

JACKSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING
June 2, 2022
JACKSON LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

An Official Meeting of the Jackson Township Board of Education was held in compliance with the Open Public Meeting Law and was called to order by Board President, Michael Walsh, at 6:30 p.m. on June 2, 2022.

Present: Mrs. Kas
Dr. Osmond
Mr. Palmeri
Mrs. Rivera
Mr. Walsh

Absent: Mrs. Barocas
Mr. Sargent

Also present: Mrs. N. Pormilli, Superintendent of Schools; Mr. R. Rotante, Assistant Superintendent; Ms. Michelle Richardson, Board Secretary; Mr. M. Zitomer, Board Attorney.

After the salute to the flag and the Certification of the meeting according to the tenets of the Open Public Meeting Law, the Board President made the following statement:

“This meeting is in compliance with the Open Public Meeting Law and has been duly advertised in the newspaper as an Official Meeting.”

On a motion by Mr. Palmeri, seconded by Mrs. Rivera, the Board of Education approved the agenda as submitted by the Superintendent of Schools.

Approve
Agenda

Roll Call Vote: Yes: Mrs. Kas
Dr. Osmond
Mr. Palmeri
Mrs. Rivera
Mr. Walsh

MOTION CARRIED

PUBLIC FORUM – AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

Public Forum
On a motion by Mrs. Kas, seconded by Mrs. Rivera, the public forum on agenda items only was opened by acclamation.

Mr. Walsh made the following statement: “Please state your name and whether or not you are a Jackson resident. Each person has three minutes to speak. No person may speak more than once on a topic until all others have been heard.”

Devorah Gruskin, a Resident, thanked the Board of Education, Mrs. Pormilli, Ms. Richardson, Rachael Miller, Colleen McLean and Kristopher Soto, who have been putting their heart and soul into helping us transform the transportation scene for the private school students and parents. She really appreciates and understands the dedication and hard work involved, and looks forward to working together to continue to improve the whole process. She had a question regarding when they will receive further information detailing which students will be on these routes.

Mrs. Pormilli replied with “You’re welcome.” She then stated there will be general communication that will go out tomorrow about whatever action happens here at tonight’s Board of Education meeting. Families will be informed.

Ms. Richardson consulted Mr. Soto, who confirmed that the information will go out tomorrow.

Ms. Gruskin asked if any parents have been notified yet that they are not getting busing?

Mrs. Pormilli confirmed that our last communication listed schools that would only be receiving aid in lieu.

Seeing no one else come forward, on a motion by Mr. Palmeri, seconded by Mrs. Rivera the public forum on agenda items only was closed by acclamation.

RESOLUTIONS FOR ACTION

Mr. Palmeri commented that with checks and balances put in place to keep the private community and public safe, he votes yes.

Mr. Walsh mentioned the bus service will be monitored and will perform as required, or they will lose these contracts. He then voted yes.

Based on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the following resolutions are presented for formal approval by the Board of Education.

FINANCE:

On a motion by Mrs. Rivera, seconded by Mrs. Kas, the Board of Education approved the following motion:

1. **AMEND May 18, 2022 Agenda TABLED** Motion #6

The Board of Education, based on the recommendation of the Board Secretary, awarded the following bids for Transportation Routes (Non-Public), pending receipt of school calendars:

Bid Opening: April 28, 2022, 11:00 AM

Route #	Bidder	Per Diem	Aide/Diem
BFG1A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 268.00	\$ 100.00
BFG2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 227.00	\$ 100.00
BFG3A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 268.00	\$ 100.00
BFG4A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 268.00	\$ 100.00
BFG5A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 216.00	\$ 100.00
BM1A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 288.00	\$ 100.00
BRR1A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 296.00	\$ 100.00
BTBN2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 228.00	\$ 100.00
BTBN3A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 218.00	\$ 100.00
BTBN4A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 268.00	\$ 100.00
LYY10A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 228.00	\$ 100.00
LYY2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 218.00	\$ 100.00
LYY3A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 253.00	\$ 100.00
LYY5A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 209.00	\$ 100.00
LYY7A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 228.00	\$ 100.00
LYY9A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 269.00	\$ 100.00
MB2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 300.00	\$ 100.00
STD1A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 228.00	\$ 100.00
TTL2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 212.00	\$ 100.00
YOY2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 254.00	\$ 100.00
LYY4A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 258.00	\$ 100.00
LYY6A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 228.00	\$ 100.00

ADD

YCY2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 266.00	\$ 100.00
YCY3A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 259.00	\$ 100.00

DELETE

Routes bid yet rejected due to exceeding the maximum per student threshold:

Route #	Bidder	Per Diem	Aide/Diem
YCY2A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 266.00	\$ 100.00
YCY3A	Jay's Bus Service	\$ 259.00	\$ 100.00

Roll Call Vote: Yes: Mrs. Kas
 Dr. Osmond
 Mr. Palmeri
 Mrs. Rivera
 Mr. Walsh

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Jackson Memorial High School Fine Arts Auditorium

MOTION CARRIED

There being no further discussion, on a motion by Mr. Palmeri, seconded by Mrs. Kas, the meeting was adjourned by acclamation at 6:37 p.m.

Adjourn

Respectfully Submitted,



Michelle Richardson
Business Administrator/
Board Secretary