

Board of Education  
Nutley, New Jersey

November 22, 1982

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Township of Nutley, New Jersey, was held in the Board Room, 375 Bloomfield Avenue, on Monday, November 22, 1982, at 8:20 p.m., with Mrs. Ann Rabinowitz, President, presiding.

FLAG SALUTE:

The meeting was opened with Dr. Baratta leading the Board members and citizens in the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

CALL OF ROLL:

The other members present at roll call were Dr. Anthony N. Baratta, Mr. Douglas Eisenfelder, Mrs. Jacqueline Imhoff, Mr. Joseph Malanga, Mr. Carl Perez, Mr. Frank V. Tangorra, and Mr. Louis F. Williams. Absent and excused: Mr. Charles W. Kucinski. Five citizens were present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Copies of the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on October 25, 1982, at 8:15 p.m., being in the hands of each member, reading of same was dispensed. Mr. Eisenfelder moved that the minutes be approved, seconded by Mr. Williams and unanimously approved by the Board.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Mr. Ramsland presented and read the following communications:

1. A notice of a meeting to be held on Tuesday, November 30, 1982, by the Essex County Educational Services Commission.
2. An invitation to attend the dedication ceremony of the New Jersey Regional Day School in the area from Saul Cooperman, Commissioner of Education.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Mr. Ramsland presented and read the following report:

"Good news and bad news. Let's start with the bad.

"The most recent State Aid figures for the current budget year (1982-83) indicate that our Equalization Aid will be \$35,513 less than was budgeted last March. However, this figure is not firm, and we should anticipate a further three to six percent reduction in State Aid for this year. The new figures should be available by December 15.

"The State Aid figures for 1983-84 have been received; however, these are numbers derived from the formula, and only indicate what our entitlement is. Who among us is naive enough to believe them? In case you're curious, the number for non-categorical aid is \$1,402,109, compared to \$1,554,547 for 1981-82, and a current number of \$1,009,934 for 1982-83, which we expect will be cut by another 3% to 6%.

"The good news? Oh yes. Well, for one thing, Christmas is coming, and maybe Santa Claus will put some extra shekels in our corporate stocking. For another, S-1831 and A-2000 are dead. These bills, deferring the date for notification of State Aid and pushing the school elections off until the third week in April, have been taken off the boards.

"In the maintenance department, glass replacements this past month totalled 19. Carpentry and general items amounted to 32, and 21 separate plumbing and heating repairs were made.

"Fire drills held during the months of October and November were as follows:

Oct.	20	Nutley High School	1:25 p.m.	2 min. 46 secs.
Oct.	22	Lincoln School	1:45 p.m.	1 min. 8 secs.
Oct.	26	Lincoln School	1:59 p.m.	1 min. 19 secs.
Oct.	27	Spring Garden School	12:59 p.m.	1 min. 17 secs.
Oct.	27	Yantacaw School	10:50 a.m.	1 min. 35 secs.
Oct.	28	Franklin School	10:17 a.m.	1 min. 56 secs.
Nov.	1	Franklin School	2:00 p.m.	1 min. 54 secs.
Nov.	1	Lincoln School	8:49 a.m.	1 min. 6 secs.
Nov.	3	Franklin School	2:25 p.m.	1 min. 50 secs.
Nov.	3	Nutley High School	10:10 a.m.	2 min. 30 secs.
Nov.	3	Spring Garden School	1:12 p.m.	1 min. 17 secs.
Nov.	4	Lincoln School	2:52 p.m.	1 min. 5 secs.
Nov.	8	Washington School	10:45 a.m.	1 min. 32 secs.
Nov.	9	Spring Garden School	1:08 p.m.	1 min. 24 secs.
Nov.	16	Yantacaw School	12:50 p.m.	1 min. 28 secs.
Nov.	17	Radcliffe School	11:25 a.m.	1 min. 18 secs.
Nov.	18	Nutley High School	1:39 p.m.	2 min. 30 secs."

#### FINANCIAL REPORT:

Mr. Ramsland presented the financial report as of October 31, 1982, showing total funds available of \$14,962,340.71, contractual orders to date of \$13,111,966.23, leaving a balance of funds available of \$1,850,374.48.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Dr. Fadule presented and read the following report:

"Informational Items

"The district is in the process of preparing for the implementation of Public Law A-538, Chapter 415, pertaining to pre-school handicapped children.

