

**GREENE CENTRAL SCHOOL
GREENE, NY
BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2004**

A Regular Board of Education meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m. by President, Kenneth Harrington, in the Board Conference Room, High School/Middle School complex, South Canal Street, Greene, NY.

CALL TO ORDER

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mr. Kenneth Harrington, President
Mr. Christopher Austin, Vice-President
Mr. Christopher Cox
Mr. Jim Strenkert
Mrs. June Cooper
Mr. Richard Boeltz
Mr. Robert Fiester

ROLL CALL

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Dr. Frederick F. Tarolli, Superintendent
Mr. Vincent Coletta, Intermediate School Principal
Mrs. Carole Stanbro, Primary School Principal
Mrs. Nancy Stiles, Business Manager/Treasurer
Mrs. Cynthia Ferguson, CSE Chairperson
Mr. Marvin Ladner, Superintendent of Buildings & Grounds

OFFICERS PRESENT:

Mrs. Donna Utter, District Clerk

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Boeltz to adjourn to Executive Session for a particular personnel matter at 7:03 p.m.

Yes-7, No-0

**EXECUTIVE
SESSION**

- President Harrington reconvened the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

RECONVENE

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO AGENDA:

TO

- None.

ADDITIONS

AGENDA

MINUTES:

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Strenkert to approve the minutes of the Work Session Board meeting held on Wednesday, October 6, 2004.

Yes-7, No-0

**MINUTES
10/6/04**

CALENDAR:

- October 22, 2004-1/2 day for K-12 Staff In-Service PM
- October 21-24 - NYSSBA Conference - Buffalo, NY
- October 25-29 - School Board Recognition Week
- October 26 - 7:00 p.m. Modified Sports Awards - Gym
- October 27 - 7:00 p.m. District Renovation Informational Meeting - Auditorium
- October 29 - 1/2 day for K-12 Staff In-Service PM
- November 2 - 7:00 p.m. High School Sports Awards - Auditorium
- November 3 - 7:00 p.m. Board of Education Work Session
- November 9 - 7:00 p.m. District Renovation Informational Meeting - Auditorium
- November 9 - 7:00 p.m. High School Open House

CALENDAR:

PUBLIC COMMENT FROM THE FLOOR:

PUBLIC COMMENT

- Mrs. Kris McDermott, President of the GTA, **KRIS MCDERMOTT-**
gave the Board a miniature pumpkin and some candy **GTA SCHOOL BOARD**
in recognition and appreciation of their efforts **RECOGNITION WEEK**
for the students and staff at Greene Central School.

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DR. TAROLLI - - Dr. Tarolli presented the Board with a pen set in honor of school board recognition week and he also presented them with a goodie basket and card from Greene High School Student Council in recognition of their dedicated support of our high school.

KENNETH HARRINGTON-STUDENT ART WORK AT THE NYSSBA CONF. - President, Kenneth Harrington, announced that 9 students from Greene Primary, Intermediate and Middle School will have art work on display at the NYSSBA Conference in Buffalo, New York.

PRESENTATION: THOMAS GROUP-RENOVATION PROJECT - Ms. Karen Muckstadt and Mr. Scott Duell from the Thomas Group, were present and distributed an up-to-date scope and cost sheet as well as a project time-line for the proposed renovation project.

LINKS⁶ PLAN - Mrs. Carole Stanbro, Mrs. Kris McDermott and Ms. Nenette Greeno presented the Links⁶ Plan. The LINKS⁶ Plan incorporates a number of other plans including the AIS (Academic Intervention Services), PDP (Professional Development Plan), CSPD (Comprehensive System of Personnel Development), and the LAP (Local Assistance Plan) - Greene will be filing one based on the 8th grade State ELA exam scores.

The changes that the committee made in the goals and objectives of the plan were reviewed and discussed.

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Boeltz to approve the LINKS⁶ Plan as presented. Yes-7, No-0

TRANSPORTATION: TRANSPORTATION REPORT - The Transportation Report for September 2004 was noted.

