HARDYSTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MINUTES JUNE 14, 2016

7:00 PM – Hardyston Township Middle School Media Center

I. Call to Order

Board President Dorothy Beltramine called the Regular Meeting of the Hardyston Board of Education to order on June 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Library of the Hardyston Middle School, 183 Wheatsworth Road, Hamburg, NJ 07419. President Dorothy Beltramine read the Open Public Meetings Act statement.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

Mrs. Donna Carey present

Mr. Nick Demsak absent - arrived at 8:03 pm

Mr. Philip Giordano present
Mr. Ron Hoffman present
Mrs. Susana Pohl present
Mr. Michael Restel present
Mr. David Van Ginneken present

Mr. Ed Blahut absent - excused

Mrs. Dorothy Beltramine present

Dr. Richard R. Corbett absent Mr. James Sekelsky present

Quorum confirmed: [X] Yes [] No

Special Guest(s) Present: Robert Demeter, Acting Elementary School Principal

Staff Member(s) Present: 25

Community Member(s) Present: 6

Other: n/a

MISSION STATEMENT

The Hardyston School District together with our parents, families and community is dedicated to preparing our students for the 21st Century by providing each student with a quality education, in a safe and caring environment, which allows all students to achieve the New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards and Common Core State Standards at all grade levels and includes the knowledge, confidence, and self-esteem to be successful life-long learners in a culturally diverse democracy.

IV. Workshop

- 1. Addendum Report
- 2. Committee Reports:

Personnel (Ron Hoffman)

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Curriculum & Programs (Donna Carey)
Technology (David VanGinneken)
Facilities & Operations
Finance (Dot Beltramine)
Policy (Philip Giordano)

- 3. Sussex County Educational Services Commission Report (Susana Pohl)
- 4. Board President Update

V. Executive Session #1

Motion is presented by D. Beltramine and seconded by R. Hoffman that the Hardyston Township Board of Education enters private session at 7:21 p.m. to discuss Personnel & CSA evaluation, which is exempt from public participation pursuant to New Jersey Public Law 1975, Chapter 231, "Open Public Meetings Act." Any discussion held by the Board which need not remain confidential will be made public when appropriate. Minutes of the private session will not be disclosed until the need for confidentiality no longer exists. The Board will reconvene in public session at the conclusion of the closed session.

Voice Unanimous

VI. Return to Public Session

Motion by Dorothy Beltramine and seconded by Ron Hoffman to the Board of Education will return to public session at 7:35 p.m.

Roll Call

Voice Unanimous

Action following Executive Session if needed:

None

VII. Public Comment (Board Policy #1200) – Agenda "Action" Items only as indicated under Committee Reports, numbered, with "motion to" in the introductory statement.

- T. Zinck, 100 Wheatsworth Road, Hardyston, NJ 07419 addressed items P-14 & P-15. She presented information about required credentials.
- Dave Sasso, 22 Beach Court, Stockholm, NJ 07460 inquired as to whether there was an active SAC at Wallkill
- Holly Romahn, 100 South Shore Drive, Wantage, NJ 07461 brought a typo to attention

VIII. Approval of Minutes

- 1. May 10, 2016
- 2. May 16, 2016

Motion of adopt: D. Beltramine				Seconded By: P. Giordano		
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT		
Carey	_X					
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Demsak Giordano Hoffman Pohl Restel Van Ginneken Blahut Beltramine	_X	X		bstain 5/16/16 bstain 5/16/16		
IX. Superintend	lent's Report					
X. Old Busines	s					
July 2July 2Augu	tes for 2015- 20 28 – (Tentative 2 26 - Retreat (Dis 12 – Regular Me ast 9 - Regular Me ember 13 - Regu	Meeting Date) strict and Board eeting Meeting	l Goals) - mus	t verify public	notice.	
2. Appointmer	nts and Delegate	s:				
Presentation, by New Jersey and		-	_	es and alternate	es will be appo	ointed to the
Delegate	Dor	othy Beltramin	e			
State Alternate	Dor	nna Carey				
County Delegat	eRor	n Hoffman				
XI. New Busine	SS					
N/B-1. Motion to Hardyston Middle (regular) and fourth will be the alternate	and Elementary n (workshop) Tu	Schools (as no nesday of each r	oted), 183 Wh	eatsworth Rd.	, to be held on	the second
<u>Month</u>	2 nd Tuesday Regular	4 th Tuesday W	<u>/orkshop</u>			
June	14	28 No Work	shop Schedule	ed Currently		

July	12	26	Prelim District & Board Goals
August	9	23	Action Plan Review
September	13	27	Final District Goals
October	11	18	No Workshop Scheduled Currently
November	8	22	No Workshop Scheduled Currently
December	13	20	No Workshop Scheduled Currently
January 2017	10	24	Budget Workshop
February	14	28	Budget Workshop
March	14	28	Approval and Filing of Tentative Budget
April	11	25	Public Hearing and Adoption of Budget
May	9	23	Superintendent Evaluation Workshop
June	13	27	Annual Evaluation Workshop & Retreat
July	11	25	Prelim District & Board Goals
August	8	22	Action Plan Review

N/B-2. Motion to approve the application for a Wellness Grant through the Schools Health Insurance Fund (Hardyston BOE is a founding member) for the 2016-2017 school year. The district is willing to commit to management resources and will be financially responsible for any wellness expenses outside of the program, including employee incentives. The Hardyston BOE will also form a Committee lead by a Wellness Coordinator that must meet at least twice a year that the ability to lead and sustain the program after the grant is expended. The CSA will appoint a Wellness Champion/Leader who will be paid \$500.00 for the year. The CSA will select a program with Comprehensive Biometric Screenings and 2-3 Wellness Days.