"The 1981-82 M.B.S. booklet on our achievement scores has been prepared.

"The following high school students have distinguished themselves by their excellent results on the National Merit Tests:

National Merit Semifinalists

Richard Craine  
Joy Hershey  
Catherine Myers

Commended Students

Mark Baker  
Gregory Bernhardt  
Angela Christiano  
Eileen Duffy  
Darlene Gommoll  
Jeanine Goodman  
Jeffrey Just  
Paul Maffia  
Chris McKee  
Robert Webster

Commended Outstanding Negro Students

Keith Sirmons

"Mr. Donald Baumann, Franklin School science teacher, was recently honored by being chosen as one of eight teachers selected to review and critique a new science textbook."

CAFETERIA REPORT:

Mr. Eisenfelder presented the cafeteria report as of October 31, 1982, showing a cash balance as of July 1, 1982 of \$428.60, total receipts of \$61,335.65, total disbursements of \$46,725.31, leaving a balance of \$15,038.94. Total "A" lunch - 14,146.

HEARING OF CITIZENS:

Mrs. Betty Guglielmino, 51 Stanley Avenue, questioned

the possibility of having an open house for parents of pre-school children, to which Dr. Fadule replied.

Miss Colleen Lehrer, representative of the Nutley High School Student Council, asked questions with regard to the phototypesetting bids, to which Mr. Ramsland replied.

Mr. Frank Solimo, 29 Briar Lane, commended the Board on the report cards which the students receive, and made comments about inflation and taxes, to which Mr. Tangorra replied.

BILLS AND MANDATORY PAYMENTS:

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Malanga. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education authorizes the payment of bills and mandatory payments in the total amount of \$1,172,403.64 as per the attached Schedule A which have been audited by the Business Department.

REQUESTS FOR USE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS:

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Dr. Baratta, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education approves the requests for the use of school buildings and grounds (Schedule B), provided they conform to the rules and regulations set by the Board of Education.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE - Teacher:

Mrs. Angela Wagner

Mr. Malanga presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education approve a childrearing leave of absence for Mrs. Angela Wagner, effective December 1, 1982 through June 30, 1983, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That any request for an extension of this leave must be submitted to the Superintendent of Schools on or before April 1, 1983.

APPOINTMENT - Secretary:

Mrs. M. Teresa Verdi

Mr. Malanga presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board approves the appointment of Mrs. M. Teresa Verdi, High School Guidance Director's secretary, to High School Principal's secretary, effective November 1, 1982, at the annual salary of \$16,058.00 (1-15M) + \$700 longevity, which is in accordance with the 1982-1983 secretaries salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Transportation: Mrs. Irene Lichtenberg

Mr. Tangorra presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mrs. Irene Lichtenberg be appointed as a bus driver effective December 1, 1982 for the remainder of the 1982-1983 school year, at the hourly rate of \$5.88 (2-4, Van), which is in accordance with the 1982-1983 transportation salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Groundskeeper: Mr. Maurice Shepard

Mr. Perez presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. Upon being put to a roll call vote the resolution was adopted with Mrs. Rabinowitz, Dr. Baratta, Mr. Eisenfelder, Mrs. Imhoff, Mr. Malanga, Mr. Perez, and Mr. Williams voting aye and Mr. Tangorra voting nay:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Maurice Shepard be appointed as a groundskeeper, effective November 1, 1982, for the remainder of the 1982-1983 school year, at the annual salary of \$11,658 (2-2) which is in accordance with the 1982-1983 custodians' salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Athletic: Mr. J. Patrick Bobo

Mr. Perez presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following athletic appointment be approved for the 1982-1983 school year at a salary in accordance with the 1982-1983 athletic salary guide:

<u>Basketball</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Assistant Coach	J. Patrick Bobo	1	\$1,405

APPOINTMENT - Permanent Unassigned Substitute:

Mr. Perez presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Dr. Baratta. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mr. Peter Behrens be approved as permanent unassigned substitute for the 1982-1983 school year, effective November 15, 1982 at the rate of \$35.00 per day and fringe benefits which include Blue Cross-Blue Shield and dental plans.

