

BEDFORD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

April 25, 2023

Meeting location:

LGI and Telecast remotely via ZOOM

1. Call to Order

At 7:05 PM, Mr. Morrison called to order the meeting of the Bedford School Committee. Other members present included Ms. Scoville, Mr. Brosgol, Ms. Mehta-Green, and Sarah McGinley

2. Public Comment

No comments

3. PR Report

Appointments:

Angel Colon	Custodian	JGMS
Jessica Almeida	LTS School Counselor	JGMS
Michael Bowser	Custodian	Lane
Lydia Pray	Substitute	District
Mark Staplin	Substitute	District

Resignations:

Keith Kinney	Assistant Principal	Lane
Julina Franklin	Elementary Teacher	Lane
Brianna Beasley	Special Ed TA	BHS
Adriana Thomas	World Language PA	BHS
Smartagthe Stitt	Physical Therapist	District

Retirements:

Maryellen Schissler	Preschool Spec Ed Teacher	Davis
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4. Field Trip: National History Day Competition, University of MD- June 11-15, 2023

Mr. Culhane and Mr. Conrad spoke with the committee about the out-of-state field trip to the National History Day Competition, June 1-15, 2023. Mr. Culhane explained that one BHS student; Evan Kelly qualified for the completion. He will travel along with all other participants from Massachusetts and participate as a team. Two chaperones from BHS will travel with Evan and will stay on campus at no cost to the school.

Ms. Scoville made the following motion: **The school committee votes to approve the field trip to the National History Day Competition at the University of MD, June 11-15, 2023.**

MOTION SECONDED by Ms. McGinley

MOTION APPROVED 5-0-0

Ms. McGinley Yes

Ms. Scoville Yes

Mr. Brosgol	Yes
Mr. Morrison	Yes
Ms. Mehta-Green	Yes

5. FY23 MidYear Superintendent Goals

Mr. Conrad went through each goal category of his FY23 MidYear Superintendent Goal for the School Committee members. Mr. Conrad discussed Professional Practice Goals, student learning goals, and district improvement goals. Mr. Conrad also informed the committee that the Fly 5 Program would not continue and another program would be forthcoming. It may be very possible that Davis and Lane staff would create their own SEL Curriculum. More details will be forthcoming.

6. Superintendent's Report

During his Superintendent update to the School Committee, Mr. Conrad shared the following information. Next week in Teacher Appreciation Week. Saturday Tenacity Challenge at BHS was successful. A total of 27 teams from 13 school districts participated in the event. Month of May in Mental Health Awareness month. May is Asian and Pacific Islander Heritage month. BEST Color Run event has been moved from the Spring to the Fall due to scheduling conflicts. METCO students are giving tours in Nubian Square. BHS author visit information will be coming out in this week's Friday letter. BHS/JGMS waste management project is underway. The campuses are looking for ways to reduce waste. Lastly, congratulation are going out to Dr. Clifford whom has become a certified datawise educator.

7. METCO & HAFB Representative Discussion

Mr. Conrad informed the School Committee that he had two candidates to announce for the open METCO & HAFB representative seats. The two candidates are, Ms. PeterAnn Williams for METCO and Ms. Kim Howell for HAFB. Mr. Conrad gave a brief overview of each candidate to the committee and expressed gratitude to each for their willingness to participate in School Committee meetings as non-voting members to lend their voices and perspective for each of the communities they will represent.

8. Approval of Superintendent Contract

Mr. Morrison informed School Committee members that a contract agreement had been reach with Superintendent elect Cliff Chuang. A full copy of the agreement was provided to all School Committee members.

Ms. Scoville made the following motion: **The school committee votes to approve the contract for Cliff Chuang as distributed.**

MOTION SECONDED by Ms. McGinley

MOTION APPROVED 5-0-0

Ms. McGinley	Yes
Ms. Scoville	Yes
Mr. Brosgol	Yes
Mr. Morrison	Yes
Ms. Mehta-Green	Yes

9. Minutes

Mr. Brosgol made the following motion: **The school committee votes to approve the minutes with noted edits for April 11, 2023**

MOTION SECONDED by Ms. Scoville

MOTION APPROVED 5-0-0

Ms. McGinley	Yes
Ms. Scoville	Yes
Mr. Brosgol	Yes
Mr. Morrison	Yes
Ms. Mehta-Green	Yes

10. Adjournment

Mr. Brosgol made the following motion: **7:50 PM to adjourn into Executive Session for the Purpose of Discussing Safety and Security**

MOTION SECONDED by Ms. Scoville

MOTION APPROVED 5-0-0

Ms. McGinley	Yes
Ms. Scoville	Yes
Mr. Brosgol	Yes
Mr. Morrison	Yes
Ms. Mehta-Green	Yes

Exhibits/Documents

PR Report

Field Trip: National History Day Competition, University of MD- June 11-15, 2023

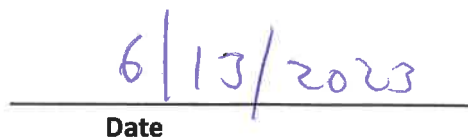
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METCO & HAFB Representatives



School Committee Secretary



Date