ACTION ITEM(S): N/B-1 - N/B-2

Motion to adopt: D. Beltramine Seconded By: R. Hoffman

MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_X			
Demsak				X
Giordano	_X			
Hoffman	_X			
Pohl	_X			
Restel	_X			
Van Ginneken	_X			
Blahut				X
Beltramine	_X			

XII. Agenda Items:

FINANCE

F-1

Motion to approve \$ 70,361.94 in transfers for the month of May 2016.

<u>F-2</u>

Motion to approve the attached Bills List for the month of May 2016 in the amount of \$1,030,195.23.

F-3

Motion to approve the Treasurer of School Monies Comparison Report for April 2016.

F'-4

Motion to approve the Board Secretary's Monthly Comparison Report for April 2016.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Education regulation N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)3 require local school districts to file a monthly certification of budgetary line item status,

- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education acknowledges that James R. Sekelsky, Board Secretary, certifies the following statement: Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)3, I, James R. Sekelsky, Board Secretary, certify that no budgetary line items accounts are over-appropriated nor over-expended for the period ending April 30, 2016.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)4 the board of Education certifies that as of after review of the board secretary's and treasurer's monthly financial reports and upon consultation with the appropriate school district officials, to the best of our knowledge, no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

F-5

Motion to approve the following fiscal year organizational items (1 - 54) reorganization agenda for approval, as required by statute:

1. Motion to approve the Code of Ethics for School Board Members subject to Statute 12-24.1, Chapter 178, Public Law 2001, Robert's Rules of Order, and Parliamentary Procedures for all meetings of the Hardyston Township Board of Education.

- 2. Motion to reaffirm all past resolutions and motions previously approved by the Board of Education through June 30, 2016.
- 3. Motion to re-adopt all existing Board of Education policy manual, by-laws, regulations, handbooks, contractual agreements, and other legislative or regulatory action of this board hereby continued in force through June 30, 2017.
- 4. Motion to recognize the Hardyston Township Education Association as the official organized bargaining units representing all non-administrative contractual staff.
- 5. Motion to approve all curriculum, curriculum guides, 5-year curriculum review schedule through June 30, 2017, educational programs, and existing approved textbooks for the 2016-2017 school year.
- 6. Motion to approve the New Jersey Herald as the official newspaper and the Star Ledger and Advertiser News as the official (alternate) newspapers of the Board of Education for advertising purposes.
- 7. Motion to designate the Sussex Bank, New Jersey Cash Management Fund, and New Jersey Asset Rebate Management Fund as the official depositories of the Board of Education for all funds.
- 8. Motion to authorize a petty cash fund for each school building the amount of \$250.00. The custodian of funds will be the principal of each school. Individual warrants eligible for reimbursement may not exceed \$50 per receipt. Sales tax will not be approved for reimbursement.
- 9. Motion to approve the chart of accounts for the budgetary process and authorizes the Superintendent of Schools and the School Business Administrator to implement the 2016-2017 school budget pursuant to applicable local and state policies and regulations.
- 10. Motion to authorize the School Business Administrator and Board Secretary as:
- a. Custodian of Board of Education Records for OPRA compliance
- b. Chief Financial Officer and Investment Officer with approved depositories
- c. Public Agency Compliance Officer (PACO)
- d. Qualified Purchasing Agent quote threshold \$5,400; transportation contract threshold \$18,300; all other bids threshold \$40,000
- 11. Motion to appoint the Chief School Administrator as custodian of School Personnel Records for the 2016-2017 school year.
- 12. Motion to authorize the School Business Administrator and Board Secretary to:
- a. Maintain appropriate bonding as required by state statutes
- b. Make telephone, wire, and electronic transactions of board funds
- c. Invest board funds at the most advantageous rate in compliance with all state laws and regulations.
- d. Issue advance payment and/or partial payment to facilitate district requisitions, on an as needed basis.
- e. Audit and approve any account and demand to be paid prior to

presentation to the Board. Any such approval shall be presented to the Board for ratification at their next meeting as per NJSA 18A:19-4.1.

13. RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approve the following resolution authorizing the procurement of goods and services through the New Jersey state purchasing agency for the 2016 - 2017 school year:

WHEREAS, Title 18A:18A-10 provides that, "A board of education, without advertising for bids, or after having rejected all bids obtained pursuant to advertising therefore, by resolution may purchase any goods or services pursuant to a contract or contracts for such goods or services entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property; and

WHEREAS, the Hardyston School District has the need, on a timely basis, to procure goods and services utilizing state contracts; and

WHEREAS, the Hardyston Board of Education desires to authorize its purchasing agent for the 2016-17 school year to make any and all purchases necessary to meet the needs of the school district throughout the school year.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hardyston Board of Education does hereby authorize the district purchasing agent to make purchases of goods and services entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property utilizing all state contracted vendors.

- 14. Motion to authorize the School Business Administrator, in consultation and agreement with the Chief School Administrator, to process line item transfers in compliance with state law and regulations.
- 15. Motion to authorize the School Business Administrator, in consultation and agreement with the Chief School Administrator, to declare miscellaneous items no longer needed as surplus and to dispose of these items in compliance with state law and regulations.
- 16. Motion to approve the official signatures of the Board President, School Treasurer, and Board Secretary to sign warrants for all board funds in agreement with the signature cards approved by the Board of Education except as below:
 - a. Student Activities: IAW Board Policy 3326/3326.1, the CSA and/or his designee may be authorized as sole signer of the checks drawn against the Student Activities Account.
 - b. Cafeteria Account: IAW Board Policy 3326/3326.1, the Board President and Secretary signatures are both required for checks drawn against the Cafeteria Account.
- 17. Motion to authorize use of a signature stamp for the Board President, Treasurer, and Board Secretary.
- 18. Motion to authorize the Board President or designee to act as Board Secretary when appropriate.

- 19. Motion to approve the appropriate bonding of the School Business Administrator (\$200,000) and Treasurer of School Monies (\$200,000) as required by Statute.
- 20. Motion to approve appointment of Schenck, Price, Smith, & King as general counsel from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 at the hourly rate of \$166.46, law clerks at the hourly rate of \$130.05, and paralegals at \$114.44 per hour, and adopt the following resolution.

WHEREAS, there exists a need for legal services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that Schenck, Price, Smith, & King be contracted as general legal counsels for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016 - 2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

21. Motion to re-appoint Nisivoccia & Company LLP as professional auditors for the Board of Education through June 30, 2017 at a cost of \$21,500 and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for auditing services; and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that Nisivoccia & Company LLP be contracted as auditors for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

22. Motion to appoint The Morville Agency as designated Insurance Agent (broker of record) for Health, Prescription, and Dental benefits through June 30, 2017 and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for health insurance brokerage services; and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that The Morville Agency be contracted as health insurance broker of record for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

23. Motion to appoint The Morville Agency doing business with Arthur J. Gallagher, Inc. as the Risk Management Consultant the School Health Insurance Fund (S.H.I.F.) for the purchase of health/medical, liability, auto, workers compensation, and other required bonds & insurance through June 30, 2017, and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for insurance/risk management services; and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that The Morville Agency be contracted as Risk Management Consultant for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

24. Motion to appoint Architectural Firm, Parette Somjen Architects, Gregory J. Somjen, AIA, as official architects of record through June 30, 2017, at \$160 per Principal hour, \$160 per Partner hour, \$139 for Project Engineer, \$99 for Project Manager and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for architectural services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that Parette Somjen Architects be contracted as official architects of record for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

25. Motion to approve renewal of the contractual agreement with J & B Occupational Therapy, LLC, of Augusta NJ for occupational therapy and physical therapy at the rate of \$89.50 per hour as required in the students' Individual Educational Plan effective July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Partial funding will be provided through the IDEIA grant.

WHEREAS, there exists a need for professional therapy services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that J & B Occupational Therapy, LLC be contracted as official therapists of record for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

26. Motion to approve renewal of the contractual agreement with The ABA Clinic, LLC of Sparta, NJ for Applied Behavior Analysis services and consultation at the rate of \$105 per hour for Direct Services and \$55 per hour for Indirect Service as required in the students' Individual Educational Plan effective July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Partial funding will be provided through the IDEIA grant.

WHEREAS, there exists a need for applied behavior analysis services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that The ABA Clinic, LLC be contracted as official therapists of record for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

27. Motion to approve the renewal of Skylands Pediatrics as School Physicians through June 30, 2017, at the annual amount of \$6,250 and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for medical services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that Skylands Pediatrics be contracted as School Physicians for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

28. Motion to re-appoint Bollinger Insurance Inc. for student accident insurance through June 30th, 2017, and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for insurance services, and

WHEREAS, the Public School Contracts Laws (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5) requires that a resolution authorizing the contracting of "Professional Services" without competitive bids be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Hardyston Township that The Bollinger Insurance Inc. be contracted as Insurance Agent for student accident insurance for the Hardyston Board of Education for the 2016-2017 school year without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" in accordance with 18A:18A-5 of the Public School Contracts Law and Chapter 271 political contribution disclosure form is on file with district.

29. Motion to approve an Interlocal Agreement with Sparta Township (Grant "Sam" Rome) to provide services to fulfill the Treasurer of School Monies responsibilities for a yearly fee of \$5610.

