’s participation in the NJDOE Computer Science Learning Hubs of the following items, valued at up to \$1,500.00:

#	Description
1.	Makey Makey Stems Packs
2.	Bee-Bots
3.	Bee Shells
4.	Bee Bot School Map
5.	Bee Bot Neighborhood Map
6.	Scratch Coding Card Desks
7.	Scratch Jr. Coding Cards Decks
8.	Scratch Jr. Guidebooks

- 50. Accept the additional funding of an additional 8% of the original award for the high impact tutoring grant, with the entirety of the grant to be spent by June 30, 2025.
- 51. Approve the proposal from the Gillespie Group of Dayton, NJ, to install carpet tile for the following areas at the following costs under NJ State Co-op #65MCESCCPS - ESCNJ Bid #23/24-14, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-400-450-00-000-02:

#	Description	Amount
1.	Director of Technology’s Office	\$4,616.23
2.	Academy Building IT Office	\$2,514.75

- 52. Approve the proposal from the Gillespie Group of Dayton, NJ, for VCT floor replacement in Classroom 218 at the High School to replace stained carpet at a cost of \$8,376.34, under the NJ State Co-op #65-MCESCCPS- ESCNJ Bid #23/24-14, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-400-450-00-000-02.
- 53. Appoint Felicia Hankerson of Samsel and Associates Realty of Clark, NJ the district's Real Estate Agent of Record, they being the only submission received for the RFP opened due on August 28, 2024.
- 54. Accept the proposal (distributed to Board of Education) from the NJ School Boards Association of Trenton, NJ, for the 3D program for development of the District's Strategic Plan at a cost of \$4,500.00, to be charged to Acct. #11-000-230-339-00-000-01.

55. Approve the replacement of the district's Building Automation Systems for HVAC controls at School No. 4 and School No. 8 by the Automated Building Controls of Neptune, NJ under the Purchasing Co-op through Bergen CK-04, to be charged to Acct. #12-000-400-450-00-000-02, at the following costs:

#	School	Amount
1.	School No. 4	\$32,786.00
2.	School No. 8	\$39,036.00

MOTIONS 1 – 55:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino		X	X		
Ms. Thomas	X		X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 – 55 carried.

The Buildings, Grounds and Security Committee, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Business Administrator/Board Secretary, present the following motions to the Linden Board of Education for approval:

1. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Peter J. Fingerlin, Principal, School No. 2:

#	Activity/ Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>PTA Family Bingo Night</u> Cafeteria	Tuesday & Thursday 6:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m.	September 17, 2024 November 21, 2024 February 6, 2025 June 5, 2025
2.	<u>Scholastic Book Fair</u> Gross Motor Room	Tuesday & Wednesday 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	October 1,2024 March 19, 2025
3.	<u>PTA Spooky Harvest</u> Cafeteria, Gymnasium & All School Grounds	Friday 4:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	October 25, 2024
4.	<u>PTA Karaoke Night</u> Gymnasium & Cafeteria	Friday 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	January 17, 2025

2. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Rachelle Crawley, Principal, School No. 5:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>PTA Monthly Meetings</u> Cafeteria & Gymnasium	Monday & Thursday 6:00 p.m. –9:00 p.m.	September 23, 2024 October 10, 2024 November 14, 2024 December 5, 2024 January 9, 2025 February 6, 2025 March 6, 2025 April 3, 2025 May 3, 2025
2.	<u>Scholastic Fall Book Fair</u> Gymnasium	Monday-Wednesday 8:30 a.m. –3:00 p.m.	October 28, 2024 October 29, 2024 October 30, 2024
3.	<u>Trunk or Treat</u> School Grounds	Saturday 12:00 p.m.- 2:00 p.m.	October 26, 2024

2. Continued:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
4.	<u>Holiday Boutique</u> Gymnasium	Tuesday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	December 17, 2024 December 18, 2024 December 19, 2024
5.	<u>PTA Sweetheart Dance</u> Gymnasium	Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	February 8, 2025
6.	<u>Scholastic Spring Book Fair</u> Gymnasium	Tuesday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	March 18, 2025 March 19, 2025 March 20, 2025
7.	<u>PTA Spring Dance</u> Gymnasium	Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	April 5, 2025
8.	<u>PTA Muffins with Mom</u> Gymnasium	Friday 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	May 9, 2025
9.	<u>PTA Donuts with Dad</u> Gymnasium	Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	June 12, 2025

3. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Michael Walters, Principal, School No. 6:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>PTA Clothing Drive</u> Parking Lot	Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	September 7, 2024
2.	<u>PTA Halloween Float Meeting</u> Cafeteria	Wednesday 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	September 11, 2024
3.	<u>PTA 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Meeting</u> Cafeteria	Wednesday 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	September 11, 2024
4.	<u>PTA Bake Sale</u> Cafeteria	Monday 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	September 23, 2024
5.	<u>PTA Meet the Principal</u> Cafeteria	Monday 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	September 23, 2024
6.	<u>PTA Meeting &amp; Book Fair</u> Gymnasium & Cafeteria	Monday 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	September 23, 2024
7.	<u>PTA Book Fair</u> Gymnasium	Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	September 23, 2024 September 24, 2024 September 25, 2024 September 26, 2024 September 27, 2024

