

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
WEST HAVEN, CONNECTICUT
AGENDA # 11**

REGULAR MEETING

**August 16, 2010
Carrigan School
7:00 P.M.**

A. Call to Order, Howard Horvath, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Education

A.1. Pledge of Allegiance

B. Public Portion of Meeting.

Resolved: It shall be the policy of the West Haven Board of Education for individual members, if they so desire, to engage in dialogue with members of the general public during the time allowed on its agenda for public participation.

Dialogue must be confined to information gathering purposes and at no time will individual persons or personnel be the subject of discussion.

It is understood that the Board Members and Administration will be given adequate time to research any inquiry resulting from such dialogue and shall do so on specific direction of the Chair. It will be the authority of the Chair to cut off dialogue at any time it deems feasible.

C. Reports:

C.1.a. Administration/Status of Schools

Jon Capone - Projects at Bailey and Carrigan

Dr. Anne Druzolowski on behalf of the Superintendent

- 1. Staffing**
- 2. Job Bill**
- 3. Move to the Yale West Campus**
- 4. AYP Results**

C.1.b Student Representatives

C.1.c Board

C.1.d Committee

D. Pursuant to Robert's Rules of Order the following questions are subject to the Board's vote without debate. Should a member choose to debate a specific question, he will move to lay the question on the table, and it shall become the first item of New Business. The Board will then vote on the remaining questions.

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D.1. Approval of Minutes

D.1.a. West Haven Board of Education Parent/Community Relations Committee Meeting
held at the Blake Building, 25 Ogden Street, West Haven, CT on July 19, 2010 at 6:00
PM (Enclosure)

D.1.b. West Haven Board of Education Regular Meeting held at the Blake
Building, 25 Ogden Street, West Haven, CT on July 19, 2010, at 7:00 PM.
(Enclosure)

D.2. Resignations: (Certified)

10-68 Matthew Taber, Science Teacher - WHHS
Effective: End of the 2009/2010 School Year
Reason: Personal

D.3. Resignations: (Non-Certified)

10-69 Margaret McDonough, Literacy Aide – Washington School
Effective: July 30, 2010
Reason: Personal

10-70 Renu Asthana, 3 ½ Hour Cook – Thompson School
Effective: July 26, 2010
Reason: Personal

D.4. Leave of Absence: (Certified)

D.5. New Hire: (Certified)

10-71 Kimberly G. Wesler, 2 Silver Birch Lane, Clinton, CT 06413
Preschool Special Education Teacher – Mackrille
Effective: August 24, 2010
Salary: \$42,512.06 Step 5 BS+30

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D.5. New Hire: (Certified) Continued

10-72 Dana A. Martinez, 485 Kelsey Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516
Assistant Principal – WHHS
Effective: August 17, 2010
Salary: \$93,137.67

10-73 Valerie Cosenza, 15 Park Ridge Road, West Haven, CT 06516
Nursing Assistant Teacher – WHHS
Effective: August 26, 2010
Salary: \$42,615.28 Step 6 BS

10-74 Scott J. Lee, 87 Knorr Road, Monroe, CT 06468
Science Teacher – WHHS
Effective: August 26, 2010
Salary: \$42,615.28 Step 6 BS

D.6. New Hire: (Non-Certified)

10-75 Beth Creegan, 231 Second Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516
3 ½ Hour Cook – Living Word School
Effective: August 31, 2010
Salary: \$11.75 Hourly

D.7. New Business

10-76 Eleven teacher recommendations for the 9 – 12 Department Head Assignments for the 2010 – 2011 school year.

Move To Approve

10-77 Eleven Team Leader Positions for Bailey Middle School for the 2010 – 2011 school year.

Move To Approve

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D.7. New Business (Continued)

10-78 40 Elementary Unit Leader Positions from principals at the elementary schools for the 2010 – 2011 school year.

Move To Approve

10-79 Approval of the AFL-CIO, Local 1103 (CWA) Communication Workers of America Contract

Move To Approve

10-80 Participation in the National School Climate Survey 2010

Move To Approve

F. Informational:

F.1. Correspondence from Katie Wilson, Chair of the School Nutrition Association's (SNA) Nominating Committee selecting Alan Belchak as a candidate for the position of Northeast Nominating Committee Representative on the SNA Nominating Committee.

F.2. Correspondence from Judy Drenzek stating that the West Haven School Readiness Program has been fully funded by the State Department of Education for the fiscal year July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011.

F.3. Two voluntary transfers from the Food Service Department

F.4. One hand delivered recall letter from Jolene Barnes, Personnel Director dated August 3, 2010.

F.5. One hand delivered recall letter from Jolene Barnes, Personnel Director dated August 9, 2010.

F.6. Staffing Report from Jolene Barnes, Personnel Director

F.7. Special Meeting – **Student Expulsion Hearing**, May 27, 2010 at 11:00 AM

F.8. Special Meeting – **Student Expulsion Hearing**, May 27, 2010 at 12:30 PM