- 30. Motion to approve and accept electronic signatures for the requisition process for the Chief School Administrator and the Business Administrator. The district uses a requisitioning software product provided by CDK Systems, Inc.
- 31. Motion to approve the Premium Payment Plan (consisting of the Section 125 Plan document, and component Benefit Plans and Policies) that complies with Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code to enable its employees to elect to pay for their share of the group health insurance on a pretax salary reduction basis and that the School Business Administrator of the Board is authorized and directed to take any and all action as may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution.
- 32. Motion to re-confirm membership with School Health Insurance Plan for the cooperative purchase of liability and health/medical insurance through June 30, 2017 and to authorize the School Business Administrator to serve as agent of the Board.
- 33. Motion to approve the substitute calling service, The Substitute Service, LLC, for the 2016-2017 school year at a cost of \$3,820.
- 34. Motion to approve renewal of the software support agreement with CDK Computer Solutions for the district's personnel and budgetary accounting through June 30, 2017 at the rate of \$5,095 for the personnel program (\$300 for up to two additional users) and \$3,790 for the accounting program, (\$300 for two additional users) and \$2,300 for the requisition program.
- 35. Motion to authorize payroll deductions for Tax Sheltered Annuities, Custodial Accounts, Disability Income Protection Plans, and other depositories requested by staff with Visions Credit Union, Equitable AXA, Fidelity, Lincoln Life, Metropolitan Life, N.Y. Life, T. Rowe Price, Variable Annuity Life, Vanguard Group, Unum, SBP Commercial National Bank, and Sussex Bank, Colonial Life, Prudential, Ameriprise and Aflac.
- 36. Motion to approve renewal of the Elementary School and the Middle School as Red Cross Emergency Shelters, if needed, for the 2016-2017 school year. This agreement may be terminated with 30 days' written notice by either party.
- 37. Motion to approve the agreement with Wallkill Valley Regional High School and the Hardyston Township School District to access the services of the Wallkill's Substance Abuse Coordinator on an "as needed" basis. This agreement also includes the mutual exchange of services with each school district for emergency and/or grief counseling services, as needed.
- 38. Motion to approve renewal of the agreement with Sussex County Regional Cooperative effective July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, for transportation services for special education requirements and to seek quotes for student field trips and any other transportation as needed. The contract will be extended according to the payment schedule stated in the agreement for administrative fees and payment schedule.
- 39. Motion to approve membership with Sussex County Educational Services Commission, Bergen County Educational Services Commission, and Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey for services to our students as needed and identified by appropriate school administration.

40. Motion to approve the District's Comprehensive Equity Plan for the 2016-2017 school year as previously approved and submitted to the NJ Department of Education Sussex County Office. (copy on file)

41. Motion to approve the renewal of the following maintenance contracts:

NTE = Not To Exceed (quoted estimates exceeding 5% will be re-approved from the Board)

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	Amount
Automatic Temperature Control	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Pneumatic Controls	\$5,600
AES - NJ Cogen	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Cogeneration maintenance System	\$13,500
Arrow Elevator	7/1/16 6/30/17	Elevator	\$2,075
Automated Logic	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Computer controls Heat & A/C	\$4,845
Butler Engineering	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Boiler & A/C Chemicals Monitoring	\$1,800
Carrier/MSC	7/1/16- 6/30/17	A/C Chillers & Winterization	\$5,715 NTE 5%
Decker Fire & Safety	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Fire maintenance service	\$1250 NTE 5%
Kraft Power	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Emerg. Backup generator	\$710 NTE 5%
Complete Security Systems	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Burglar, fire & freezer alarms	\$2,050 NTE 5%

Temp Master/MSC	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Aerco boiler annual maintenance	\$2,700
Temp Master/MSC	7/1/16- 6/30/17	8 Air handlers	\$3,822
Temp Master/MSC	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Chillers – winterize & restart	\$1,920 NTE 5%
McGowan	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Drinking water mgmt compliance	\$6,125 NTE 5%
QC Labs	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Drinking water testing/compliance	As needed \$3,000 NTE 5%
Malone	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Sprinkler system certification	\$3,265 NTE 5%
Applied Water Managementd dba Natural Systems Utilities	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Septic maintenance	\$10,104
Rullo & Julliet	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Right to Know/ PEOSH/ asbestos monitoring	\$5,665
On-Tech Consulting	7/1/16- 6/30/17	E-rate application process	\$2,000
Sussex County Fire Sales & Service	7/1/16- 6/30/17	Fire extinguishers & suppression system	\$1,500

- 42. Motion to renew (ratifies previous motion) the three (3) Interlocal Agreements with the Township of Hardyston for shared services of the following:
- <u>Park Maintenance</u> for the period January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016, at a cost of \$17,340 (Municipal fiscal year is the calendar year).

