

MINUTES
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REGULAR OPEN MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

DATE: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022
TIME: 7:00 P.M.
2022-2023-07

PLACE: ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
1881 DEER PARK AVENUE
DEER PARK, NY 11729

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mrs. Donna Marie Elliott, President
Mrs. Kristine Rosales, Vice President
Mr. Al Centamore
Ms. Donna Gulli Grunseich
Mr. Anthony Henkel
Mr. Jerry D. Jean-Pierre

EXCUSED: Mr. Robert Marino

STAFF PRESENT: Mr. James Cummings, Superintendent
Ms. Alicia Konecny, Asst. Superintendent
Mr. Dennis O'Brien, Attorney
Ms. Lisa Brennan, District Clerk

EXCUSED: Ms. Marguerite Jimenez, Asst. Superintendent

**CALL TO
ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Upon a motion by Mr. Jean-Pierre seconded by Mrs. Gulli Grunseich, the Board of Education adjourned for an Executive Session to discuss a personnel matter. The Board of Education reconvened in open session at 8:00 p.m. and continued with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**APPROVAL
OF
MINUTES**

Upon a motion by Ms. Gulli Grunseich, seconded by Mr. Henkel, the Board of Education made the necessary corrections and moved for the approval of the Minutes from the Open Meeting on September 20, 2022 and the Work Session of October 11, 2022.

PRESENTATIONS

School Board Recognition Month

*Thank you to our
Board of Education
for their time and commitment to the
Students and staff of the
Deer Park School District
Ms. Cotrone's music class at JQA performed for all!*



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**Mr. Fasano, a Deer Park Resident,  
was presented with an Honorary High School Diploma  
by Mr. Cummings**

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**Legislator Tom Donnelly
presented
Mr. Frank Vertullo with a
Suffolk County Proclamation**

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**NEW BUSINESS**

**TAX LEVY**

**FOR**  
**2022-2023**  
**SCHOOL YEAR**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Centamore, seconded by Mr. Jean-Pierre, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following Resolution:*

**RESOVLED**, that based on the budget approved by the voters on May 17, 2022 below is the tax levy for the 2022-2023 school year:

|                                       |                      |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 2022-2023 General Fund Appropriations | \$127,560,238        |
| Less estimated receipts for 2022-2023 | <u>48,560,890</u>    |
| Subtotal for budget                   | 78,999,348           |
| Less fund balance                     | 2,100,000            |
| Less use of reserves                  | <u>111,284</u>       |
| Tax levy for school purposes          | <u>\$ 76,788,064</u> |

Additionally, at the request of the Deer Park Library Trustees, please ask the Board of Education to establish an additional levy of \$3,092,700 for the operation of the Deer Park Library.

Based on the assessed value for the Deer Park Union Free School District from the Town of Babylon (\$33,945,869), the estimated tax rates for the 2022-2023 school year are as follows (per \$100 of assessed value):

|                  |          |                  |
|------------------|----------|------------------|
| School District: | \$222.56 | (1.64% increase) |
| Library:         | \$ 9.11  | (.22 % increase) |

**TAX**

**EXEMPTION**  
**FOR SENIOR**  
**CITIZENS**

*Upon a motion by Ms. Gulli Grunseich, seconded by Mrs. Rosales, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following Resolution:*

**RESOLVED**, pursuant to Paragraph (1) subdivision 3 of Section 467 of the real estate property tax law, as amended by chapter 558 of the laws of 2021,

Whereas, increasing the amount of income property owners may earn for the purpose of eligibility for the property tax exemption for persons sixty-five years of age or over and for persons with disabilities and limited income.

Whereas, beginning July 1, 2022 amends property tax laws 467(3)(a) and 459(5)(a) to raise the maximum income eligibility for seniors and the disabled to obtain a real property tax exemption to the maximum income level, see below.

|                  |     |                  |     |
|------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| M=50,000         |     |                  |     |
| 50,000 or less   | 50% | 53,001 to 53,900 | 30% |
| 50,001 to 51,000 | 45% | 53,901 to 54,800 | 25% |
| 51,001 to 52,000 | 40% | 54,801 to 55,700 | 20% |
| 52,001 to 53,000 | 35% | 55,701 to 56,600 | 15% |
|                  |     | 56,601 to 57,500 | 10% |
|                  |     | 57,501 to 58,400 | 05% |