TRANSPORTATION REQUEST-WRESTLING - Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Cooper to approve the Transportation Request

TOURNAMENT of the wrestling team to travel to Peru, NY to compete in the Peru Invitational Tournament January 7, 2005 through January 9, 2005. Yes-7, No-0

EDUCATION AND PERSONNEL: SPECIAL EDUCATION PLACEMENTS - Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Special Education, a motion was made by Austin, seconded by Strenkert, to approve the following placements:
Entered Classified: #040518;
Triennial Review: #93448; #010214; #040516;
Triennial Review: Home Schooled: #93421;

Annual Review: #99028;
Annual Review: Graduated: #010218; #020306;
#020345;
Annual Review: Home Schooled: #98957;
Requested Review: #010238;
Requested Review: CPSE to CSE: #030419;
Preschool Placement: #P04055;
Preschool: Requested Review: #P03046;
#P030412; #P030428; #P030429;
Yes-7, No-0

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- Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Cooper to accept the resignation of Mr. Jay Hall, from his position as Foreign Language Liaison with appreciation.

**RESIGNATION:
FOREIGN LANG.
LIAISON-
JAY HALL**

Yes-7, No-0

- Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, a motion was made by Fiester, seconded by Cooper to approve the appointment of Mr. Michael Utter as a Custodian (Second Shift Head Custodian) effective November 8, 2004 for a one-year probationary period ending November 7, 2005.

**APPOINTMENTS:
MICHAEL UTTER-
CUSTODIAN**

Yes-7, No-0

- Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, a motion was made by Fiester, seconded by Cooper to appoint the following individuals as Coaches for the winter season 2004-2005 effective October 21, 2004 contingent upon completion of the necessary certification requirements:

**WINTER COACHING
ROSTER**

Volleyball: Varsity Michelle Cline
JV Mary McBride
Modified 8th Deb Krupp
Modified 7th Angela Brown
Wrestling: Varsity Tim Jenks
JV Tom Stanbro
Modified Jeremy Eggleston
*if over 22 Mike Wilcox
Girls Basketball:
Varsity Bill Case
JV Steve Klumpp
Modified 8th Gordie Daniels
Modified 7th Dave Gorton
Boys Basketball:
Varsity Jeff Paske
Vol. Asst. Rick Smith
JV Tim Paske
Modified 8th Dave Gorton
Modified 7th Matt Butler
Boys Swimming:
Varsity Mike Platta
Modified John Buck
Bowling: Varsity Hal Kennedy
Asst. Jim Savory
Cheerleading: Varsity Rebecca Willard

Yes-7, No-0

- Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent a motion was made by Fiester, seconded by

**VOLUNTEER
COLOR-GUARD**

Cooper to approve the appointment of Mrs. Bryne **ADVISOR**
Allport as a volunteer color-guard advisor
effective October 21 2004.

Yes-7, No-0

- Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, **SUBSTITUTE**
a motion was made by Fiester, seconded by **ROSTER**
Cooper to approve the following additions to the
Substitute Rosters for the 2004-2005 school year:
- Mrs. Jeannie Orzell, Substitute School Nurse
effective October 21, 2004;
 - Dr. Robert Marsh, Substitute Teacher effective
October 21, 2004.

Yes-7, No-0

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TENURE APPOINTMENT-

- VALERIE FORS - LTA** - Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent,
motion made by Fiester, seconded by Boeltz to
make the following appointment of tenure:
Name of Appointee: Valier Fors
Tenure Area: Licensed Teaching
Assistant
Date of Commencement
Of Service on Tenure: September 1, 2004
Certification Status: Temporary License
Yes-7, No-0

**UNPAID LEAVE OF
ABSENCE-CYNTHIA**

- Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Cox to
approve the request of Mrs. Cynthia Yager,

YAGER, AIDE

Aide, for a two (2) day unpaid leave of absence
November 23, 2004 and November 29, 2004.
Yes-7, No-0

SKI CLUB REQUEST

- Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Cox to
approve the Ski Club's request to conduct their
winter activity with students traveling to Greek
Peak via charter bus with the driver being
approved by Mrs. Hunsinger for six weeks
beginning January 4, 2005.
Yes-7, No-0

**YOUTH WRESTLING
PROGRAM**

- Motion made by Fiester, seconded by Cox to
approve the Youth Wrestling Program for grades
1-6 from November 16, 2004 through March 12, 2005
and use of the school facilities for the same.
Yes-7, No-0

**NYSSBA AMENDMENTS
& RESOLUTIONS**

- The Board reviewed and discussed the NYSSBA
amendments and resolutions to be voted upon at
the NYSSBA annual meeting. President Harrington
will be the voting delegate at the annual
meeting.