- <u>Solid Waste and Recycling</u> for the period January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016, at a cost of \$11,220 (Municipal fiscal year is the calendar year), and
- to approve the continuation of the three year <u>Commodity Resale Agreement</u> with the Township of Hardyston for the cost of fuel at the rates authorized by the Morris County Cooperative Pricing Council, currently at the following rates: \$1.9226 for gasoline and \$1.8524 for diesel, plus an additional \$0.10 per gallon administrative fee, billed monthly per actual usage for the period January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016. (Municipal fiscal year is the calendar year).
- 43. Motion to appoint Michael Ryder as the district's Affirmative Action Officer, Homeless Liaison, Gender Equity Officer, and Attendance Officer, with no additional stipend, through June 30, 2017.
- 44. Motion to approve Robin Stoll as the district's English Language Services Coordinator with an annual stipend of \$500 through June 30, 2017.
- 45. Motion to approve the non-teaching principal waiver for the 2016-2017 school year in accordance with NJAC 6:8-3.2.
- 46. Motion to appoint Carl Platvoet as Safety Compliance Officer, IPM Coordinator, AHERA Designee, Air Quality Designee, Chemical Hygiene Officer, and Right to Know Officer through June 30, 2017.
- 47. Motion to ratify a previous renewal of the Article 16 Memorandum of Agreement Annual Addendum, effective July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017:

The Hardyston Township Board of Education at the June 9, 2015 public meeting wishing to recognize and maintain the value of the Uniform State Memorandum of Agreement between Education and Law Enforcement Officials hereby re-adopts the Memorandum of Agreement as originally approved by this Board, without modification and authorizes the submission to the County Superintendent of Schools, the County Prosecutor, and to Law Enforcement for signatures.

48. Motion to approve the annual tuition rates for any out of district student accepted by Hardyston Township Public Schools as follows:

based upon Cost Per Pupil from the 16-17 Budget

<u>Program</u>	Annual Tuition
Preschool Handicapped PT	\$17,230
Preschool Handicapped FT	\$31,349
Multiple Disabled	\$56,640
Special Education, LLD	\$24,919

Kindergarten, full-day	\$11,778
Regular Education, Grades 1-5	\$13,681
Regular Education, Grades 6-8	\$14,230

49. Motion to approve the 2016-2017 payroll rates for substitute coverage as indicated:

1.	Substitute Teacher	\$ 75.00 per day
2.	Substitute School Nurse	\$150.00 per day
3.	Substitute Secretary	\$ 60.00 per day
4.	Substitute Custodian	\$ 15.00 per hour (reg. school year only)
5.	Substitute Aide	\$ 10.00 per hour
6.	Bedside/Tutor/Home Instruction	\$ 33.00 per hour
7.	LPN Aide	upon recommendation of CSA

F-6 Maintenance Reserve Transfer:

Motion to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, NJSA 18A:21-2, NJSA 18A:7G-31 and 18A:7F-41 permits a Board of education to establish and/or deposit into a certain reserve account at year end; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned statutes authorize procedures, under the authority of the Commissioner of Education, which permit a board of education to transfer unanticipated excess current review or unexpended appropriations into reserve accounts during the months of June by board resolution; and

WHEREAS the Hardyston Township Board of Education wishes to transfer unanticipated excess current year revenue or unexplained appropriations from the general fund into a Maintenance Reserve account at the year end; and

WHEREAS, the Hardyston Township Board of Education has determined that an amount up to \$350,000, subject to available balances upon completion of fiscal audit;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Hardyston Township Board of Education that it hereby authorizes the District's School Business Administrator/Board Secretary to make this transfer consistent with all applicable laws and regulations as recommended by the Superintendent/CSA.

F-7 CAPITAL RESERVE TRANSFER:

Motion to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, NJSA 18A:21-2, NJSA 18A:7G-31 and 18A:7F-41 permits a Board of education to establish and/or deposit into a certain reserve account at year end; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned statutes authorize procedures, under the authority of the Commissioner of Education, which permit a board of education to transfer unanticipated excess

current review or unexpended appropriations into reserve accounts during the months of June by board resolution; and

WHEREAS the Hardyston Township Board of Education wishes to transfer unanticipated excess current year revenue or unexplained appropriations from the general fund into a Capital Reserve account at the year end; and

WHEREAS, the Hardyston Township Board of Education has determined that an amount up to \$350,000, subject to available balances upon completion of fiscal audit;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Hardyston Township Board of Education that it hereby authorizes the District's School Business Administrator/Board Secretary to make this transfer consistent with all applicable laws and regulations.

ACTION ITEM(S	S): F-1 to F-7			
Motion to adopt: 1	D. Beltramine	Seco	onded By: D. Carey	
MOTION	YES NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	
Carey	_X			
Demsak		· 	X	
Giordano	_X			
Hoffman	_X			
Pohl	_X			
Restel	_X			
Van Ginneken	_X	X	abstain F-5, #4	3
Blahut			X	
Beltramine	_X			

PERSONNEL

(All Personnel resolutions are based on the recommendation of the Superintendent)

P-1

Motion to renew the employment of Robert Demeter as tenured Middle School Vice Principal for the 2016/2017 school year, at a salary rate of \$94,767.