**FINANCING**  
**OF THE**  
**ENERGY**  
**PERFORMANCE**  
**CONTRACT**  
**WITH**  
**JOHNSON**  
**CONTROLS**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Jean-Pierre, seconded by Mr. Centamore, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following Resolution:*

RESOLUTION OF DEER PARK UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEW YORK DECLARING THE FINDINGS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH RESPECT TO THE PROPOSALS RECEIVED FOR THE FINANCING OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S ENERGY PERFORMANCE CONTRACT WITH JOHNSON CONTROLS, INC. AND MAKING CERTAIN OTHER DETERMINATIONS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF DEER PARK UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK, HEREBY RESOLVES (by a majority vote of all the members of said Board) AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Following the solicitation of proposals, the Board of Education of Deer Park Union Free School District (the "School District") received proposals from various firms to provide financing for the cost of the energy conservation measures to be implemented under the Energy Performance Contract that the School District has heretofore entered into with Johnson Controls, Inc. (the "Agreement").

Section 2. Following a discussion of the Board of Education of the School District, and based upon the written recommendation received from Munistat Services, Inc., the School District's Municipal Advisor, it is hereby determined that the "Option B" proposal received from TD Equipment Finance, Inc., or one of its affiliates (the "Lessor") is hereby accepted subject to the negotiation of one or more lease purchase agreements approved by counsel.

Section 3. The President of the Board of Education, the Vice President of the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Schools, the Assistant Superintendent for Business and Operations and/or District Treasurer (collectively the "Authorized Representatives" and individually, the "Authorized Representative"), acting on behalf of the School District and with the advice of counsel, are hereby authorized to negotiate, enter into, execute, and deliver one or more lease purchase agreements (the "Equipment Lease") with the Lessor. The Authorized Representatives are hereby further authorized to negotiate, enter into, execute, and deliver such other documents relating to the Equipment Lease (including, but not limited to, escrow agreements), as the Authorized Representatives deem necessary and appropriate with the advice of counsel. All other related contracts and agreements necessary and incidental to the Equipment Lease are hereby authorized, and such documents shall be filed in the office of the District Clerk and made available for public inspection.

Section 4. The aggregate original principal amount of the Equipment Lease shall not exceed \$7,113,839 and shall bear interest at a rate as set forth in Option B of the proposal and mature as set forth in the Equipment Lease.

Section 5. The School District's obligations under the Equipment Lease shall be subject to annual appropriation or renewal by the Board of Education of the School District as set forth in the Equipment Lease and the School District's obligations under the Equipment Lease shall not constitute a general obligation of the School District or indebtedness under the Constitution or laws of the State of New York.

Section 6. The proceeds of the Equipment Lease may be applied to reimburse the School District for expenditures made after the effective date of this resolution for the purpose for which said proceeds are authorized, or on or prior to such date in accordance with Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2 of the United States Treasury Department. The foregoing statement of intent with respect to reimbursement is made in conformity with Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2 of the United States Treasury Department.

Section 7. The Authorized Representatives are hereby authorized to take any and all other actions necessary in connection with the Agreement, the Equipment Lease, and all matters related thereto.

Section 8. Upon execution of the Equipment Lease and accompanying Escrow Agreement, the School District designates Webster Bank and/or Sterling Bank as a depository of School District funds for purposes of the Equipment Lease.

9. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

**ACCEPTANCE**

**OF GRANT**

**MONEY TO**

**ROBERT FROST**

**LIBRARY**

*Upon a motion by Ms. Gulli Grunseich, seconded by Mr. Henkel, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following Resolution:*

**RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education approve a \$250 grant from the NYS Educational Media Technology Association to Ms. Lotito-Schuh for the purchase of ipad accessories in support of library extracurriculars at RFMS.

