

A G E N D A
THOMASTON BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

Thomaston Town Hall – Meeting Room One

Date: September 12, 2011

7:00 p.m.

Members: Laurie Barrett, Chair; Beth Keutzer, Vice Chair; Lucy Santopietro, Secretary; Laura Fitch, Treasurer; Joanne Gilland, Holly Herbert, Roxy Fainer, George Counter, Members (and a seat vacated by Steve Catania)

- I. Establishment of a quorum and call to order.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance.
- III. Approval of Agenda.
- IV. Approval of Board of Education Minutes for:
 - **Special Meeting of the Board of Education dated August 3, 2011**
 - **Regular Meeting of the Board of Education dated August 8, 2011**
- V. Student Representative Reports: n/a
- VI. Award Presentations:
 - A. Teacher of the Year: Karen DePalma
 - B. Education Enrichment Fund: Thomaston Savings Bank – Mr. Stephen Lewis
- *XI. Standing Committee Reports, Subsection E. Personnel (moved to beginning of agenda):
 - A. John Perrucci
- VII. Communications:
 - A. New Hires:
 1. Ms. Gail Nelson, Substitute to Library Media Specialist (upon receiving certification), Black Rock School/Thomaston Center School
 2. Mr. Danta Coviello, Paraprofessional, Thomaston High School
 3. Ms. Dana Pietrosimone, Biology Teacher, Thomaston High School
 4. Ms. Cindy Bird, Paraprofessional, Black Rock School
 5. Ms. Alison Gracy, Paraprofessional, Black Rock School
 6. Mr. Robert Stack, Paraprofessional, Thomaston Center School
 7. Ms. Debra Green, Paraprofessional, Thomaston Center School
 8. Michelina Stanley, Paraprofessional, Thomaston Center School
 9. Ms. Faith Hull, Paraprofessional, Black Rock School
 10. Ms. Margaret Reagan, Schedule K Assignment, Team Leader Grade 9

11. Mr. Gary Franklin, Schedule K Assignment, Team Leader Grade 10
12. Mr. Rick Wilson, Schedule K Assignment, Team Leader Grade 11
13. Mr. Jeff Dauphinais, Schedule K Assignment, Team Leader Grade 12
14. Mr. Aaron Bunel, Schedule K Assignment, Advisory Coordinator
15. Ms. Margaret Reagan, Schedule K Assignment, Assistant Advisory Coordinator
16. Ms. Christine Webster, 12 month secretary, Black Rock School
17. Mr. John Shackett, Schedule K Assignment, Dean of Students

Vote to accept/approve

B. Resignations/Exit Interviews:

1. Mr. Stephen Catania, Board Member, effective July 15, 2011
2. Ms. Beth Keutzer, Board Member, effective November 14, 2011
3. Ms. Brooke Holway, Biology Teacher, Thomaston High School, effective with the commencement of the new school year
4. Mr. Steve Malo, Schedule K Assignment, Team Leader Grade 8
5. Ms. Mary Reynolds, Paraprofessional, Black Rock School, effective with the commencement of the new school year
6. Ms. Amy Revere, Paraprofessional, Black Rock School, effective with the commencement of the new school year

Vote to accept/approve

C. Athletics: n/a

D. Transfers: n/a

E. Leaves of Absence: n/a

F. Field Trips: n/a

G. Correspondence:

1. District Calendar of Events, September 2011

VIII. Superintendent's Report:

- A. District Goals

IX. Business Manager's Report:

- A. Quarterly Report – September 2011

X. Administrators' Reports:

- A. BRS/TCS: "Two Schools...One Mission", Anne Uberti
- B. Pupil Services Director, Nancy Schnyer
- C. High School Principal, John Perrucci

XI. Standing Committee Reports:

A. Budget:

1. Summary by Budget Line Y-T-D expenditures in the amount of \$1,280,220.89 (8/26/2011)
2. Summary by Budget Line Y-T- D expenditures in the amount of \$13,132,089.00 (Final 10-11)
3. 2010/2011 Twelve Month Ended Financial Summary
3. Transfers: as presented

Vote to accept/approve

B. Curriculum/Instruction:

1. CMT Presentation: Anne Uberti

C. Maintenance/Facilities: n/a

D. Technology:

1. Power School
2. Phone System

E. *Personnel: (moved to beginning of agenda)

F. Transportation: n/a

G. Athletics: n/a

H. Long Range Task Force/Building Committee: n/a

I. Policy:

1. Green Cleaning Program

Vote to accept/approve

2. Training for district staff:

- A. Title IX
- B. Bullying/Climate
- C. Further policy review to determine district training

J. Government Relations: n/a

K. Affiliations: CABA Convention

L. Legislation:

XII. Public Participation:

The Board welcomes public participation. Pursuant to our Board Policy, public participation is limited to no more than five (5) minutes per speaker and a total of no more than twenty (20)

minutes on each subject matter. We know you will observe the rules of common courtesy. Thank you. {9325(a) of Board By-laws}

XIII. Old Business: n/a

XIV. New Business:

XV. Items for Future Agendas: n/a

XVI. Executive Session:

XVI. Adjournment: