

**THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**  
**MAY 4, 2015**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**N.J. OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW**

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act the Woodland Park Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted on the door of the Woodland Park Board of Education Administration Building and was provided to the North Jersey Herald News

**FLAG SALUTE**

**ROLL CALL**

Members Present – Joanne Mitchell, Francie Keating, Mark Salemi, Maria Flynn, Ron Pascrell, Lisa Marshall, Dina Bargiel

Members Absent – Bob Kassai, Tom Bolen

Also Present - Dr. Pillari, Tom DiFluri

**Presentation of the 2015-2016 Budget.**

Mr. DiFluri and Dr. Pillari presented the 2015-2016 School District budget.

**PUBLIC HEARING-BUDGET HEARING ONLY**

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Robert Foglia – 9 Woodrow Ave.

Mr. Foglia had budget questions on transportation, textbooks and teacher salaries and benefits.

**215-225 -ADOPTION OF BUDGET FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by SALEMI, seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Woodland Park Board of Education, County of Passaic, that the 2015-2016 School District Budget be approved as follows:

	BUDGET	LOCAL TAX LEVY
Total General Fund	\$16,377,283.00	\$14,759,245.00
Total Special Revenue Fund	\$ 511,110.00	NA
Total Debt Service Fund	\$ 518,852.00	\$518,852.00
TOTALS	\$17,407,245.00	\$15,278,097.00

FURTHER RESOLVED: General fund budget to include a \$79,120 tax levy adjustment for increase in health care costs.  
FURTHER RESOLVED: Included in the general fund budget is \$250,000 for other costs to be withdrawn from the Board of Education's approved Capital Reserve Account for HVAC upgrades and possible ADA upgrades to district schools.  
The district intends to complete said purpose by June 2016.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**Motion to close the Budget Hearing and open the regular meeting by MITCHELL, seconded by KEATING.**

Voice Vote: 7 YES

**PUBLIC HEARING-AGENDA ITEMS ONLY**

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No one wished to be heard.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Mrs. Bargiel reported that the education committee met on 4/27 and was very pleased with the direction the new curricula is headed in.

Mr. Pascrell updated the Board on the progress of the parking lot at the BOE office. He said we are waiting on 2 quotes and then the work will begin.

**SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT**

Dr. Pillari reported that the last couple of weeks was spent finalizing the budget. She commended the students at Memorial on a job well done at the Academic Expo. BG participated in Autism fundraisers and a tree planting in honor of Arbor Day. Grades 3-4 have finished PARCC testing. She told everyone to be aware of the many upcoming field trips and events being held in the next two months.

**REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS**

The following items will be voted on by separate motion for each item.

**215-226 - CONTRACT APPROVAL – T. DIFLURI**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the employment contract for Thomas DiFluri, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, for the 2015-2016 school year, @\$140,882.00. The Board president is hereby authorized and directed to execute the employment contract that is substantially in the same form as the one attached hereto.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-227 - CONTRACT APPROVAL – C. TRIGLIA**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by BARGIEL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the employment contract for Carmela Triglia, Director of Curriculum & Instruction, for the 2015-2016 school year, @\$93,000. The Board president is hereby authorized and directed to execute the employment contract that is substantially in the same form as the one attached hereto.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-228 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF TEACHERS RECEIVING TENURE -2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of teachers receiving tenure during the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
De-Vita Yund	Alexis	SPED -LLD	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
Paul-Badini	Christina	SPED-Aut	4--5	MA	\$61,770.00	

Potter	Jennifer	Soc. Stud. 5-8	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
Sonnars	Jessica	SPED-Res/Inc	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
Scillieri	Christina	Science	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
Sous	Dana	Elem. Ed.	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
Tenured date	9/2/2015					

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-229 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF NON-TENURED CERTIFICATED TEACHING STAFF FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by KEATING