3. Continued:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
8.	<u>PTA Halloween Float Set Up</u> Parking Lot/Trailer	Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	October 26, 2024
9.	<u>PTA Chili Cook-Off &amp; Family Cornhole Tournament</u> Parking Lot/Playground	Friday 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	November 15, 2024
10.	<u>PTA Vendor Event Set Up</u> Gymnasium/Cafeteria	Friday 3:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	December 6, 2024
11.	<u>PTA Holiday Vendor Event</u> Gymnasium/Cafeteria	Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	December 7, 2024

4. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Michelle Rodriguez, Principal, School No. 8:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>PTA Meeting</u> Cafeteria	Tuesday 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	September 10, 2024 October 1, 2024 October 15, 2024 (Halloween Parade Discussion) November 12, 2024 December 3, 2024 January 7, 2025 February 4, 2025 March 4, 2025 April 1, 2025 May 6, 2025 June 10, 2025
2.	<u>Book Fair</u> Library	Thursday 5:30 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.	September 26, 2024

5. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Angela Principato, Principal, School No. 9:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>It's Delicious Ice Cream Truck</u> Courtyard Blacktop	Friday 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	September 6, 2024

6. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Robert Devarona, President, Mystic Vision Players:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1,	<u>Scholarship Fundraising Concert</u> Linden High School or McManus Middle School Auditorium	Saturday 3:00 p.m.- 11:00 p.m.	October 19, 2024

7. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Melissa Figueroa, Assistant Athletic Director, St. John's Athletic Association:

#	Activity/Location	Day & Time	Date
1.	<u>Basketball</u> School No. 8 Gymnasium	Monday & Friday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	October 4, 2024 to March 28, 2025
2.	<u>Basketball</u> School No. 9 Gymnasium	Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	October 1, 2024 to March 27, 2025

8. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Pamela B. Jones, CEO, Communities in Cooperation, Inc.:

#	Activity/Location	Day & Time	Date
1.	<u>Parking for Community Impact Festival</u> Linden High School & Linden Academy of Science & Technology Parking Lots	Saturday 9:30 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.	September 7, 2024*

\*Rain Date 9/8/2024

9. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Keith Pressey, Management Specialist, City of Linden Department of Parks & City of Linden:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>Fall Wrestling Program</u> McManus Middle School Gymnasium	Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.	<u>2024</u> September 17,19,24,26 October 1,8,10,15,17,22, 24,29,31 November 12,14,19,21

10. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Jeffrey Wade, Program Director, Prestige Prep Academy:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>Basketball</u> McManus Middle School Gymnasium	Wednesday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	September 11, 2024 to June 11, 2025
2.	<u>Basketball</u> Soehl Middle School Gymnasium	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	September 9, 2024 to June 13, 2025
3.	<u>Basketball</u> School No. 6 Gymnasium	Monday & Friday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	September 9, 2024 to June 13, 2025
4.	<u>Basketball</u> School No. 5 Gymnasium	Tuesday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	September 10, 2024 to June 10, 2025

11. Be it resolved that the Board of Education approves the district to request use of the following City of Linden Facilities Monday through Friday, for the district’s Fall Athletic Program for games and practices for the 2024-2025 school year:
1. Wheeler Park for Boys/Girls Soccer Practices & Games on Monday – Friday 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.; from 9/5/2024-11/1/2024
  2. Wilson Park for Tennis Pre-Season Camp and Physical Education Classes on Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; from 9/5/2024-11/1/2024
  3. Warinanco Park Tennis Courts for Cross Country Meets on Monday – Friday 3:00p.m. to 6:00p.m.; from 9/5/2024-11/1/2024
  4. PAL Building for Volleyball Practice & Games on Monday – Friday 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. from 9/5/2024-11/1/2024
12. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Keith Pressey, Management Specialist, City of Linden Department of Parks & Recreation:

Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
<u>Tiger Cubs Girls Basketball</u> McManus Middle School Gymnasium	Monday & Friday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	<u>2024</u> September 16,20,23,27,30 October 4,7,11,18,21,25,28,31 November 11,15,18,22,25 December 2,6,9,13,16,20 <u>2025</u> January 3,6,10,13,17,24,27,31 February 3,7,10,14,21,24,28 March 3,7,10,14,17,21,24,28 April 4,7,11,14,28,30 May 2,5,9,12,16,19,23,30 June 2,6,9,13
<u>Tiger Cubs Girls Basketball</u> Soehl Middle School Gymnasium	Wednesday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	<u>2024</u> September 17,24 October 1,8,15,29 November 12,19,26 December 3,10,17 <u>2025</u> January 7,14,21,28 February 4,11,18,25 March 4,11,25 April 1,8,15,29 May 6,13,20,27 June 10,17

