

Regular Board of Education Meeting
June 15, 2011

A regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Eastport-South Manor Central School District, Suffolk County, New York, was held in the Board Meeting Room, Eastport-South Manor Jr. Sr. High School, Manorville, New York on **June 15, 2011**.

Board of Education Members present: Mr. Arthur Abbate, Mrs. Marie Brown, Mr. Kenneth Cooke, Mr. Kevin Gleason, Mrs. Karen Kesnig, Mrs. Janet Stevens, Mr. Vincent Sweeney.

Also Present: Mark A. Nocero, Superintendent; Dr. Jennifer Morrison Hart, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction; G. Christopher Marzuk, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel; Richard Snyder, Assistant Superintendent for Business; Sharon P. Murray, District Clerk.

The meeting was called to order by Board President Vincent Sweeney.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

MOTION made by Karen Kesnig, seconded by Marie Brown for the board to enter into executive session at 6:35 p.m. for the purpose of discussing a personnel issue.

Vote: Yes – 7, No – 0.

MOTION made by Kevin Gleason, seconded by Marie Brown, for the Board to adjourn executive session and reconvene to public session at 7:37 p.m.

Vote: Yes – 7, No – 0.

PRESENTATION

RECOGNIZED outgoing board member Vincent Sweeney for his years of service and dedication to the students and residents of the district.

PRESENTATION by the ESM SMART Team on the “Determination of the Structure of the Human Parkinson Protein DJ-1”. SMART Team members are Brandon Barsky, Erin Gomez, Tara Gomez, Briana Hayes, Frank Marino, Brianne Mathews, Paige Moeller, Ashley Murphy and Brett Rosen. Former ESM student Angela Mangano is the SUNY Stony Brook mentor.

PRESENTATION by Johnson Controls on the Energy Performance Contract.

MINUTES

MOTION made by Janet Stevens, seconded by Marie Brown for the Board to approve the minutes of the June 1, 2011 Regular Meeting Minutes.

Vote: Yes – 6, No – 0, Abstain – 1 (Kesnig).

FINANCES

None.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Angela Grogan, Joseph Grogan, Kristina Kluepful, Katie Spellman, Linda Forney.

REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS - SUPERINTENDENT

- Congratulation to our students. Newsday reports NYSED data on the Class of 2010 high school seniors on Long Island. ESM is the 13th highest in Suffolk County with a 95% graduation rate and 91% attending college. These percentages are higher than any surrounding school district.
- Congratulations to Jesse Keitel for winning the Teeny Award for Supporting Actor in a Musical for his role as Lumiere in Beauty and the Beast.
- Congratulations to an outstanding Spring season for our sports teams. The following are the highlights: League/Division Champions: Boys Lacrosse, Girls Lacrosse, Baseball. Coach of the Year Honors: Todd Skala, Baseball; Kevin Huff, Boys Lacrosse; Rich Gili, JV Baseball. Sportsmanship Award – Varsity Softball, Coach Ward; Scholar Athlete Awards: Baseball, Softball, Boys Tennis, Boys Lacrosse, Girls Lacrosse, Girls Track, Boys Track. Individual Athlete Honors: Dene DiMartino, All American Girls Lacrosse; Alan Henderson & Eric Gomez, Academic All American Lacrosse. Brendan O’Sullivan and Joe Palmeri, Long Island Newsday All Star Game.
- Congratulations to Christine Duffy who was selected as the “Barbara B. Ackermann Counselor of the Year Award from the East End Counselors Association.
- Mr. Marzuk presented information regarding Long Island Cares - The Harry Chapin Food Bank which has a program that would provide meals on the weekends for the students who receive free meals at school. He will be applying on behalf of the District so that our community can get involved in this very needy cause.

PERSONNEL

MOTION made by Marie Brown, seconded by Kenneth Cooke for the Board to approve a consent agenda for the following personnel matters:

Vote: Yes – 7, No – 0.