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of non-tenured certificated teaching staff for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Capo *	Krystal	Elem Teacher	4--5	Ba	\$55,320.00	
Seavy **	Veronica	Elem Teacher	4--5	Ba	\$55,320.00	
Tenured	* 9/2/2016					
Tenured	**1/29/2017					
Gonsar *	Dina	Guidance	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Kogen ***	Lindsay	Elem Teacher	2--3	Ba	54,820.00	
Nardiello *	Janene	Art	P/T	Ba	\$31.49/hr	
Riviera *	Jessica	SPED	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Romeo *	Robert	PE/Health	2--3	Ba	\$54,820.00	
Stabile *	Anita	Elem Teacher	2--3	Ba	54,820.00	
Paulhus *	Kimberly	Nurse	P/T		\$32.82/hr.	
Tenured	***9/18/2017					
Tenured	*9/2/2017					
Colucci *	Alison	ELA	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
DeRosa *	Jaimie	SPED	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Smolansky *	Tiffany	Speech	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Voinov *	Monica	Elem Teacher	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Webb *	Nicole	Elem Teacher	2--3	Ba	54,820.00	
O'Connell *	Abigail	Elem Teacher	2--3	Ma	\$61,270.00	
Tenured	*09/02/2018					
		All Below P/T	not to exceed 27.5 hrs/wk.			
Brigliadoro ***	Meghan	Elem Ed.			\$31.49/hr.	
Cantor *	Tammy	Elem Teacher			\$31.49/hr.	
Peragallo *	Natalie	PE/Health			\$31.49/hr.	
Struble *	Deborah	SPED			\$31.49/hr.	
Moore *	Jenna	Elem Teacher			\$31.49/hr.	

Viviani **	Sarah	SPED			\$31.49/hr.	
Tenured	*09/02/2018					
	**1/20/2019					
	***10/23/2018					

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-230 -APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF NON TENURED PRINCIPALS AND SUPERVISORS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by BARGIEL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of the non-tenured principals and supervisors for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPPSA contract as listed:

Last Name	First Name	Position	Step	Guide	Salary	Longevity
Cenatiempo**	Jennifer	Principal			\$104,681.00	
Rosa *	Merisa	Principal			\$98,291.00	
Tenured	* 07/02/2017					
	**8/20/2017					

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-231 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF TENURED CERTIFICATED STAFF FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of the tenured teaching staff for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

Last Name	First Name	Position	Step	Guide	Salary	Longevity
Alejo	Julissa	World Lang.	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Altomare	Lorraine	Elem. Teacher	16	MA+ 30	\$88,440.00	\$1,600.00
Avella	Theresa	LDTC	16	MA	\$83,890.00	
Barreto	Lisa	Elem. Teacher	15	MA	\$79,990.00	
Behnken	Michele	SPED	12--13	MA+30	\$77,190.00	
Beirne	Lisa	Music	16	MA	\$83,890.00	\$1,600.00
Boyadjian	Tamara	ELA	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Brown	Shari	SPED	16	MA+30	\$88,440.00	
Brunini	Michele	SPED	7--8	MA+30	\$67,320.00	
Caputo	Jennifer	Soc. Studies	6	MA	\$62,270.00	
Carbonelli	Teresa	Nurse	16	MA	\$83,890.00	
Chang	Mina	Science	9	BA	\$51,120.00	
Chiaravalloti	Jeanine	Elem. Teacher	15	MA	\$79,990.00	
Cieslak	Eileen	Elem. Teacher	7--8	BA+30	\$62,770.00	
Cook	Christine	Elem Teacher	6	MA	\$62,270.00	
Criscione	Karen	SPED	15	MA+30	\$84,540.00	
DeCorte	Susan	SPED	16	BA+45	\$83,890.00	\$1,900.00
DiLuccia	Gina	SPED	16	MA	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
DiFluri	Susan	Elem. Teacher	16	BA	\$77,440.00	\$800.00

