

THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION
REORGANIZATION MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 2, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

N.J. OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW

The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meeting of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the provisions of this act the Woodland Park Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting to be published by having the date, time and place thereof posted on the door of the Woodland Park Board of Education Administration Building and was provided to the North Jersey Record & Herald News

FLAG SALUTE

ADMINISTER OATH OF OFFICE TO NEW TRUSTEES

Mayor Kallert swore in newly elected trustees, Kimberly Galbraith, Glen Grimes & Julissa Rodriguez.

ROLL CALL

Members Present – Glen Grimes, Shannon Marren, Julissa Rodriguez, Gina McQuin, Kimberly Galbraith, David Amanullah, Mark Salemi, Joe Giammarella

Members Absent – MaryAnn Perro

Also Present -Michele Pillari, Paul Murphy, Marc Mucciolo

224-228 - ELECTION OF BOARD PRESIDENT

The Board Secretary calls for nominations for Board President.

Motion by SALEMI, seconded by MARREN, to nominate JOSEPH GIAMMARELLA for the Office of President of the Woodland Park Board of Education.

Roll Call: 8 YES

224-229 - ELECTION OF BOARD VICE-PRESIDENT

The Board Secretary calls for nominations for Board Vice-President.

Motion by MARREN, seconded by SALEMI, to nominate GLEN GRIMES for the Office of Vice-President of the Woodland Park Board of Education.

Roll Call: 8 YES

PERSONNEL:

224-230 - RATIFY APPOINTMENT OF HIRE – S. FRANCESE

Motion by MARREN, seconded by SALEMI

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION, under the recommendation of the Superintendent, to ratify approval of the appointment of Sabrina Francese, teacher at Memorial, BA, Step 1, \$59,385, pro-rated, for the 2023-2024 school year, as per current WPEA agreement. Effective 1/2/2024.

Roll Call: 6 YES, 2 ABSTENTIONS – GALBRAITH, RODRIGUEZ

PUBLIC HEARING

Please remember that this is a public meeting. Anything you say will be public record. As a result, pursuant to law, the Board Members cannot respond to you publicly concerning certain matters, such as those regarding an individual student. If there is a matter that you wish to remain private concerning personnel or students, please contact the Superintendent's office. In accordance with Bylaw 0167, statements will be limited to 3 minutes in duration.

Mayor Kallert congratulated the Board for all their hard work and is looking forward to continuing their partnership with the Board in the future.

Dr. Giammarella welcomed the new Board members and highlighted the many the many endeavors the Board has accomplished and looks forward to continuing projects and initiatives for the betterment of the district and taxpayers.

The Board Attorney conducted Ethics Training for 2024.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:02 p.m. by GRIMES, Seconded by MARREN

Voice Vote: 8 YES