<u>P-2</u>

Motion to reappoint James R. Sekelsky as tenured School Business Administrator /Board Secretary, and Director of District Facilities from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 at a salary of \$121,414 and contingent upon the approval by the Executive County Superintendent.

P-3

Motion to renew the employment of Nicole Meyer, tenured Administrative Assistant to the Chief School Administrator, for the 2016/2017 school year at a salary rate of \$54,121.

P-4

Motion to renew the employment of Joni Millier, tenured Board Office Secretary/Payroll Clerk, for the 2016/2017 school year at a salary rate of \$43,936.

P-5

Motion to renew the employment of Wendy Chandler, tenured Assistant to the Business Administrator, for the 2016/2017 school year at a salary rate of \$36,639.

P-6

Motion to renew the employment of Carl Platvoet, Head Custodian and Supervisor of Building and Grounds, for the 2016/2017 school year at a salary rate of \$63,168 (57,668 + 5,500 STIPEND).

<u>P-7</u>

Motion to renew the employment of David Lenz, Head Custodian, for the 2016/2017 school year at a salary rate of \$57,668.

ACTION ITEM(S): P-1 to P-7

Motion to adopt:	R. Hoffm	an	Seco	nded By: D. Beltramine
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_X			
Demsak				X
Giordano	_X			
Hoffman	_X			
Pohl	_X		·	
Restel	_X			
Van Ginneken	_X		X	abstain P-1
Blahut				X
Beltramine	_X			

<u>P-8</u>

Motion to accept, with regret, the letter of resignation from Kelly Eberding, full time Resource Room teacher (Grade 5) effective June 30, 2016.

<u>Background</u>: Mrs. Eberding will be relocating to South Carolina.

<u>P-9</u>

Motion to approve the following individuals for the 2016 Summer Preschool Handicapped Program beginning June 20, 2016 through July 22, 2016, from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM:

Lisa Napovier, Teacher, 3 hours per day @ current per diem rate/per hour

Diane Lapinski, Teacher, 3 hours per day @ current per diem rate/per hour

Karen Dunn, Aide, 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

Debbie Coltenback, Aide, 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

Kellie Haberstroh, Aide, 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

Karen Schurman, Aide 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

Stephanie Romano, Aide 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

Kristin Broderick, Aide 2.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

P-10

Motion to approve the following individuals for the 2016 Summer Multiple Disability Program beginning June 20, 2016 through July 22, 2016, from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM:

David Fencsak, Teacher, 4 hours per day @ current per diem rate/per hour

Maria Flaherty, Aide, 3.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

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Robin Stark, Aide, 3.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour Anthony Reifler, Aide, 3.5 hours per day @ \$10.00 per hour

P-11

Motion to approve the following individuals for the 2016 Summer Preschool Handicapped and Multiple Disability Programs beginning June 20, 2016 through July 22, 2016:

Amy Kohut, Nurse, 3.5 hours per day @ current per diem rate/per hour

Maureen Hubbard, Speech, (MD and Identified IEP students) 45 hours @ \$85 per hour

Robin Stoll, Speech, (preK and speech only students) 70 hours @ \$85 per hour

J&B Occupational & Physical Therapy Services @ \$89.50/per hour (26 students)

Epic Nursing Services for identified student up to 3.5 hours per day for up to 23 days NTE \$45.00 per hour - no benefits -(for only the days the student is present in school and contract to be reviewed to confirm that all state requirements are met)

P-12

Motion to approve the following individuals as substitutes for the 2016 Summer Preschool Handicapped and Multiple Disability Programs beginning June 20, 2016 through July 22, 2016:

Jenna Williams, Substitute Teacher (Napovier) @ current sub rate/per hour

Denece Forenback, Substitute Nurse @ current sub rate/per hour

Emilie Farrell, Substitute Aide @ \$10/per hour

Shannon Kennedy, Substitute Aide @ \$10/per hour

Ammara Khan, Substitute Teacher or Aide @ current sub rate/per hour

Amanda Bonney, Substitute Teacher or Aide @ current sub rate/per hour

P-13

Motion to approve the following staff members as summer tutors at a rate of \$33 per hour, as outlined in the identified student IEPs (20 students):

Karen Junior	Tutor @ \$33 per hour
Kaitlin Gregory	Tutor @ \$33 per hour
Amanda Sanders	Tutor @ \$33 per hour
Justine Rueckel	Tutor @ \$33 per hour
Holly Romahn	Tutor @ \$33 per hour

ACTION ITEM(S): P-8-P-13

Motion to adopt: R. Hoffman				Seconded By: D. Beltrammine
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_X			
Demsak				X
Giordano	_X			
Hoffman	_X			
Pohl	_X			
Restel	_X			
Van Ginneken				
Blahut				X
Beltramine	_X			
Blahut				
Beltramine				

P-14

Motion to rescind the employment contract with the following non-tenured certified staff members for the 2016/2017 school year. Salaries as per negotiated agreement.

