

South Amboy Board of Education Executive Session – May 27, 2025

On a motion by Mr. Inclan and seconded by Ms. Conway, the board adjourns into Closed Session at 6:03 p.m. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Present: Ms. Conway, Mr. Dragotta, Mr. DeMasi, Mr. Inclan, Ms. Kern, Mr. Tympanick, Ms. Taggart

Via Phone: Mrs. Raskoshin

Also Present: Nicole Navarria, Board Secretary; Dr. Frederick D. Williams Superintendent; Mr. Silvestro, Board Attorney; Dr. Martin Gurczeski, Assistant Superintendent

Personnel – Dr. Williams reviewed the personnel items with the Board. The Board asked Dr. Williams questions on various items on the agenda.

1. APPOINTMENTS CONTRACTUAL

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Bldg.</u>	<u>Total Salary</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Margiotta (Hoffman)	Stephen	Elementary Teacher	ES	\$67,312**	Revised 2/3/2025-6/16/2025
Murphy	Paul	Confidential Administrative Secretary to the Business Administrator/ Board Secretary	District	\$58,000	7/1/2025-6/30/2026
Van Uiter	Kristine	1:1 Nurse	District	\$74,812**	7/1/2025-6/30/2026
Kirschner (Brooks)	Michael	ELA	MHS	\$63,712**	9/1/2025-6/30/2026
Sepulveda	Naileen	Payroll and Benefits Secretary	District	\$52, 284**	7/1/2025-6/30/2026
* Fingerprints approved through NJDOE Office of Student Protection (Policy #4111/4211) * Completion of Physicals for Employees (Policy #4212.4) * Pending approval of NJDOE Office of Student Protection and Employment History statute P.L.2018, C.5 **Pending Contract Negotiations					

2. APPROVE PERSONNEL FOR EXTENDED SCHOOL YEAR (ESY) CONTRACTUAL (NOT TO EXCEED 60 HOURS)

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Bldg.</u>	<u>Total Salary</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Lopez	Julio	ESY Transition Coordinator	MHS	\$62.09/per hour	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Rojas Castro	Margarita	Bus Driver	District	\$30/per hour	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Cheung	Dora	Bus Aide ESY	District	\$16/per hour	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Salem	Dina	Paraprofessional ESY	District	\$907.80**	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Bourdeau	Wilda	Paraprofessional ESY	District	\$907.80**	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Vancil	Nicole	Credit Recovery Program	MHS	\$2,457.60**	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
Haag	Dianne	Credit Recovery Program	MHS	\$2,457.60**	7/7/2025-8/7/2025

Cruz	Hailey	Credit Recovery Program	MHS	\$2,457.60**	7/7/2025-8/7/2025
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3. SALARY ADJUSTMENT

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Bldg.</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Eckert, Michael	Custodian	District	\$183.25**	Black Seal License	4/1/2025-6/30/2025 Retroactively
Eckert, Michael	Custodian	District	\$733.00**	Black Seal License	2025-2026
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4. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Duffy, Corin	Behavior Intervention Specialist	District	FMLA	9/2/2025-12/23/2025
Grasso-Finochio, Jessica	Special Education Teacher	MHS	FMLA	Revised 5/16/2025-12/22/2025
Koy, Sharon	Teacher	ES	Sick	Revised 3/25/2025-6/1/2025
Loizos, Kristen	Special Education Teacher	ES	FMLA	9/3/2025-2/20/2026
Ross Santana	ISS Teacher	MHS	Sick	5/9/2025-5/22/2025

5. END OF SERVICE

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Last Day</u>
Charmello, Joyce	Secretary	ES	Retirement	6/30/2026
Giddings, Andru	PT Custodian	MHS	Resignation	5/22/2025
Quigley, Erica	Special Education Teacher	ES	Resignation	6/25/2025
Pryor-Green, Summer	Permanent Substitute	ES	Resignation	5/13/2025
Sanchez, Destiny	Lunch Aide	ES	Resignation	5/19/2025

6. RESCIND DISTRICT ESY PARAPROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENT

That the Board of Education rescinds the Appointment of Melissa Scotto DiCarlo as a District Paraprofessional for ESY Summer 2025 as recommended by the Superintendent.

7. APPROVE/REPRESENTATIVE TO THE ESCNJ/DR. FREDERICK WILLIAMS

Pursuant to enacted legislation, P.L. 192-1989, Chapter 254 the Board of Education approves the appointment of Dr. Frederick Williams, Superintendent of Schools, as representative to the Representative Assembly of the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

Mr. Silvestro provided an update on open residency cases. Ms. Navarria discussed facility usage requests.

Closed session ends at 7:10pm.

On a motion by Ms. Kern and seconded by Mr. Inclan, the board adjourns into Closed Session for a second time at 8:10 p.m.

The board discussed the BOE vacancy candidates' interviews.

Closed session ends at 8:45p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Navarria
Business Administrator/Board Secretary