APPOINTMENTS - Secretarial/Clerical Substitutes:

Dr. Baratta presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following secretarial/clerical substitute be approved for the 1982-1983 school year.

Mrs. Ann Cerbone

APPOINTMENTS - Teacher Substitutes:

Dr. Baratta presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the teacher substitutes listed on the attached Schedule C be approved for the 1982-1983 school year.

EXTRA COMPENSATION - Workshops, Committees:

Mr. Tangorra presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following personnel be paid extra compensation in the amounts indicated for attendance at Madeline Hunter Evaluation System workshops held on October 30 and November 6, 1982 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.:

Mr. J. Patrick Bobo	\$	120
Miss Marie Dennis		120
Miss Linda Fisher		120
Mrs. Miriam Kirsten		120
Miss Yvonne Migliaccio		120
Mrs. Ruby Niebergall		120
Mr. Robert O'Dell		120
Mrs. Maria Ruscitelli		120

Mr. Dennis Sasso	\$ 120
Mrs. Patricia Scullen	120
Mrs. Barbara Stahley	120
Mr. Joseph Zarra	120
Mr. Paul Kocum	120
Mrs. Karen Minkoff	120
Mrs. Harriet Sabates	120
Miss Neli Santiago	60
Mrs. Patricia Fischer	120
Miss Mary Flannery	120
Mrs. Doreen Holland	120
Miss Eileen Maher	120
Miss Olga Martorelli	120
Mrs. Mary Wilhelm	120
Miss Susan Rooney	120
Miss Kathryn Ruffo	60
Miss Alice Ruotolo	120
Miss Isabelle Mayer	120
Miss Florence Meyers	120
Miss Lorraine Restel	120
Mrs. Aileen Hresko	120
Mrs. Sally Magin	120
Mrs. Antoinette Papincak	120
Miss Stephanie Simon	120
Mr. Jonathan Swack	120
Mrs. Mary Jo Vaccari	120
Mrs. Grayce Berk	60
Mrs. Ann Marie Paternostro	120
Total	\$4,140

EXTRA COMPENSATION - Workshops, Committees:

Mr. Tangorra presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following personnel be paid extra compensation in the amounts indicated for attendance at Writing Committee Workshops held October 2, 16, 30 and November 6, 1982 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.:

Mrs. Gertrude Frey	\$ 240
Miss Patricia Andriola	240
Mrs. Rose Marie Baranko	240
Miss Patricia Griffin	240
Miss Suzanne Hagert	240
Mrs. Geraldine Intiso	210
Miss Maureen McCarthy	180
Miss Pamela Tsairis	240
Mrs. Catherine Kinney	180
Mr. Walter Murray	240
Mrs. Grace McCaw	60
Miss Rosanna Tangorra	240
Miss Helen Poole	320
Total	\$2,870

EXTRA COMPENSATION - Workshops, Committees:

Mrs. Imhoff presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following personnel be paid extra compensation in the amounts indicated for attendance at a Writing Committee meeting held November 4, 1982 from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.:

Miss Helen Poole	\$	40
Miss Patricia Andriola		30
Mrs. Doreen Holland		30
Miss Jerilyn Margulies		30
Mrs. Mary Wilhelm		<u>30</u>
Total	\$	160

SPECIAL EDUCATION POLICY:

Mrs. Imhoff presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Malanga. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Special Education Policy #2460 (Schedule D) be adopted.

INTRUSION ALARM SYSTEMS QUOTATIONS:

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, quotations have been received for providing Intrusion Alarm Systems at the Board Offices and portions of the high school and Yantacaw School,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That these quotations be recorded in the minutes as follows:

	<u>Board Office</u>	<u>H.S.</u>	<u>Yant.</u>	<u>Total</u>
Intruder Protective Services	2305	2879		
Dante R. Petrucci	2250	2175		
Louis Roselle, Jr.	2206	4700		
J. Donohue, Inc.	2200	1600	1825	5625
			-20%	(1125)
			Net	4500
United Protective Corp. (Lease)	2745	3931	2440	9116

