

Unapproved  
Bloomington Board of Education  
Special Meeting Minutes  
Walter T. Bergen Middle School  
School Library  
July 31, 2019  
3:00 p.m.

On July 31, 2019, the Board President, Lauren Grecco, called the meeting to order at 3:00 P.M.

The Board President read the following statement:

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 meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon.

In accordance with the provisions of the Act, the Bloomington Board of Education has caused notice of this meeting by having the date, time and place thereof provided to the following: The Clerk of the Borough of Bloomington for posting on the Borough Hall bulletin board; the Suburban Trends and Star Ledger; all board members. This notice was also posted in the administration offices of the Board of Education, and all district schools.

Copies of agendas are available prior to said meetings in the Board of Education office and are posted on the Bloomington School District website – [www.bloomingtonschools.org](http://www.bloomingtonschools.org)

Present: Robert Bloodgood, Charles Caraballo, Lauren Grecco, James Jacobs, Carol Marcus, and James Schalago

Absent: Mr. Ermilio, Mr. Kroncke and Mr. Moeller

Also Present: Mr. Arifaj, Acting Superintendent/SBA

The Board President led those present in a salute to the flag.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** All in favor

**APPROVAL OF LUNCH PRICES FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR**

Motion to approve, upon the recommendation of the Acting Superintendent, the board approves the following lunch prices for the 2019/2020 school year:

APPROVAL OF LUNCH  
PRICES FOR  
2019-2020 SCHOOL  
YEAR

<b><u>Description</u></b>	2018-2019 Rates	2018-2019 State Maximum Rates	2019-2020 Rates	2019-2020 State Maximum Rates

Type A Lunch Elementary	\$2.90	\$3.75	\$3.00	\$3.75
Type A Lunch Middle	\$3.05	\$4.00	\$3.15	\$4.00
Reduced Price Lunch	\$ .40	\$ .40	\$ .40	\$ .40
Faculty Complete Lunch	\$4.65	N/A	\$4.65	N/A
Milk	\$ .60	N/A	N/A	N/A
Breakfast All Schools	\$2.00	\$2.25 (SRD/MBD) \$2.50 (WTB)	\$2.00	\$2.25 (SRD/MBD) \$2.50 (WTB)
Reduced Breakfast All Schools	\$ .30	\$ .30	\$ .30	\$ .30
Faculty Breakfast All Schools	\$3.55	N/A	\$3.55	N/A

Motion moved by Robert Bloodgood and seconded by Charles Caraballo.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** All in favor

APPROVAL OF  
COMPLIANCE  
OFFICER

**APPROVAL OF COMPLIANCE OFFICER**

RESOLVED, that the Bloomington Board of Education does hereby designate the following individual as a compliance officer through the 2019/2020 fiscal year effective July 1, 2019:

Integrated Pest Management Coordinator	Ralph Burrows
Asbestos Management & PEOSHA Officer	Ralph Burrows
Safety & Health Officer	Ralph Burrows
Indoor Air Quality Officer	Ralph Burrows
Right to Know Officer	Ralph Burrows
Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA)	Ralph Burrows

Motion moved by Robert Bloodgood and seconded by Charles Caraballo.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** All in favor

**APPROVAL OF PART-TIME BUSINESS OFFICE ASSISTANT**

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TIME BUSINESS  
OFFICE ASSISTANT

Approve the appointment of Eva Lonsky as Interim Part-Time Business Office Assistant for the period of July 8, 2019 through June 30, 2020 at the hourly rate of \$35.00, not to exceed 16 hours per week, no benefits; and authorize the Board President to execute an employment contract memorializing same terms and conditions.

Motion moved by Robert Bloodgood and seconded by Charles Caraballo.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** All in favor

**APPROVAL OF PAYROLL/BENEFITS AND CONFIDENTIAL SECRETARY TO THE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR**

APPROVAL OF  
PAYROLL/BENEFITS  
AND CONFIDENTIAL  
SECRETARY TO BA

Motion to approve, upon the recommendation of the Acting Superintendent, the employment contract with Karen Spiridakis as Payroll/Benefits and Confidential Secretary to the Business Administrator effective on or about September 30, 2019 at a salary of \$58,000 for the 2019-2020 fiscal year.

Motion moved by Robert Bloodgood and seconded by Charles Caraballo.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:** All in favor

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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Opening this portion of the meeting to public comments on school related issues. State your name and address for the record. Each person wishing to speak will have three (3) minutes each to do so. These discussions are limited to thirty (30) minutes.

**Presiding Officer Closes the Hearing of Citizens**

**OLD BUSINESS**

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Mr. Schalago mentioned the National Juniors Honor Society and having a Grade 90 and above.

**CLOSING STATEMENT**

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The Bloomington Board of Education will have its next regularly scheduled meeting on

**August 27, 2019** at 7:00p.m here at the Walter T. Bergen School Library.

**ADJOURNMENT**

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Mr. Bloodgood moved, seconded by Mr. Caraballo that the Board adjourns the meeting.

**VOICE VOTE:** All were in favor

Meeting adjourned at 3:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Bert Arifaj  
School Business Administrator / Board Secretary