Donato	Lynne	Math	12--13	BA+30	\$72,640.00	
Eliya	Philip	Math	7--8	BA	\$56,320.00	
Facciollio	Stacey	Elem. Teacher	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	
Ficarra	Rosemary	ELA	12--13	BA	\$66,190.00	
Gesualdo	Carol	Elem. Teacher	16	BA	\$77,440.00	\$800.00
Glassman	Jesse	Psychologist	16	PHD	\$92,440.00	
Glenn	Meghan	ELA	15	MA+ 30	\$84,540.00	
Guariglia	Cindy	Elem. Teacher	7--8	MA	\$62,770.00	
Havrilla	Thomas	Math	6	MA	\$62,270.00	
Healey	Lisa	Elem. Teacher	12--13	BA	\$66,190.00	
Hernandez	Lisette	Science	9	MA	\$63,570.00	
Herrmann	Michele	Elem. Teacher	10	BA	\$59,540.00	
Kelly	Joanne	ELA	15	MA+30	\$84,540.00	
Kirk	Richard	Computer	10	MA +30	\$70,450.00	
Kivlehan	Amy	Math	10	MA+30	\$70,450.00	
Knapp	Kristy	Social Worker	12--13	MA	\$72,640.00	
Krakower	William	SPED	9	MA+30	\$68,120.00	
Krasnomowitz	Samantha	Elem. Teacher	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
LaBarbera	Caitlin	SPED	6	MA	\$62,270.00	
LaSala	Joanne	Elem. Teacher	16	BA	\$77,440.00	\$800.00
Lazzara	Cassandra	Elem. Teacher	16	MA+30	\$88,440.00	\$1,900.00
Hawkins	Rosa	ELA	16	MA+30	\$88,440.00	\$800.00
Lieberman	Jill	Math	13	MA+30	Resigned	
Masefield	Laura	Ela	10	BA+30	\$65,900.00	
Macchiavello	Elisabetta	Elem. Teacher	4--5	BA	\$55,320.00	
McGinnis	Meghan	Elem. Teacher	4--5	MA	\$61,770.00	
McCluskey	Lori	Soc. Studies	6	BA	\$55,820.00	
McCluskey	Donna	Math	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	
McGlame	Kerry	Guidance	16	MA+30	\$88,440.00	
Monaghan	Claudia	Elem. Teacher	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	
Munro	Nancy	Elem. Teacher	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Murray	Donna	ELA	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	
O'Donnell	Susan	Math	9	MA+30	\$68,120.00	
Odaman	Sibel	Elem. Teacher	11	BA+30	\$69,190.00	
Oxley	James	Physical ED	16	MA	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Nunez (Park)	Sara	ESL	9	MA	\$63,570.00	
Parker	Elizabeth	SPED	9	BA	\$57,120.00	
Parra	Amanda	Speech	14	MA	\$76,240.00	
Posthumus	Patricia	SPED	16	MA+30	\$88,440.00	
Sans	Steven	Soc.St./ELA	10	Ma	\$70,450.00	
Scheafer	Eric	Music	6	BA	\$55,820.00	
Scholtz	Stephen	Physical ED	9	MA	\$63,570.00	
Skrbic	Michele	Elem. Teacher	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	
Spinelli	Anita	Speech	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	

Sudol	Karen	ART	16	BA	\$77,440.00	\$1,900.00
Svorec	Michele	Elem Teacher	9	BA	\$57,120.00	
Szorc	Anna	G & T	5	MA	\$61,770.00	
Tashayodi	Venous	Math	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	
Tonti	Claudia	Elem. Teacher	15	BA	\$73,540.00	
Toole	Sherry	Elem. Teacher	14	MA+30	\$80,790.00	
Tundo	Anna Marie	Elem. Teacher	16	BA+30	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Wells	Barbara	Nurse	16	BS+30	\$83,890.00	\$1,600.00
Wilson	Erin	SPED	6	MA	\$62,270.00	
Wittig	Lauren	Math	16	MA	\$83,890.00	\$800.00
Woessner	Joann	Elem. Teacher	15	BA+30	\$79,990.00	