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a contract be awarded to J. Donohue, Inc. to provide and install Intrusion Alarm Systems at the Board Offices, high school, and Yantacaw School in accordance with their proposal for



the net sum of \$4500.00

529 WASHINGTON AVENUE BIDS:

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Malanga. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the Board of Education by formal resolution on May 18, 1981 determined that the 529 Washington Avenue property, formerly the site of the Special Education building, was no longer needed for school purposes and authorized the sale of said property, and

WHEREAS, bids were received on Monday, November 15, 1982 for the sale of said property at 529 Washington Avenue, Nutley, New Jersey,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That these bids be recorded in the minutes as follows:

Eugene Giuriceo	\$175,000
Paul Martino	181,000

and

BE FURTHER RESOLVED, That the bid be awarded to Paul Martino and that the President and Secretary of the Board be authorized to execute with said Paul Martino a contract of sale for the property at 529 Washington Avenue, Nutley, New Jersey, being known and designated as lot 1, block 522 on the tax map of the Township of Nutley, Essex County, New Jersey, in accordance with the specifications.

PHOTOTYPESETTING BIDS - Nutley High School:

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Tangorra. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, bids were received on November 28, 1982 for furnishing phototypesetting equipment to the Nutley High School,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That these bids be recorded in the minutes as follows:

AM Varsityper East Hanover, NJ	\$15,757.50
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Compugraphic	\$22,979.50
Wilmington, Mass.	\$17,853.50 - Alternate
Itek Graphic Systems	\$14,300.00
Cranford, NJ	

BE IF FURTHER RESOLVED, That a contract be awarded to Itek Graphic Systems for furnishing phototypesetting equipment to the Nutley High School in accordance with their low bid in the amount of \$14,300.

APPOINTMENT - Central Office Administrator: James J. Fadule, Jr.

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Tangorra. Upon being put to a roll call vote the resolution was adopted with Mrs. Rabinowitz, Dr. Baratta, Mr. Eisenfelder, Mrs. Imhoff, Mr. Tangorra, and Mr. Williams voting aye and Mr. Malanga and Mr. Perez voting nay:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the 1982-1983 salary for the Central Office administrator who has been previously appointed be established as follows:

James J. Fadule, Jr. Superintendent of \$57,988  
Schools

Mr. Malanga explained his reasons for his negative vote. Mr. Williams, Dr. Baratta, Mrs. Imhoff and Mr. Tangorra all made complimentary remarks with regard to Dr. Fadule.

APPOINTMENT - Central Office Administrator: Arnold C. Ramsland

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Dr. Baratta. Upon being put to a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the 1982-1983 salary for the Central Office administrator who has been previously appointed be established as follows:

Arnold C. Ramsland Secretary-Business \$50,290  
Administrator

APPOINTMENT - Central Office Administrator: John DeCesare

Mr. Williams presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Dr. Baratta. Upon being put to a roll call vote the resolution was adopted with Mrs. Rabinowitz, Dr. Baratta, Mr. Eisenfelder, Mrs. Imhoff, Mr. Malanga, Mr. Tangorra, and Mr. Williams voting aye and Mr. Perez voting nay:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the 1982-1983 salary for the Central Office administrator who has been previously appointed be established as follows:

John DeCesare	Assistant Superintendent of Schools	\$49,680
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OLD BUSINESS:

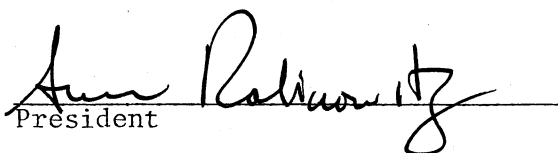
Mr. Malanga complimented Mrs. Imhoff and Mr. Kucinski on the article which appeared in The Nutley Sun. Mrs. Rabinowitz thanked The Nutley Sun for making the space available to the Board of Education.

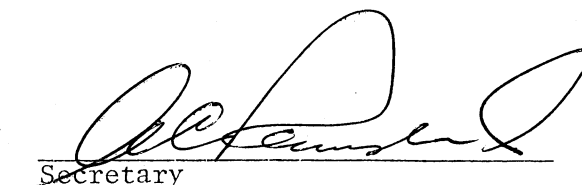
NEW BUSINESS:

None

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Board, on motion made by Mr. Eisenfelder, seconded by Mr. Williams, the meeting was adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

  
President

  
Secretary

Dec. 20, 1982  
Date