**APPROVAL**

**OF**

**SCHEDULES**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Henkel, seconded by Mrs. Rosales, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following schedules collectively:*

**NON-INSTRUCTIONAL**

**SCHEDULE -- CS --CHANGE OF SALARY/ STATUS (Non-Instructional)**

**Renee Pappone**

District Office  
Position: Treasurer  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/22/2022  
\$5,000 Stipend

**Dianne Schuster**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: Office Assistant  
Salary/Step: \$43,854.22 Step 1  
Effective Date(s): 10/17/2022  
Change from Temporary Office Assistant to Permanent. Salary prorated at \$32,890.67

**Teresa Smith**

District Office  
Position: Account Clerk  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 1/31/2023  
Change of Retirement date

**SCHEDULE -- NN --APPOINTMENTS (Non-Instructional)**

**Nooria Ali**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: 3 hr. Cafeteria Aide  
Salary/Step: \$18.73/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/6/2022

**Christopher Bienz**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Custodian  
Salary/Step: \$15/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/5/2022

**Julia Castro**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Lifeguard  
Salary/Step: \$15/hr  
Effective Date(s): 9/28/2022

**Travis Chuba**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Senior Lifeguard/Recreation Specialist  
Salary/Step: \$15.98/\$15/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/7/2022

**Michelle Evans**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: 3 hr. Cafeteria Aide  
Salary/Step: \$18.73/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022

**Laura Eydeler**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Clerical  
Salary/Step: \$15/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/17/2022

**Laura Eydeler**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step: \$15/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/17/2022

**Sandra Haas**

Deer Park High School  
Position: 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide  
Salary/Step: \$18.73/hr  
Effective Date(s): 9/23/2022

**Kathleen McLean**

District Office  
Position: Account Clerk  
Salary/Step: \$51,672.46  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022  
Salary prorated at \$38,555.60

**Dianne Schuster**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: Temporary Office Assistant  
Salary/Step: \$43,854.22  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/30/2023  
Salary prorated at \$32,890.67

**June Vasilakis**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: 3 hr. Cafeteria Aide  
Salary/Step: \$18.73/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/18/2022

**Barry Widelock**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: Security Guard  
Salary/Step: \$20.86/hr  
Effective Date(s): 9/20/2022

**SCHEDULE -- OO -- RESIGNATIONS / RETIREMENTS / REMOVALS / TERMINATIONS (Non-Instructional)**

**Nooria Ali**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/5/2022  
Resignation to accept position as 3 hr. Cafeteria Aide

**Waheeda Ali**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022  
Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Sean Brennan**

Transportation  
Position: Transportation Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/30/2022  
Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Rabia Chaudhry**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022  
Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Teresa DeLucia**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022  
Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Alyssa DeStevens**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/30/2022  
Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Angela Felipe**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022  
Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Stephen Gassert**

Transportation  
Position: Bus Driver  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/20/2022  
Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Sandra Haas**

District Wide  
Position: Substitute Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/22/2022  
Resignation to accept position as 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide

**Sonia Hidalgo**

Transportation  
Position: Bus Driver  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 8/19/2022  
Resignation for the purpose of Retirement

**Lanique Hutchinson**

May Moore School  
Position: 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/7/2022  
Resignation to accept position of Probationary Teaching Assistant

**Heather Johnson**

Transportation  
Position: Bus Driver  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/12/2022  
Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Kathleen McLean**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: Office Assistant  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/30/2022  
Resignation in order to accept Account Clerk position

**Patricia Principate**

District Wide

Position: Substitute Aide

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022

Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Carlos Ruiz**

Memorial

Position: Groundsman

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 2/17/2023

Resignation

**Dianne Schuster**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/16/2022

Resignation to accept Permanent Office Assistant position

**Maria Seufferling**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: 3 hr. Cafeteria Aide

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022

Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Michael Trucchio**

District Wide

Position: Substitute Aide/Substitute Clerical

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022

Removal. No outstanding obligation to the district

**SCHEDULE -- QQ --LEAVES OF ABSENCE (Non-Instructional)**

**Steven Berry**

Memorial

Position: Network and Systems Specialist II

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 10/14/2022

Paid Paternity LOA (FMLA)

**Cheryl Brown**

District Wide

Position: Per Diem Nurse

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 9/28/2022 - 10/7/2022

Unpaid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**Anthony Macaluso**

Transportation

Position: Bus Driver

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/10/2022 - 10/21/2022

Unpaid Medical LOA (FMLA)



**Dianne Schuster**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: 6 hr. Non-Instructional Aide  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/30/2023  
Temporary LOA for temporary Office Assistant position