12. Continued:

Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
<u>Tiger Cubs Girls Basketball</u> School No. 8 Gymnasium	Tuesday-Thursday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	<u>2024</u> September 17,19,24,25,26 October 1,2,8,9,10,15,16,17,29, 30,31 November 6,12,13,14,19,20,21,26, December 3,5,10,11,12,17,18,19  <u>2025</u> January 2,7,9,14,15,16,21,22,23, 28,29,30 February 4,6,11,12,13,18,19,20, 25,26,27 March 4,6,11,12,13,25,26,27 April 1,2,3,8,9,10,15,16,29,30 May 6,8,13,14,15,20,21,22,27,28, 29 June 4,5,10,11,12
<u>Tiger Cubs Girls Basketball</u> School No. 1 Gymnasium	Tuesday-Friday 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	<u>2024</u> September 17,19,20,24,25,26,27 October 1,2,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17, 18,18,25,28,30,31 November 1,6,12,13,14,15,19,20, 21,22,26 December 3,5,6,10,11,12,13,17, 18,19,20  <u>2025</u> January 2,3,7,9,10,14,15,16,17,21, 22,23,24,28,29,30,31 February 4,6,7,11,12,13,14,18,19, 20,21,25,26,27,28 March 4,6,7,11,12,13,14,21,25, 26,27,28 April 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,29. 30 May 1,2,6,8,9,13,14,15,16,20,21, 23,27,28,29,30 June 4,5,6,7,10,11,12,13

13. Use of facilities at no charge as requested by Sharita Morgan, President, Linden High School PTA:

#	Activity/Location	Day and Time	Date
1.	<u>PTA Meeting</u> Linden High School Learning Commons	Wednesday 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.	September 11, 2024

MOTIONS 1 – 13:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz	X		X		
Ms. Pino			X		
Ms. Thomas		X	X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motions 1 – 13 carried.

The Planning and Policy Committee upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, presents the following motion to the Linden Board of Education for approval.

1. Second Reading:

Policy #	Title
5120	Assignment of Students

MOTION 1:

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino		X	X		
Ms. Thomas	X		X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motion 1 carried.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

Members of the public desiring to make a public comment may come forward at this time. For those watching online, if you wish to make a comment or ask a question, please utilize the raise your hand feature on the online meeting platform.

Please begin your comments by stating your name and address. Individuals are invited to speak on one topic at a time, and no individual will speak more than once, until all individuals so desiring have spoken once.

The public is reminded that to ensure the efficient and orderly operations of the meeting, members of the public will be limited to speaking on items for three minutes.

Craig Holloran  
120 Donaldson Place

Mr. Halloran asked if school security cameras pick up crime in the area do they turn it into the police.

Donna Hernandez  
133 Princeton Road

Mrs. Hernandez asked about students and transportation – if a student wasn't able to get bused because of a block or two difference can they still get picked up.

Mr. Garcia said there is a radius for pick up and he will investigate it further.

Dr. Olivero – School No. 4 Principal

Dr. Olivero thanked Mrs. Kolibas for everything she has done at School No. 4. She wished her the best in her future endeavors. She welcomed Mr. Minniti to School No. 4.

Essence M. – School No. 1 Vice President  
532 Princeton Road

Ms. M said would like to know what strategies we have in the shortage of special education teachers and therapist.

Mrs. Perkins mentioned what we are doing to bring in more teachers and what we are doing with the staff we have now.

Lakhia Carter-Blocker – LEA Vice President  
35 East Elizabeth Avenue

Mrs. Carter-Blocker congratulated the new staff members, said the LEA is going to continue to build partnerships with the schools and the communities.

NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

At 7:47 p.m., Ms. Thomas made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel, and other concerns, seconded by Mr. De La Cruz.

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz		X	X		
Ms. Pino			X		
Ms. Thomas	X		X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motion carried.

There being no further business to discuss, Ms. Thomas made a motion to return to Public Session at 7:58 p.m., seconded by Ms. Pino.

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino		X	X		
Ms. Thomas	X		X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead			X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motion carried.

Mrs. Perkins mentioned the follow:

- We are saddened by the passing of a previous employee, Roy Nunez Jr.
- Employees who are retiring – thank you for all you work and dedication.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to discuss, Mr. De La Cruz made a motion to adjourn at 8:00 p.m., seconded by Ms. Pino.

Roll Call:

Board Member	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Mr. De La Cruz			X		
Ms. Pino	X		X		
Ms. Thomas			X		
Ms. Ullisse			X		
Ms. Armstead		X	X		
Ms. Carrillo					
Ms. Cintron					
Dr. Berghammer			X		

Motion carried.

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John A. Serapiglia, Jr.  
Business Administrator/Board Secretary