

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
WEST HAVEN, CONNECTICUT  
AGENDA #02  
REGULAR MEETING**

**February 3, 2014  
Board Meeting Room  
7:00 P.M.**

**A. Call to Order, Patricia Libero, Chair 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**

Kayley Carr, Salvatore Delcollo, Julia Paterson, Khari Reynado and Benjamin Yocom will be recognized for their exceptional performance on the CAPT Test

Jeff Grande, Business Network – Plan for Technology Grant and SBAC Testing

**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 Regular Board Meeting** held in the Board of Education Meeting Room, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT on December 16, 2013 at 7:00 PM.

**D.2. Resignations: (Certified)**

**14-01 Bernice Lattanzi**, Math Teacher - WHHS  
Effective: March 1, 2014  
Reason: Retirement

**D.3. Leave of Absence: (Certified)**

**D.4. New Hire: (Certified)**

**14-02 Robert Piccuillo**, 33 Elberta Avenue, Trumbull, CT 06611  
Science Teacher - WHHS  
Effective: January 2, 2014  
Salary: \$42,145.53 (Step 4 BS+30)

**14-03 Gayle Morton RN**, 76 Lake Street, West Haven, CT 06516  
School Nurse – WHHS/Float  
Effective: January 22, 2014  
Salary: \$43,135 (Step 3)

**14-04 Eric Rice**, 48 Pleasant Street, Chester, CT 06412  
Science Department Head – WHHS  
Effective: January 13, 2014

**D.5. New Business**

**14-05 2014 Operating Budget Transfers**

**Move To Approve**

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**F. Informational**

- F.1. Nancy Nixon**, 195 White Street, West Haven, CT 06516  
Successful Bid to Assistant Custodian, 3:00-11:00 – Forest  
Effective Date: December 18, 2013  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract
- F.2. Christopher Jordan**, 36 Terrace Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516  
Successful Bid to Assistant Building Manager, 2:30-10:30 - SRCS  
Effective December 23, 2013  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract
- F.3. Lawrence Mahoney**, 332 Benham Hill Road, West Haven, CT 06516  
Successful Bid to Assistant Building Manager, 3:00-11:00 - Mackrille  
Effective December 30, 2013  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract
- F.4. Marta R. Burgos**, 381 Main Street #2, West Haven, CT  
Part time Cook 3.5 Hours per day – Haley School  
Effective Date: January 10, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 1303
- F.5. Dawn Reiss-Melillo**, 21 Fair Sailing Road, West Haven, CT  
Six Hour Production Worker - WHHS  
Effective Date: January 13, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706
- F.6. Catherine Bode**, 56 Sycaway Street, West Haven, CT  
Successful Bid to 12 Month Administrative Secretary – SRCS  
Effective Date: January 16, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract
- F.7. Kathleen Bennett**, 33 Walnut Street, West Haven, CT  
Successful Bid to 10 Month Secretary – Food Service (5 Hr/Day)  
Effective Date: January 21, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract

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- F.8. Sara Pavone**, 19 Venta Drive, Northford, CT 06472  
Medical Building Paraprofessional-Preschool – Forest  
Effective: February 3, 2014  
Salary: Step 1 Per Contract
- F.9. James Williams**, 113 Spring Street, West Haven, CT 06516  
Medical Building Paraprofessional-Preschool – Forest  
Effective: January 27, 2014  
Salary: Step 1 Per Contract
- F.10. Jennifer Mastracchio**, 84 Harding Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516  
Medical Building Paraprofessional – Haley School  
Effective: January 27, 2014  
Salary: Step 1 Per Contract
- F.11. Nathan Gherard**, 79 Dawson Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516  
Medical Building Paraprofessional-Autistic – Pagels School  
Effective: February 3, 2014  
Salary: Step 1 Per Contract
- F.12. Complimentary Correspondence** from Donna Kosiorowski, Supervisor,  
School Health to Board Chair, Patricia Libero thanking the Board of Education  
for the support given to school nurses.
- F.13. Kevin Kelly**, 24 Templeton Street, West Haven, CT 06516  
Five Hour Custodian/Driver – Food Service  
Effective: January 23, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706
- F.14. Thumbelina Martindale**, 77 Elm Street, West Haven, CT 06516  
Cook 3.5 Hours per day – Carrigan  
Effective: January 23, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 1303
- F.15. Donna Delvecchio**, 197 Washington Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516  
Successful Bid to Assistant Custodian, Gym/Pool, 5:00-10:00 – WHHS  
Effective Date: January 8, 2014  
Salary: Per AFSCME Local 2706 Contract

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**F.16. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, November 7, 2013 at 1:42 PM**

**F.17. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, November 7, 2013 at 1:25 PM**

**F.18. Special Meeting – Student Expulsion Hearing, November 7, 2013 at 1:14 PM**

## Committees

**Finance** – Chairperson, Mark Palmieri

Members Patrick Egolum, Rosa Richardson, Bob Guthrie

**Policy** – Chairperson, Bob Guthrie

Members Betsy Davis, Rosa Richardson, Pat Libero

**Athletics** – Chairperson, Rosa Richardson

Members Jim Morrissey, Mark Palmieri, Cebi Waterfield,

**Curriculum** – Chairperson, Pat Libero

Members Cebi Waterfield, Betsy Davis, Rosemary Russo

**Facilities** – Chairperson, Jim Morrissey

Members Patrick Egolum, Rosa Richardson, Bob Guthrie

**Early Childhood/PreK & K** Chairperson, Rosemary Russo

Members Mark Palmieri, Pat Libero, Cebi Waterfield

**Technology** – Chairperson, Patrick Egolum

Members Bob Guthrie, Betsy Davis, Pat Libero

**Food Service** – Chairperson, Betsy Davis

Members Rosemary Russo, Jim Morrissey, Patrick Egolum

**Health & Wellness** – Chairperson, Cebi Waterfield

Members Mark Palmieri, Jim Morrissey, Rosemary Russo