**Christine Spaulding Lohwasser**

Transportation  
Position: Bus Driver  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/24/2022 - 10/28/2022  
Extension of Unpaid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**Robert Woolsey**

Memorial  
Position: Director of Facilities  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/29/2022 - 10/14/2022  
Paid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**INSTRUCTIONAL**

**SCHEDULE -- CSS --CHANGE OF STATUS / SALARY (Instructional)**

**Doreen Bellantoni**

May Moore School  
Position: Speech Teacher  
Salary/Step: No Change  
Effective Date(s): 10/17/2022  
Change to .4 May Moore; .2 JFK (Remaining .4 DW)

**Kevin McCreesh**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Math Team  
Salary/Step: \$3,671.85  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023  
Correction of Salary

**Alexa Rodriguez**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: ELA Leave Replacement  
Salary/Step: \$58,630.00 BA Step 1  
Effective Date(s): 10/29/2022 - 1/26/2022  
Salary prorated at \$15,830.10

**SCHEDULE -- N --PROBATIONARY TEACHER (Instructional) \***

**Jaclyn Vecchione**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: Probationary Elementary Reading Teacher  
Salary/Step: \$64,087 MA Step 1  
Effective Date(s): 10/19/2022 - 10/18/2026  
Salary prorated at \$58,833.08

\*Except to the extent required by the applicable provisions of Education Law 2509, 2573, 3212 and 3014, in order to be granted tenure the classroom teacher or building administrator shall have received composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Education Law 3012-c and/or 3012-d of either effective or highly effective in at least three (3) of the four (4) preceding years and if the classroom teacher or administrator receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period he or she shall not be eligible for tenure at that time.

**SCHEDULE -- NS --PERMANENT SUBSTITUTES (Instructional)**

**Katelyn Maloney**

Deer Park High School

Position: Permanent Substitute Guidance Counselor

Salary/Step: \$125/day

Effective Date(s): 9/20/2022 - 6/30/2023

**SCHEDULE -- O --RESIGNATIONS / RETIREMENTS / REMOVALS / TERMINATIONS (Instructional)**

**Brittany Balboa**

Deer Park High School

Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 9/30/2022

Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Timothy Dupuis**

Deer Park High School

Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/11/2022

Resignation

**Matthew Frouws**

May Moore School

Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/16/2022

Resignation. No outstanding obligation to the district

**Kasey Kephart**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Drama/Theatre Club

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/18/2022

Removal from Co-Curricular Club

**Joseph Verdicchio**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Special Education Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 11/4/2022

Resignation

**SCHEDULE -- P --TENURE APPOINTMENTS (Instructional)**

**Alicia Konecny**

District Office

Position: Assistant Superintendent of PPS

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 7/1/2019 - 6/30/2022

TENURE DATE: JULY 1, 2022

**Amy Pellegrino**

Deer Park High School

Position: ENL Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 11/13/2018 - 11/12/2022

TENURE DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 2022

**SCHEDULE -- Q --LEAVES OF ABSENCE (Instructional)**

**David Blum**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Teaching Assistant  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/24/2022 - 10/2/2022  
Unpaid Medical LOA

**Michelle Cangelosi**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: School Psychologist  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/29/2022 - 11/9/2022  
Extension of Paid Maternity LOA (FMLA)

**Charles Cobb**

Deer Park High School  
Position: High School Principal  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 11/9/2022 - 11/29/2022  
Paid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**Lynn Coyle**

John Quincy Adams School  
Position: Associate Principal  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 11/8/2022 - 11/14/2022  
Paid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**Anthony Farina**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School  
Position: Permanent Substitute Teacher  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 10/14/2022  
Extension of Unpaid LOA

**Danielle Finocchiaro**

May Moore School  
Position: ENL Teacher  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 1/22/2023 - 3/10/2023  
Paid Maternity LOA (FMLA)

**Brenda Klein**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Teaching Assistant  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 9/27/2022 - 12/1/2022  
Paid Medical 9/27-10/14; Unpaid Medical 10/15-12/1 LOA (FMLA)

**Christine Meckley**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Guidance Counselor  
Salary/Step:  
Effective Date(s): 11/1/2022 - 11/16/2022  
Extension of Paid medical LOA (FMLA)