Termination

Name	Area	Effective
Kenny, Susan	Elementary Principal (EES)	7/31/11

Resignations

Extra Curricular Pay

Special Education Summer Program

Name	Area	Reason	Effective
DiBlasi, Caitlin	Substitute Teacher Aide	Personal	6/02/11
Clarke, Elizabeth	Teacher Aide	Personal	6/02/11
Fusilli, Michele	Teaching Assistant <i>*Summer position only</i>	Personal	6/02/11
Sprachmann, Rebecca	Teaching Assistant <i>*Summer position only</i>	Personal	6/02/11

Leave of Absence

Teacher Name	Area	Reason	Effective
Maffia, Lisa	Elementary (DAS) <i>*Effective date adjustment</i>	Child Care Leave	5/27/11-6/24/11

Interscholastic Appointments

Fall Coaches 201-2012

Name	Area	Salary
Creed, William	JV Football (Head)	\$5,313
Massara, John	JV Football (Assistant)	\$4,944
Chernis, Anthony	JV Boy Soccer (Head)	\$4,944
Collins, Kate	JV Girls Soccer (Head)	\$4,944
Heptig, Scott	JV Boys Golf (Head)	\$4,892
Schumacher, Gene	JV Boys Volleyball (Head)	\$5,439
Concepcion, Allan	JV girls Volleyball (Head)	\$4,944
Claudio, Susan	JV Girls Tennis (Head)	\$4,892
Caliendo, Marissa	JV Football Cheerleading (Head)	\$4,076

Supplemental Pay

Teachers with 6th Class Coverage

Name	Area	Salary	Effective
Ferro, Charles	Physical Education	\$2,715 Prorated	3/14/11-6/24/11

Amendment to Benefits Agreement - Snyder

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the Amendment to Benefits Agreement with Richard Snyder, Assistant Superintendent for Business for the term of July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012.

Amendment to Benefits Agreement – Morrison-Hart

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the Amendment to Benefits Agreement with Jennifer Morrison-Hart, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction for the term of July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012.

Amendment to Benefits Agreement - Marzuk

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the Amendment to Benefits Agreement with G. Christopher Marzuk, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel for the term of July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012.

Rescind Abolition of Faculty Positions

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board rescind the abolition of the following faculty positions, effective June 16, 2011:

- 1.5 Elementary Education
- 1.0 Special Education/Students with Disabilities
- 1.0 Reading

MOTION made by Marie Brown, seconded by Karen Kesnig for the Board to approve the following personnel matters:

Vote: Yes – 6, No – 0, Abstain (1) Stevens.

Appointments

The following appointments are conditional, subject to clearance approval by the State Education Department fingerprinting check:

Administration

Name	Area	Credentials	Step/Schedule	Effective
Alaimo, Salvatore	Principal (EES)	Permanent SDA	\$130,000 prorated	7/18/11-7/17/14 (Probationary Appointment)

Teacher

Name	Area	Credentials	Step/Schedule	Effective
Abramovitch, Jennifer	Special Education (JH/HS)	Permanent: Special Education	MA30/7 \$76,165	7/01/11
Corbett, Lisa	Reading (SSS)	Permanent: N, K & 1-6	MA/13 \$86,922	7/01/11
Manthe, Cheryl	Elementary (DAS)	Permanent: N, K & 1-6	MA/6 \$67,874	7/1/11-6/22/12
Pecoraro, Carrie	Elementary (DAS)	Permanent: Pre-K, K, Grades 1-6	MA/1 \$54,845 Prorated	5/27/11-6/24/11
Tester, Michelle	.5 Kindergarten (SSS)	Permanent: Pre-K, K & 1-6	MA75/5: \$77,403 Prorated	7/01/11

Teaching Assistant

Name	Area	Salary	Effective
Fank, Kimberly	Teaching Assistant (DAS)	\$130.32 p/day	5/27/11-6/24/11

District Per Diem Substitutes

Name	Area	Salary	Effective
Cappasso, Mary	Teacher Sub	\$85 p/day	6/01/11-6/24/11
Espina, Jennifer	Teacher Sub	\$85 p/day	6/16/11-6/24/11
Tambone, Eileen	Teacher Sub	\$85 p/day	6/01/11-6/24/11
Abbene, Pamela	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Bergh, Katie	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Bilgel, Susan	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Carlson, Mark	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Cascone, Lisa	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Celentano, Laura	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Ciemnecki, Kristen	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Clyne, Corene	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Connolly, Megan	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11

