

**ELMSFORD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION
PUBLIC MEETING
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AUGUST 25, 2010
6:00 PM**

I. ROLL CALL

Betty Funny-Crosby, President
Debra B. Lawrance, Vice President
Josephine Bazán-Bass, Trustee
Matthew R.C. Evans, Trustee
James B. Henson, Trustee
Barbara A. Peters, Ed.D., Superintendent
Diane Caperna, District Clerk

**II. SUPERINTENDENT’S PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATIONS
INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL**

1. Teacher – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to Elementary Teacher:

Name: Mariana Ferreira
Position: Teacher
Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10
Termination Date of Appointment: 06/30/2012
Tenure Area: Elementary Teacher
Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 3, Lane F1
Address: 11 Columbia Avenue, #C4, Hartsdale, NY 10530

2. Teacher – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to Elementary Teacher:

Name: Meredith Helfenbein
Position: Teacher
Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10
Termination Date of Appointment: 06/30/2013
Tenure Area: Elementary Teacher
Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1, Lane F1
Address: 4 Grant Avenue, Albertson, NY 11507

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3. Teacher – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to .4 Speech & Language Therapist:

Name: Samantha Corselli

Position: .4 Speech Therapist

Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1, Lane F1

Address: 66 South Stone Avenue, Elmsford, NY 10523

4. Teacher - Alexander Hamilton High School

Appoint the following to .6 Family & Consumer Science Teacher

Name: Elyse Tenzer

Position: Teacher

Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10

Termination Date of Appointment: 06/30/2013

Tenure Area: Business & Marketing Initial/Family & Consumer Science (Initial)

Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1, Lane H1

Address: 16 Montauk Path, Kings Park, NY 11754

5. Teacher - Alexander Hamilton High School

Appoint the following to .9 ESL Teacher:

Name: Cecilia Castro

Position: Teacher

Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10

Termination Date of Appointment: 06/30/2013

Tenure Area: English to Speakers of Other Languages

Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 3, Lane H1

Address: 57 Park Avenue, Ossining, NY 10562

6. Teaching Assistant – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to Teaching Assistant:

Name: Michelle Vigada

Position: Teaching Assistant

Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10

Termination Date of Appointment: 06/30/2013

Tenure Area: Teaching Assistant

Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1

Address: 1 Collier Drive East, Carmel, NY 10512

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7. Teaching Assistant – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to Teaching Assistant:

Name: Gina Camilli
Position: Teaching Assistant
Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10
Termination Date of Appointment: 08/31/2013
Tenure Area: Teaching Assistant
Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1, Lane 1
Address: 70 Fuller Road, Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510

8. Teaching Assistant – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Appoint the following to Teaching Assistant:

Name: Carin Pinsker
Position: Teaching Assistant
Effective Date of Appointment: 09/01/10
Termination Date of Appointment: 08/31/2013
Tenure Area: Teaching Assistant
Salary: 2010/2011 Salary Schedule, Step 1, Lane 1
Address: 217 Schrade Road, Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510

9. On Call Substitute Teacher

Approve the emergency conditional appointment of **Lauren Sawchuk** as the On Call Substitute Teacher for the school year 2010/2011, as the rate of \$100 per diem on call.

10. Teacher Aide – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Approve the emergency conditional appointment of Sabrina Genco to the position of Teacher Aide, for the 2010/2011 school year at the hourly rate of \$13.00.

11. Teacher Aide – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Approve the emergency conditional appointment of Tracy Black to the position of Teacher Aide, for the 2010/2011 school year at the hourly rate of \$13.00.

12. Teacher Aide – Alice E. Grady Elementary School

Approve the emergency conditional appointment of Michelle Dicuio to the position of Teacher Aide, for the 2010/2011 school year at the hourly rate of \$13.00.

13. Leave of Absence - Teacher Aide

Approve the unpaid leave of absence to Lisa Taylor, Teacher Aide, for the period September 1, 2010 through October 19, 2010.

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14. Leave of Absence – Teaching Assistant

Approve the leave of absence for Jennifer Santiago, Teaching Assistant, Alice E. Grady Elementary School, as provided by District Policy #9520.2 – Family Medical Leave, from September 1, 2010 through November 23, 2010.

NON-INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL

15. .5 Nurse – Mt. Carmel

Approve the appointment of Judy Hines to the position of .5 Nurse of Mt. Carmel at the annual rate of \$22,760.

III. NEW BUSINESS

1. Consultant Contract – Jim Shipley & Associates

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into an agreement with Jim Shipley & Associates to provide 1 day of professional development for the Administrator's Retreat with compensation set at \$3,000 plus travel expenses not to exceed \$2,000, and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute said contract.

2. Professional Development Partnership Agreement

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into the Professional Development Partnership Agreement with Manhattanville College beginning September 1, 2010 through June 30, 2012, in accordance with the terms and conditions as specified in the Professional Development Partnership Agreement signed by the Manhattanville College Dean, Shelley B. Wepner, dated 7/1/2010, and authorizes the President of the Board of Education to execute said agreement.

3. Contract - Individual Occupation Therapy Evaluations – Mario F. Pelligrino, OTR/L

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into contract with Mario F. Pelligrino, OTR/L to provide individual occupational therapy services and evaluations for the 2010/2011 school year at the rate of \$45 per 30 minute session for therapy and \$200 per individual, and authorize the President of the Board to execute said contract.

4. Contract - Homebound Tutoring Services

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into a contract with Creative Tutoring, Inc. to provide homebound instruction for Elmsford resident students for the 2010/2011 school year at the rate of \$55/per hour, and authorize the President of the Board to execute said contract.

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5. Consultant Contract – Institute for Children with Autism

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into a contract with the Institute for Children with Autism to provide consultation services for the first year implementation of the district's program serving students with autism, with compensation at \$125 per hour not to exceed \$35,000 for the 2010/2011 school year, and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute said contract.

6. Consultant Contract – The Clearview School

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District enter into a contract with the The Clearview School to provide special education instruction for the 2010/2011 school year for an Elmsford resident student in accordance with the agreement dated August 25, 2010 and authorize the President of the Board of Education to execute said contract.

7. Mid-Westchester Special Education Consortium Agreement

RESOLVE, that the Board of Education of the Elmsford Union Free School District authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to enter into an agreement with the Mid-Westchester Special Education Consortium for the purpose of providing educational services to consortium members resident students and authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to execute said contract dated 07/12/2010.

IV. BOARD OF EDUCATION BOARDDOCS TRAINING SESSIONS

V. RECOGNITION OF THE AUDIENCE – OTHER ITEMS

VI. CALL FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION

VII. ADJOURNMENT

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Addendum

1. Resignations

Accept the resignation of Robin Osswald, Teacher – Alexander Hamilton Jr./Sr. High School, effective September 24, 2010.