**Erica Rossi**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Elementary Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/29/2022 - 1/26/2023

Unpaid Maternity LOA (FMLA) 10/29-11/25/22; Unpaid Child Rearing LOA 11/26/22-1/26/2023

**Erin Schabe**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Teaching Assistant

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/11/2022 - 10/18/2022

Paid Medical LOA (FMLA) (1/2 day pm 10/11)

**Rashida Slader**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Elementary Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 1/17/2023 - 3/3/2023

Paid Maternity LOA (FMLA)

**Marie Tortorici**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Special Education Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/24/2022 - 11/11/2022

Paid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**Ashley Varney**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Elementary Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 11/25/2022 - 1/13/2023

Paid Maternity LOA (FMLA)

**Sara Watkin-Fox**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Music Teacher

Salary/Step:

Effective Date(s): 10/14/2022 - 11/4/2022

Paid Medical LOA (FMLA)

**SCHEDULE -- TA --PROBATIONARY TEACHING ASSISTANT (Instructional)**

**Lanique Hutchinson**

May Moore School

Position: Probationary Teaching Assistant

Salary/Step: \$29,847.74

Effective Date(s): 10/11/2022 - 10/10/2026

Salary prorated at \$26,266.01

**Maureen Pike**

Memorial

Position: Probationary Teaching Assistant

Salary/Step: \$29,847.74

Effective Date(s): 10/11/2022

RESIGNED 10/11/2022. No outstanding obligation to the district

**SCHEDULE -- TTPA --TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT (Instructional)**

**Nicole Bjarnason**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Spanish Odysseyware Virtual Program  
Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Angela Bonnano**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Kickline Varsity Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$5,662.80 Step 3/10 Units  
Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Thomas Brouillard**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Boys Winter Track Varsity Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$8,578.07 Step 5+/11 Units  
Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023  
\$500 Longevity Included

**Jeffrey Cifelli**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Wrestling 7/8th Gr. Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$3,963.96 Step 4/7 Units  
Effective Date(s): 1/17/2023 - 3/25/2023

**Anthony Cinquemani**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Math Odysseyware Virtual Program  
Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr  
Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Kevin Cogan**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Boys Basketball 7/8th Gr. Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$5,640.59 Step 5+/7 Units  
Effective Date(s): 11/7/2022 - 1/14/2023  
\$500 Longevity Included

**Kevin Cogan**

Robert Frost Middle School  
Position: Girls Basketball 7/8th Gr. Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$5,640.59 Step 5+/7 Units  
Effective Date(s): 1/17/2023 - 3/25/2023  
\$500 Longevity Included

**Seth Cook**

Deer Park High School  
Position: Wrestling JV Head Coach  
Salary/Step: \$6,242.15 Step 5+/8.5 Units  
Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Lynn D'Angeli**

May Moore School  
Position: Mentor  
Salary/Step: \$1200  
Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Heather D'Arrigo**

Deer Park High School

Position: Cheerleading Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$5,096.52 Step 2/9 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Mario Fiore**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Winter Track Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$7,109.33 Step 5+/9 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Melissa Frischeisen**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Michael Gennaro**

Deer Park High School

Position: Girls Basketball Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$9,779.63 Step 5+/12.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Justin Gutman**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Basketball JV Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$6,242.15 Step 5+/8.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Christine Hafner**

Deer Park High School

Position: Girls Basketball JV Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$6,742.15 Step 5+/8.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**David Hamil**

Deer Park High School

Position: Wrestling Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$5,379.66 Step 4/9.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**John Heeg**

Deer Park High School

Position: Social Studies Odysseyware Virtual Program

Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2023 - 6/23/2023

**Tricia Hurlbert**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Steven Jaklitsch**

Deer Park High School

Position: Science Odysseyware Virtual Program

Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Edward Johntry**

Deer Park High School

Position: ELA Odysseyware Virtual Program

Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Taneka Jones**

Deer Park High School

Position: Cheerleading JV Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$3,680.82 Step 1/6.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Kim Kokolakis**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Paulina LoGrande**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Kickline Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$2,831.40 Step 1/5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/7/2022 - 1/14/2023

**Kristen Lombardo**

May Moore School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

May Moore &amp; JFK Kristen Lombardo (Music Teacher)

**Kristen M Lombardo**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

Kristen M Lombardo (Elementary Teacher)