Corbino, Courtney	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Creed, William	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
DeMarco, Laura	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
DeStefano, Jennifer	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Devletoglu, Michael	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Fank, Kimberly	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Felumero, Nerina	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Garcia, Katherine	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Glover, Lauren	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Hynes, James	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Iervese, Brianna	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Jackimowicz, Christopher	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Kick, Evan	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Kramer, Janie	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Luce, Martina	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Mann, Deidra	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Marco, Migdalia	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Minutillo, Megan	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Mohr, Melissa	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Murray, Jennifer	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
O'Brien, Matthew	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Plitt, Maria	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Ragimerski, Maureen	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Raynor, Clinton	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Robinson, Melissa	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Schryver, Alison	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Seeman, Stephanie	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Skowronski, Jennifer	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Sprachmann, Rebecca	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Springston, Jean	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Stevens, Robert	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11
Wagner, Meredith	Teacher Substitute	\$85 p/day	6/20/11-6/24/11

MOTION made by Kevin Gleason, seconded by Karen Kesnig for the Board to approve the following personnel matters:

Vote: Yes – 6, No – 0 Abstain – 1 (Sweeney).

Extra Curricular Pay

Special Education Summer Program (7/01/11-8/31/11)

Name	Area	Salary
O'Reilly, Eileen	Substitute Nurse	\$14.29 p/hr.
Petrella, Joan	Substitute Teacher	\$12.14 p/hr.
Petrella, Joan	Substitute Teaching Assistant	\$18.41 p/hr.
Stumpo, Dawn	Substitute Teacher Aide	\$8.50 p/hr.
Sweeney, Sharon	Substitute Teacher Aide	\$8.50 p/hr.
Conlon, Michael	Teacher Aide	\$10.90 p/hr.
Labbe, Helen	Teacher Aide	\$19.72 p/hr.
Felumero, Nerina	Teaching Assistant	\$18.41 p/hr.

Committee on Special Education (as needed)

Name	Salary	Effective
Raynor, Mary Teresa	\$87.17 p/hr.	7/1/11-8/31/11
Stein, Gary	\$73.44 p/hr.	7/1/11-8/31/11

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

MOTION made by Kevin Gleason, seconded by Karen Kesnig for the Board to approve a consent agenda for the following resolutions:

Vote: Yes – 7, No – 0

Energy Performance Project Agreement

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board accepts the proposal submitted by Johnson Controls Inc. in response to the district’s RFP for development of an energy performance project.

WHEREAS, the Eastport South Manor Central School District has solicited proposals for an Energy Performance Project Agreement for building upgrades to improve the energy efficiency of the District’s buildings; and

WHEREAS, Johnson Controls Inc. has responded to the District’s requests for proposals and performed a detailed energy audit of the District’s buildings; and

WHEREAS, the parties have negotiated a contract for an Energy Performance Project including, but not limited to, co-generation, lighting upgrades, building envelope weatherization, and HVAC system upgrades, which is contingent upon approval of the Commissioner of Education and the District’s procurement of financing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Education hereby approves the Energy Performance Project Agreement between the District and Johnson Controls Inc., pending approval of district council and the Commissioner of Education, and authorizes the superintendent or designee to execute said contract.

Donation – Stop & Shop

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board accept the donation of \$197.43 from Stop & Shop for South Street’s participation in the A+ School Rewards Program.

Grant – Beyond Question Learning Technologies, Inc.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the grant from Beyond Question Learning Technologies, Inc. in the amount of \$2,000.00 which will offset the purchase of Student Response Systems for the Junior-Senior High School.

Modification Agreement – Health & Welfare Fund - ESMETA

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board approve the Modification Agreement regarding the Health & Welfare Fund between Eastport South Manor Central School District and the Eastport South Manor Teachers’ Association and authorizes the Superintendent to execute said agreement on behalf of the District.

POLICY

None.

STUDENT SERVICES

Acknowledged receipt and review of recommendations from the Committees on Special Education.

GENERAL DISCUSSION

- 911 Memorial Ceremony

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Marion Diener.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION made by Karen Kesnig, seconded by Kevin Gleason for the Board to reconvene to the meeting at 9:48 p.m.

Vote: Yes – 7, No – 0.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon P. Murray
District Clerk