BUSINESS AND FINANCE:

TREASURER'S REPORTS

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Fiester, to
accept the Treasurer's Reports for September
2004.
Yes-7, No-0

BUDGET STATUS

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Fiester, to

REPORTS accept the Budget Status Reports for September, 2004 for the General Fund and School Lunch Fund. Yes-7, No-0

BUDGET TRANSFERS - Motion made by Cox, seconded by Fiester, to approve the recommended budget transfers for September 2004. Yes-7, No-0

BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE - The Clerk advised that only one letter of interest to serve on the Budget Advisory Committee from the community had been received.

- Motion made by Cooper, seconded by Cox to appoint Mrs. Suzanne Buckland as a member of the Budget Advisory Committee for the development of the 2005-2006 school year budget; and to re-advertise for volunteers to serve on the committee, one of which must be a parent of a school age child. Yes-7, No-0

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- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Fiester
CALENDAR **BUDGET**
to approve the Budget Calendar as corrected
(the first budget committee meeting date
will need to be changed).
Yes-7, No-0

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Cooper to
AMENDED RESOL.
RENOVATIONS
adopt of the following resolution, to-wit:
WHEREAS, A Notice of Special District Meeting
had previously been approved and published with
respect to the construction of additions to and
reconstruction of various District facilities,
including original equipment, machinery, apparatus,
appurtenances, site improvement, and incidental
improvements and expenses in connection therewith,
at a maximum estimated cost of \$5,509,436; and
WHEREAS, omitted from the Notice was reference
to the use of \$800,000 of Capital Reserve Funds
to offset the amount of bonds to be issued; and
WHEREAS, pursuant to powers vested in the School
District Clerk, Notice of the Special District
Meeting has been revised to reflect the use of the
Capital Reserve Fund monies; **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT
RESOLVED**, by the affirmative vote of the Board of
Education of Greene Central School District,
Chenango County, New York, as follows:
Section 1. Publication of the revised Notice of
Special District Meeting attached hereto is hereby
ratified and confirmed.
Section 2. This resolution shall take effect
immediately.
Yes-7, No-0 (roll call vote taken)

- The Enrollment Report ending 9/30/04 was
noted. **REPORTS:**
ENROLLMENT REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENT FROM THE FLOOR: **PUBLIC COMMENT**
- President Harrington informed the Board of the **KEN HARRINGTON-**

upcoming CCSBA Fall Dinner Meeting. Mr. Tim
MTG.

CCSBA DINNER

Kremer, Executive Director of NYSSBA will be the speaker.

- Mr. Dave Morales commented on the Budget
Advisory Committee and how many parent members
were required.

**DAVE MORALES-
BUDGET COMMITTEE**

- Mrs. Nancy Stiles stated that two of
the three community members could be parents, but
at a minimum, one of the three must be.

- Mrs. Barbara Whitmore addressed the Board
regarding an application for employment she had
recently filled out with the District which
could not be found. She requested that her
application be withdrawn.

**BARBARA WHITMORE-
EMPLOYMENT APPL.**

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

**EXECUTIVE
SESSION**

- Motion made by Cox, seconded by Fiester to
adjourn to Executive Session for a particular
personnel matter at 9:04 p.m.

Yes-7, No-0

- President Harrington reconvened the meeting
at 9:33 p.m.

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ADJOURNMENT:

- Motion made by Austin, seconded by Cox
to adjourn the meeting at 9:34 p.m.
Yes-7, No-0

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Marie Utter
District Clerk