Name	2015-16 Current Position – information purposes only
Blanchard, Ashley	8 th Grade – Resource
Corbett, Jill	Resource – ES
Gregory, Kaitlin (.65)	Resource – ES
Kevil, Frances	6 th Grade – Math
McLaughlin, Janine (.65)	Computer Teacher - MS
McNear, Karrie (.58)	Family & Consumer Sciences - MS
Metzgar, Lisa	Multiple Disabled – MS
Rizzolo, Joseph (.8)	Music - ES
Sanders, Amanda (.41)	Basic Skills/Gym - ES

P-15

Motion to renew the employment contract with the following non-tenured certified staff members for the 2016/2017 school year. Salaries as per negotiated agreement.

Name	2015-16 Current Position – information purposes only
Blanchard, Ashley	8 th Grade – Resource
Corbett, Jill	Resource – ES
Gregory, Kaitlin (.65)	Resource – ES
Kevil, Frances	6 th Grade – Math
McNear, Karrie (.58)	Family & Consumer Sciences - MS
Metzgar, Lisa	Multiple Disabled – MS
Rizzolo, Joseph (.8)	Music - ES
Sanders, Amanda (.41)	Basic Skills/Gym - ES

P-16

Motion to approve the following individuals for summer 2016 custodial help commencing June 15 through on or about August 31, 2016, at an hourly rate of \$12.00:

Josh Bennett - no more than 40 hours per week Eric Sonnenwald - no more than 40 hours per week Samuel Hontz - no more than 40 hours per week Helmut Messner – no more than 40 hours per week

P-17

Motion to approve the following individuals for summer 2016 custodial help commencing June 15 through on or about August 31, 2016, at an hourly rate of \$10.00:

Lynn Peterson – no more than 40 hours per week Rachel Van Dyke -- no more than 40 hours per week

P-18

Motion to approve the following individuals extended custodial hours for summer 2016 commencing June 15 through on or about August 31, 2016, at an hourly rate of \$12.00, only if such additional hours do not necessitate additional benefits in accordance with the Affordable Care Act:

Penny Mackerley – 2 ½ hours Patricia Clipperton - 2 ½ hours Peter Manero - 3 hours Alexander Serra - 3 hours

P-19

Motion to accept, with regret, a letter of resignation of Amy Kohut, elementary school nurse, effective July 31, 2016.

P-20

Motion to approve Lucia Stephenson for a first year field internship with David Sasso, School Social Worker for the fall 2016 and spring 2017 semesters. Ms. Stephenson will tentatively be in district Tuesdays and Thursdays for a total of 15 hours per week. She is a graduate student in Rutgers MSW program.

<u>P-21</u>

Motion to approve a maternity leave of absence for Kristina Luciano, Grade 5 Science Teacher, effective October 31, 2016 through on or about February 21, 2017. Mrs. Luciano intends to use 18 of her accumulated sick days during this disability period, October 31, 2016 - November 28, 2016. Following completion of this disability leave, Mrs. Luciano wishes to be placed on a leave in accordance with the New Jersey Family Leave Act to commence on or about November 29, 2016 and end on or about February 21, 2017. During this time, she would like to use 10 accumulated sick days. Mrs. Luciano intends to return to her current position on or about February 22, 2017. All leaves are in accordance with New Jersey law and regulations.

P-22

Motion to appoint the extra-curricular coach for the 2015/2016 school year (step amount as per negotiated agreement):

The Board of Education shall determine the requirements of and qualifications for all extracurricular positions in the district as dictated by the nature of the activity in accordance with N.J.S.A. 34:13A-23. Upon recommendation of the CSA, the Board shall appoint to all extracurricular assignments, those individuals who have the proper qualifications for the position and can meet the requirements of the position. In the event a qualified candidate cannot be found within the district, the Board may employ a qualified person from outside the district.

Elizabeth Curcio Chorus Step 1 \$1,405.

<u>Background</u>: Mrs. Curcio was inadvertently omitted from the original list for approval and has completed the entire school year as the Chorus advisor.

Demsak			X
Giordano	_X		
Hoffman	_X		
Pohl	_X	X	abstain P-14 & P-15
Restel	_X	X	abstain P-14 & P-15
Van Ginneken	_X		
Blahut			X
Beltramine	X		

CURRICULUM/PROGRAMS

C/P-1

Motion to approve the listed travel events in agreement with Chapter 53, Public Law 2007, Title 18A, and Board Policy 9250:

EVENT	DATE	REGISTRATION FEE		EMPLOYEE/BOARD MEMBER
NCLB Application Training, North Warren	6/23/16	-0-	\$17.98	R. Demeter J. Sekelsky

C/P-2

Motion to approve the following out of district students for the 2016-2017 school year (which includes the extended school year):

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STUDENTS 1	SCHOOL TUI' Windsor Learning Center	FION \$54,900.00/10 mo. + Transportation \$ 9,150/ESY
1	Rollings Hills School Vernon, School District	\$18,000/10 mo. + Transportation \$ TBD/Aide (will require subsequent Board approval) ***awaiting final 2016 tuition contract*** \$ 7.65%/FICA (aide cost) \$ 40/session (counseling) \$ TBD Winslow Therapeutic Riding Academy
1	The Craig School Mountain Lakes, NJ	\$1,700 ESY + Transportation (AM only) \$35,570 reg. year