**Craig Mangio**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Swimming Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$8,578.07 Step 5+/11 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Kevin Marner**

Deer Park High School

Position: PE Odysseyware Virtual Program

Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Jean Martine**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Julia Matera**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Cheerleading 7/8th Gr. Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$2,831.40 Step 1/5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/17/2022 - 1/14/2023

**John McCaffrey**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Basketball Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$9,179.63 Step 5+/12.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Kevin McCreesh**

Deer Park High School

Position: Computer Science A Odysseyware Virtual Program

Salary/Step: \$53.08/hr

Effective Date(s): 10/3/2022 - 6/23/2023

**Mike McLaughlin**

Deer Park High School

Position: Wrestling Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$9,312.44 Step 5+/12 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Holly O'Donnell**

Deer Park High School

Position: Girls Basketball Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$7,476.52 Step 5+/9.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**John Pawelko**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Swimming Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$6,609.33 Step 5+/9 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Jim Petti**

Deer Park High School

Position: Girls Winter Track Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$8,578.07 Step 5+/11 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Vanessa Pizzo**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023



**Samantha Racano**

Robert Frost Middle School

Position: Girls Volleyball 7/8th Gr. Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$3,963.96 Step 2/7 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/7/2022 - 1/14/2023

**Alexa Rappa**

Deer Park High School

Position: Kickline Choreographer

Salary/Step: \$3,397.68 Step 1/6 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Margaret Simon**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Drama/Theatre Club

Salary/Step: \$1101.56 Step 5+/1.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Josh Smith**

Deer Park High School

Position: Boys Basketball Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$5,379.66 Step 2/9.5 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Jaelyn Stein**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Linda Stow**

John Quincy Adams School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Anthony Tannacore**

Deer Park High School

Position: Bowling Varsity Head Coach

Salary/Step: \$5,140.59 Step 5+/7 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

\$500 Longevity Included

**Burke Tomaselli**

Deer Park High School

Position: Girls Winter Track Varsity Assistant Coach

Salary/Step: \$6,609.33 Step 5+/9 Units

Effective Date(s): 11/14/2022 - 2/18/2023

**Marie Tortorici**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Eileen Tuozzo**

John F Kennedy Intermediate School

Position: Mentor

Salary/Step: \$1200

Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**Keri Zuk**  
 John Quincy Adams School  
 Position: Mindfulness/Yoga Club  
 Salary/Step: \$2,203.11  
 Effective Date(s): 9/1/2022 - 6/30/2023

**SCHEDULE 22/BP-850 – SCHEDULES OF BILLS PAYABLE**

|                            |                      |            |
|----------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| General*                   | # 14                 | 9/30/2022  |
| General*                   | # 15                 | 9/30/2022  |
| Federal*                   | # 4                  | 9/30/2022  |
|                            |                      |            |
| Capital*                   | # 2                  | 9/30/2022  |
| School Lunch*              | # 4                  | 9/30/2022  |
| PR Liability General Fund* | # 8                  | 8/31/2022  |
| WORKERS' COMP.*            | Daily Check Register | 8/8/2022   |
| WORKERS' COMP.*            | Daily Check Register | 8/12/2022  |
| WORKERS' COMP.*            | Daily Check Register | 8/19/2022  |
| WORKERS' COMP.*            | Daily Check Register | 8/21/2022  |
| WORKERS' COMP.*            | Daily Check Register | 8/22/2022  |
| General                    | # 20                 | 10/31/2022 |
| Federal                    | # 6                  | 10/31/2022 |
| Capital                    | # 3                  | 10/31/2022 |
| School Lunch               | # 6                  | 10/31/2022 |
| Reserve                    | # 2                  | 10/31/2022 |
| WORKERS' COMP.             | Daily Check Register | 10/11/2022 |
| WORKERS' COMP.             | Daily Check Register | 10/12/2022 |
| WORKERS' COMP.             | Daily Check Register | 10/17/2022 |
| WORKERS' COMP.             | Daily Check Register | 10/18/2022 |