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-232 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF TENURED PRINCIPALS AND SUPERVISORS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by KEATING

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of tenured principals and supervisors for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPPSA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Silverstein	Charles	Principal		OG	\$152,840.00	\$5,000.00
Tomback	Sharon	Asst. Principal			\$89,571.00	
Wittig	John	Supr Bldg. & Gr		OG	\$95,692.00	\$4,000.00

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-233 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF NON-AFFILIATED STAFF MEMBERS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by KEATING

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of non-affiliated staff members for the 2015-2016 school year, as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Laurie	Teresa	Bookkeeper			\$57,724.00	
Santulli	Donna	Conf. Sec.			\$60,755.00	

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-234 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF SECRETARIES FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of secretaries for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Addice	Michele	Sec. to BA/BS	11		\$55,469.99	
Colon	Melissa	Sec. Cur & Ins	P/T		\$23.80/hr.	
D'Amato	Marilyn	School/Guid.	OG		\$49,935.00	\$1,900.00
DeLucca	Judith	School	11		\$55,469.00	\$1,600.00

Leporini	Patricia	School	11		\$55,469.00	\$1,900.00
Lijoi	Laura	School	11		\$55,469.00	\$1,900.00
Marabondo	Karen	Acct. Pay	4--5		\$47,275.00	
Meeker	Lynn	Sec. SPED	8		\$51,208.00	

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-235- APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by KEATING

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of districtwide custodians for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Amato	Massimo	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	\$800.00
Belinski	Brian	Cust. Not to exceed 27 1/2 hrs./Wk			\$21.88/hr.	
Decesare	Dennis	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	\$800.00
Didy*	Paul	Cust. Not to exceed 27 1/2 hrs./Wk			\$21.88/hr.	
Freckelton**	Winston	Cust. Not to exceed 27 1/2 hrs./Wk			\$21.88/hr.	
Gourley	Scott	Cust. Not to exceed 27 1/2 hrs./Wk			\$22.73/hr.	
Grimes	David	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	\$800.00
Hade	Thomas	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	
Joseph	Roosevelt	Cust.	4--5		\$44,680.00	
Marsi	Vincent	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	\$1,600.00
Pacelli *Tenure 7/2/15	Dennis **Tenure 1/16/16	Cust.	15		\$55,480.00	\$1,900.00

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-236 - APPROVAL OF REAPPOINTMENT OF FULL TIME AIDES FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to approve the reappointment of the full time aides for the 2015-2016 school year in accordance with current WPEA contract as listed:

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Guide</u>	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Longevity</u>
Carioti	Lidia	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00
DeRosa	Marie	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00
Giardina	Robin	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00
Lepore	Sheila	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00
Sinforosa	Elaine	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00
Trent	Denise	Aide	3		\$28,370.00	\$800.00

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-237 -ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, to accept the resignation for retirement purposes of Patricia Posthumus, pre-school SpEd teacher at CO, effective July 1, 2015.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-238 – APPROVAL OF HOME INSTRUCTION**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve home instruction for the following student (name on file in the office of the superintendent): Student # 31448 - effective 4/27/15 through TBD, 10 hours per week. Instruction to be provided by Claudia Tonti @ \$33/hr.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**215-239 -APPROVAL OF 2014-2015 SCHOOL CALENDAR REVISION**

Motion by FLYNN Seconded by MITCHELL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, to approve the revision of the 2014-2015 school calendar, as attached.

Roll Call: 7 YES

**NEW BUSINESS**

Mr. DiFluri discussed the request for classroom rental by a production company. The Board would like him to look into it further as to their exact needs before making a decision.

**PUBLIC HEARING**

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No one wished to be heard.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. by SALEMI, Seconded by KEATING

Voice Vote: 7 YES