C/P-3

Motion to approve the following students for the 2016 summer program:

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STUDENTS
1SCHOOL
Hardyston StudentsSALARY
\$ 297 .00Summer Tutoring

			2X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>K. Gregory</i>)
2	Hardyston Student	\$ 594.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (A. Sanders)
2	Hardyston Student	\$ 495.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (A. Sanders)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 123.75	Summer Tutoring 1X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (K. Gregory)
2	Hardyston Student	\$ 594.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>K. Junior</i>)
4	Hardyston Students	\$ 990.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (K. Junior)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 445.50	Summer Tutoring 3X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>K. Gregory</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 247.50	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>K. Gregory</i>)
2	Hardyston Student	\$ 594.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>H. Romahn</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 445.50	Summer Tutoring 3X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>H. Romahn</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 247.50	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>H. Romahn</i>)
2	Hardyston Student	\$ 660.00	Summer Tutoring 2X/wk. – 60 min. (5 wks.) @ \$33/hr. (<i>J. Rueckel</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$1,980.00	Summer Tutoring 2 hrs/day – 30 days @ \$33/hr. (J. Rueckel)

18	Hardyston Students	\$ 4,005.00	Occupational Therapy 1X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) J&B Therapy - \$89.50/hr.
8	Hardyston Students	\$ 1,780.00	Physical Therapy 1X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) J&B Therapy - \$89.50/hr.
16	Hardyston PSD Students	\$ 4,250.00	Summer Speech 5 Groups @ 30 min./day (5 wks.) (4 days/wk.) = 50 hrs. @ \$85/hr. (Robin Stoll)
4	Hardyston Students	\$1,700.00	Summer Speech 2X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (Robin Stoll)
2	Hardyston MD Students	\$ 850.00	Summer Speech 2X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (<i>M. Hubbard</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 212.50	Summer Speech 1X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (M. Hubbard)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 318.75	Summer Speech 1X/wk. – 45 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (M. Hubbard)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 425.00	Summer Speech 2X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (<i>M. Hubbard</i>)
1	Hardyston Student	\$ 765.00	Summer Speech 2X/wk. – 45 min. (6 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (<i>M. Hubbard</i>)
1	Hardyston MD Student	\$ 425.00	Summer Speech 2X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (M. Hubbard)
1	Hardyston MD Student	\$ 637.50	Summer Speech 3X/wk. – 30 min. (5 wks.) @ \$85/hr. (M. Hubbard)
ACTION IT	ΓΕΜ(S): C/P-1 - C/P-3		
Motion to ad MOTION	lopt: D. Carey YES NO ABST	Seconded By: P. Gi TAIN ABSENT	ordano
Carey Demsak	_X	X	
Giordano	_X	A	

Hoffman	_X	 ·
Pohl	_X	
Restel	_X	
Van Ginneken	_X	
Blahut		 X
Beltramine	Χ	

POLICY

POL-1

Motion to approve a second reading and adopt the following policies:

Policy 1330 Use of School Facilities Policy 3515 Smoking Prohibition

ACTION ITEM(S): POL-1

Motion to adopt:	P. Giorda	no	Seco	nded By: D. Bel	tramine
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	<u>ABSENT</u>	
Carey	_X				
Demsak				X	
Giordano	_X				
Hoffman	_X				
Pohl	_X				
Restel	_X				
Van Ginneken	_X				
Blahut				X	
Beltramine	_X				

FACILITIES/OPERATIONS

F/O-1

Motion to approve the use of an elementary school classroom by Girl Scout Troop #96111 for the 2016-2017 school year. They meet twice a month on Friday afternoons from 3:35 to 5:15. All paperwork will be on file in the main office.

ACTION ITEM(S): F/O-1

Motion to adopt:	M. Restel			Seconded By: D. Beltramin
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_X			
Demsak				X
Giordano	_X			
Hoffman	_X			
Pohl	_X			
Restel	_X			
Van Ginneken	_X			
Blahut				X
Beltramine	_X			

TECHNOLOGY - No motions at this time

XIII. Written Communication

WC - 1 Thank you note from Pam Styer

WC - 2 Thank you note from Nancy Margarum

WC - 3 Thank you letter from Wallkill Valley Project Graduation.

XIV. Public Comments – Non-Action or Non-Agenda Items

- Amy Ficacci, 15 Shady Lane, Hardyston, NJ 07419 spoke in support of the changes at the Elementary School
- T. Zinck, 100 Wheatsworth Road, Hardyston, NJ 07419 asked the Board to reconsider requirement for specific certification for the CST coordinator

XVII. Adjournment

With no further action or discussion required of the Hardyston Township Board of Education at this time, a motion was presented by D. Beltramine, and seconded by P. Giordano, to adjourn the meeting at 8:11 p.m.

All in favor, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

James R. Sekelsky

School Board Administrator/Board Secretary