**SCHEDULE 22-E-471 – EXPLANATION OF BUDGETARY TRANSFERS**

#T40, T5 & T6

**SCHEDULE 22-F-425 - CONTRACT REPORT**

| <u>Category</u> | <u>Fund</u> | <u>Vendor</u>                               | <u>Purpose</u>                                                               | <u>Dates</u>               | <u>Amount</u>                               |
|-----------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Spec Ed         | G           | Donna Geffner, PhD<br>CCC=SLP/A             | Audiological Services                                                        | 6/1/2022 - 6/30<br>2022    | CSE Attendance @<br>\$250.00 per hour       |
| Admin           | G           | A&M Pump & Motor<br>Repair, Inc             | RFB No BDP18-021 Service &<br>Rebuild Pumps and Electrical Motors<br>Renewal | 11/14/2022 -<br>11/13/2023 | See Bid #BDP18-021<br>2022-2023 Award Sheet |
| Admin           | G           | Babylon Hardware                            | RFB No BDP18-023 Rebid Hardware<br>& Misc Items Renewal                      | 12/12/2022 -<br>12/11/2023 | See Bid #BDP18-023<br>Rebid Award Sheet     |
| Admin           | G           | Association for Mental<br>Health & Wellness | Professional Development                                                     | 11/8/2022                  | \$900.00                                    |
| Admin           | G           | Adriana Devers                              | Professional Development                                                     | 11/14/2022                 | \$400.00                                    |

**SCHEDULE 10-H-22 – HOME TEACHING (regular & special)**  
 (confidential)

**SCHEDULE 10-S-22 – SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION (regular & special)**  
 (confidential)

**SCHEDULE 10-SE-22 – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS**  
 (confidential)

**RECEIPT**  
**OF**  
**SCHEDULES**

*Upon a motion by Ms. Gulli Grunseich, seconded by Mr. Centamore, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following receipt of schedules collectively:*

**SCHEDULE 22-A-514 – TREASURER’S REPORT**

|                       |                                  |             |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Statement of Revenues | General Fund                     | July-August |
|                       | Federal Fund                     | July-August |
|                       | School Lunch                     | July-August |
|                       |                                  |             |
| Treasurer's Report    | July-August                      |             |
|                       |                                  |             |
| Cash Flow             | July-August                      |             |
|                       |                                  |             |
| Claims Audit Report   | August 1, 2022 - August 31, 2022 |             |
|                       |                                  |             |

**SCHEDULE 22-B-837- APPROPRIATION BUDGET STATUS REPORT**

|                                    |                              |             |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation Budget Status Report | General Fund -               | July-August |
|                                    | Capital Fund -               | July-August |
|                                    | Federal Fund -               | July-August |
|                                    | School Lunch-                | July-August |
|                                    |                              |             |
| Trial Balance                      | General                      |             |
| July-August                        | Worker's Comp & Unemployment |             |
|                                    | Federal                      |             |
|                                    | Capital                      |             |
|                                    | Capital Energy Cons. Proj.   |             |
|                                    | Trust & Agency               |             |
|                                    | Private Purpose Trust        |             |
|                                    | Flexible Benefits            |             |
|                                    | School Lunch                 |             |

**PUBLIC**  
**BE**  
**HEARD**

Carla DeVito – Thank you to the BOE for all they do. Congratulations to Ms. Konecny and Ms. Pellegrino on tenure, DPTA participated in the Jones Beach walk for Breast Cancer and raised over \$2,000

## **QUESTIONS/COMMENTS/CONCERNS, Board of Education**

Mrs. Elliott:

- Congratulations to Emily Francisovich who is a News12 Scholar Athlete.
- Thank you to Marie Tortorici for attaining a \$5,000 grant for the social skills program. To date, she has received about \$60,000 for the Program.
- Homecoming was a great day.
- We have a new “Al Centamore field” sign on the HS track.
- In person committee meetings will be on 11/15. DE&I will be virtual on 11/14.
- SEPFC has a Halloween Carnival coming up
- Congratulations to Ms. Konecny and Ms. Pellegrino on their tenure

Mr. Jean-Pierre:

- DE&I Committee met virtual on 10/17.
- Spoke about respecting others, Hispanic heritage month, student vision boards, cultural night, Diwali and Spanish honor society
- Next meeting will be on 11/14.

### **ADJOURN**

Upon a motion by Ms. Gulli Grunseich, seconded by Mr. Henkel,  
The Board of Education adjourned at 8:50 p.m.