

Rockaway Borough Board of Education

SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

Monday, April 12, 2021: 7:00 PM

~~Thomas Jefferson Cafeteria, 95 East Main Street, Rockaway~~

Via Zoom *Only* due to the ongoing declared public health emergency

Computer Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83599009729?pwd=b3UzbUZ2eVFUZXRiNiZlZHQ1k1WWlpdz09>

Meeting ID: 835 9900 9729/Passcode: 0u8caQ (if needed)

Or Via Telephone: 929-205-6099 Meeting ID: 835 9900 9729 /Passcode: 149521

ROCKAWAY BOROUGH SCHOOLS' MISSION STATEMENT:

The mission of the Rockaway Borough School District, a caring and diverse community, is to propel the success of each student by creating an environment that fosters self-confidence and encourages creativity through quality instruction and educational opportunities aligned with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards.

1. Call to Order: 7:00 PM

The meeting will be called to order at approximately 7:00 p.m., by Mrs. Christa Smith, Board President, by reading the following announcement:

"In accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act, The Rockaway Borough Board of Education has provided adequate notice of this meeting to the public by having the time, date and location posted on our website and at Town Hall on Friday, April 6, 2021 at approximately 11:00 am. Official action will be taken at this meeting."

2. Board Member Roll Call:

Mrs. Linda McGovern

Elected 2020 to 2nd consecutive term (3-year seat to Dec. 31, 2023)

Mrs. Alexis Piombino

Elected 2018 to 1st term (3-year seat to Dec. 31, 2021)

Mrs. Christa Smith, President

Elected 2019 to 7th consecutive term (3-year seat to Dec. 31, 2022)

Mr. Jeffrey Tobias

Elected 2020 to 2nd consecutive term (3-year seat to Dec. 31, 2023)

Mrs. Karen Walter, Vice President

Elected 2018 to 1st term (3-year seat to Dec. 31, 2021)

Mrs. Phyllis Alpaugh, Superintendent of Schools

Appointed 2017 Chief School Administrator & Non-Voting Board Member (CSA/Supt)

Mr. William Stepka, SBA/Board Secretary

Appointed 2017 District Business Administrator (BA) & Secretary of the Board

Mr. Stepka Declares: All Present or a Board Quorum Present

"Now, please join us for the Pledge of Allegiance . . ."

3. Personnel

- A. Be it resolved, to offer, approve and accept a five (5) year employment contract for, and the appointment of, Mr. Anthony Grieco, of Midland Park, NJ, as the Chief School Administrator/Superintendent of Schools of the Rockaway Borough Public School District, effective July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2026 in accordance with applicable state laws, state board of education administrative codes, regulations and employment terms and conditions contained therein.

(As required by state law/code, the Morris County Executive Interim Superintendent has reviewed and approved the employment contract on Thursday, April 8, 2021.)

<u>Roll Call Vote:</u>	<u>Moved & Seconded By:</u>	<u>Yeas</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>Abstentions</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Mrs. McGovern:					
Mrs. Piombino:					
Mr. Tobias:					
Mrs. Walter:					
Mrs. Smith:					

4. Any Other Business Before the Board:

- A.

5. Public Comment (Agenda & Non-Agenda Items can be heard)

Please be respectful of the Board, Administration, Students, Staff, and all other Audience Members in attendance. Thank you.

PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME & ADDRESS, THANK YOU!

6. Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting:

- A. **Tuesday, April 20, 2021:** Executive Session (closed to the Public) will begin at 6:30pm. The Workshop (in Public) will begin at approximately 7:30pm and will be immediately followed by the Regular Meeting. The meeting could be held in Thomas Jefferson School and/or via ZOOM, due to the Governor’s continuing COVID-19 health emergency declaration, if still in effect.

7. Executive Session (If Needed):

Be it Resolved, that the Board enter into Executive Session (Private) for the purpose of discussing: _____; the nature of which will be made public only when the need for confidentiality no longer exists.

THE BOARD ANTICIPATES TO BE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR APPROXIMATELY __ MINUTES.

BOARD ACTION WILL NOT BE TAKEN AFTER THIS SESSION CONCLUDES.

Motion to Enter Exec Session: *Moved by:* *Seconded by:* *Voice Vote:*

Motion to Adjourn Exec Session: *Moved by:* *Seconded by:* *Voice Vote:*

8. Motion to Adjourn the Meeting:

There being no further business before the Board, the meeting is hereby adjourned at _____ pm.

Moved by:

Seconded by:

Voice Vote: